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HYC Racks

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S/V Firefly Friday night race May 5, 2023. Photo credit: Carolyn Majewski

MESSAGE FROM THE COMMODORE



Aloha all,

This is for the month of June, and by the time you receive this, one week will be gone and three weeks will remain. Time is flying and soon the Transpac fleet will be in the harbor. Please, if you have not volunteered to help, contact Paul Antonelli, our HYC volunteer coordinator, at volunteer@hawaiiyachtclub.org to lend a hand.

With that said, I hope you have had the chance to get down to your club for the music that is back on a regular basis on Saturdays and other occasions. The Ships Store is open (call the office for hours)! Many thanks to Pam Martin for doing such an excellent job of working in the store.

The Galley and bar are serving up excellent meals and tasty beverages. The staff is working hard on your behalf. Be sure to attend the HYC Transpac Party on Friday, July 14. "Simplisity" will be our featured band that night.

I truly hope that you are ready for a great summer ahead.

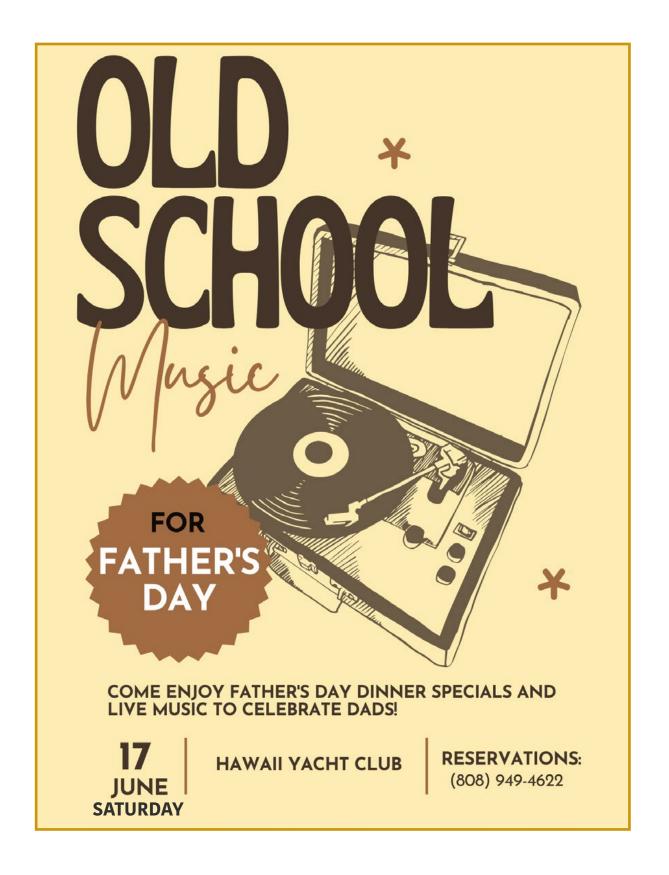
Mahalo,

Mike Claus Commodore Hawaii Yacht Club





HYC - Happy times! Visit your club today!!





It's time to volunteer!

IMPORTANT DATES:

Next HYC Transpac Meeting: Watch your email for the date!

Boats leaving California... 1st Start: Tuesday, June 27 2nd Start – Thursday, June 29 3rd Start – Saturday, July 1

Awards Presentation for second start boats will

be held at HYC: Thursday, July 13

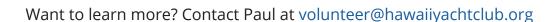
HYC Party: July 14, 2023

WAYS YOU CAN JOIN IN THE FUN:

- Welcome Team
- Officer of the Deck
- Boat Hosting
- Ships Store
- Hospitality
- HYC Party Team (Setup, Party, Breakdown)
- HYC Awards Event
- Boat Inspections

Executive Admin Team starts immediately!

Helps administration tasks from home or HYC. Assists with meetings & appreciation wrap party. Will include making telephone calls or data updates on computer and bulletin board. Print and laminate name badges.



TRANSPAC REPORT

There are 60 Entries for Transpac 2023 as of May 31, 2023; One month to go before the starts!

The starts for the 52nd edition of the biennial Los Angles to Honolulu race are:

- **1.** The first race starts on June 27, 2023
- 2. The second race start is June 29, 2023
- **3.** The third race start is July 1, 2023.

For general information, go to the Transpac website https://transpacyc.com/. Be sure to check out the Notice Board, Entry List, for the current list of yachts entered for the race.

HYC will be hosting one of three awards ceremonies for the Transpac race on July 13, 2023. WYC (July 11, 2023) and KYC (July 15, 2023) will host the other two awards ceremonies.

If you are interested in hosting a participating race boat, let me know and I can direct you to the committee of boat hosting.

There is a need for volunteers. If you don't know who to contact to be a volunteer and part of the action, please email me and I can connect you with the appropriate person.

The 2023 Honolulu Committee looks forward to a safe and successful 2023 Transpac. Thank you in advance for your help.

Regards,

Doug Allen, V/C Administration Doug.allen7171@gmail.com



Transpac Memories: Boat Hosting 2019 Photo credit: Carolyn Majewski

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2023 Sailing Schedule

February 18, 2023 Opening Day | Blessing of the Fleet

February 19, 2023 Kokohead

March 11, 2023 Race for the Red Red Cross Fundraiser (HYC & WYC)

March 25-26, 2023 Pokai Bay

April 15, 2023 Rabbit Island

May 7, 2023 Sweetheart Regatta - Wahine Big Boat

July 13, 2023 HYC Transpac Awards

August 31, 2023 Mesick Long Distance - Lahaina Feeder

September 4, 2023 Lahaina Return

September 30, 2023 Holoholo

October 28, 2023 Pau Wahine

November 4, 2023 SEAFEST at *WYC

November 11, 2023 HYC Awards Dinner

November 18, 2023 HYRA Banquet at *WYC

Join Us!

Note: Event dates are subject to change.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Aloha kākou,

Continuing our Hawaiian word of the month I chose the word *pono*, meaning morally right, or proper. We can all continue to strive to be *pono* in our actions.

I am pleased to report that we continue to grow our membership numbers. This growth can be attributed to several factors, including increased interest in sailing and boating activities, as well as the excellent reputation of the club within our local community. We showed an increase in total membership compared to the same time last year. Unfortunately, this increase was offset by cancellation about 40 memberships for non-payment of dues, most of these being associate members.

In terms of demographics, we continue to have a good mix of ages and backgrounds. HYC's membership base is made up of a roughly equal split between male and female members, with many of our members falling in the 35-65 year age range. We can be proud of a quite diverse membership base, with members coming from all cultural and social backgrounds.

HYC continues to offer a range of activities and events, including sailing races, fishing events, social events, and educational workshops. Please keep attending our live music events so we can continue to fund them.

Looking ahead, we plan to continue focusing on growing our membership and providing a wide range of activities and services. We will be exploring new ways to engage with members and to promote the benefits of membership in our club and to the wider community.

Joe Hillje Membership Chair



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2023 Fishing Tournament Schedule (tentative)

Date Tournament

Sat. April 22 Wahine Fishing Tournament

Sat May 13 Open Fishing Tournament

Sat. June 10 Open Fishing Tournament

2023 Transpac Race

Sat. August 5 Señoritas Tournament

Sat. August 18 Kayak Fishing Tournament

Sat. September 9 Junior Fishing Tournament

Sat. October 7 Open Fishing Tournament

Sat. November 18 Kayak Fishing Tournament

Sat. December 16 HYC Christmas Boat Parade

Mandatory Captain's meeting is held the Wednesday prior to the event at HYC downstairs at 6:30 pm. Posters and flyers for each event will be posted at HYC and other locations in the community.

Questions please contact: Steve Bonner – HYC RC for Power Cell – 408-250-7199

Email - rcpower@hawaiiyachtclub.org

Note: Event dates are subject to change.

TREASURER'S REPORT



Aloha fellow members,

As reported at the May General Membership (GM) Meeting, there was approximately \$81,000 in the checking account after outstanding checks were paid and \$43,500 in the Maximizer Savings Account.

As members are aware by now, we have had some staff departures, including Tyler in maintenance, Marley with Junior Sailing, and Dominick and Nicole in the office. We are currently looking for a new maintenance hire. We have had our

HYC accountant, Ben Choy, step in to take care of the office accounting work with help from Brandi. We also hired Abbey to help with the front of the office. I presented a proposal to the Board of Governors (BOG) to staff the office with two (2) part-time employees and our accountant, Ben, to save approximately \$37.5k/year. The BOG unanimously approved this staffing arrangement. This is an excellent labor cost savings.

The Junior Sailing Program was having consecutive net losses per month because the cost of labor and expenses were exceeding revenue from junior sailing lessons. Now that we are moving into the summer months, Staff Commodore Steven Eder is taking over the program (as a volunteer) and Junior Sailing should be operating in the black.

The Ships Store is stocked! I'd like to extend a big *mahalo* to BOG Kerri Scott and past BOG Alethea Rebman for the work on the store. Please come out and spend some money!

Finally, as presented at the May General Membership Meeting, membership was informed that it cost HYC \$134,000 to operate for the month of April and we brought in \$168,000 in revenue. Year-to-date (YTD) HYC has generated \$133k net profit, which is \$52k more than this time last year. This is a testament that the auto-pay system is working. We need to keep the ball rolling and continue to bring in more revenue than expenses each month to remain solvent.

Music has returned to HYC every Saturday in June. Please check the weekly e-mail blasts from the office for times and announcements. If you like music at your club, come out to keep it going.

HYC appreciates ALL members coming together as *ohana* and working together to make the remainder of this year a financial success, especially with Transpac this summer. We need everyone to work together to capitalize financially on this very important event.

If you have any questions, you may contact the office directly at 808-949-4622.

Mahalo and aloha,

Brian J. Orandello HYC BOG/Treasurer









RC SAIL REPORT

Hello members and friends,

May is a wrap. Can you believe we are just about halfway through the year? It feels like I just took the Christmas lights off of *Quicksilver*!

In the racing world, May hosted the Sweetheart Wahine Regatta. We had six boats out with female skippers and 50%+ wahine crew running the boats. *Born Free* and *Reactor* were fully wahine crewed! For HYC, *Kurrewa* with skipper and Jr. Sailing coach Melody took second in A class and *Born Free* with skipper Alethea took second in B class. It was a fun event with good winds, good racing, good food, and good friends!

The last weekend of May was the annual DJJ 3 day around Oahu race--always a great event. Over the last two years, competitors were not able to get around the island due to lack of wind. This year, they got around! It was looking like a drifter on the second day, but the wind filled in. HYC showed up in good form with Jade York on *Reactor* taking home the B class win! John Spadaro with *Boomerang* finished with a second overall, and Steven Eder on *Kurrewa* with third overall.

As we come into June, we have plenty of racing with Summer Circuit at KYC, Kauai Channel Race, and Kalakaua Cup over the 4th of July weekend. The south shore is also gearing up for Transpac. The first start will be June 27th. I expect the weekend of July 8th and 9th to be a busy one with Transpac competitors everywhere. Come down and check out the boats!

As always, come down on a Friday evening and watch the starts at around 5.

Have a good June!

Travis Scott



S/V Born Free and S/V Country Boy Photo credit: Carolyn Majewski

IKAIKA REPORT

Ikaika has our Watermans' Academy happening every week of summer, Monday-Friday, 9:00 am – 2:00 pm. The Academy teaches kids, ages 6-14 years, ocean safety, skills, and stewardship while opening a pathway for competitive watersport activities including kayaking, OC, SUP, rowing, and more!

Our rowing program has grown and is providing opportunities for the youth of Hawai'i to get recruited to college and earn scholarships. We have multiple juniors and seniors actively being recruited by colleges. This summer Sebastian Ako will be the first ever athlete from Hawai'i to compete in the Youth National Rowing Championships. Our rowing program is currently accepting new rowers to train with us this summer and beyond!

Aloha,

Rylie Hager
Director of Operations & Head Rowing Coach info@ikaikahawaii.com.
www.ikaikahawaii.com
dreamit, loveit, liveit, paddleit!



SHIPS STORE REPORT

Hawaii Yacht Club Ships Store is back in business - come in and check us out!

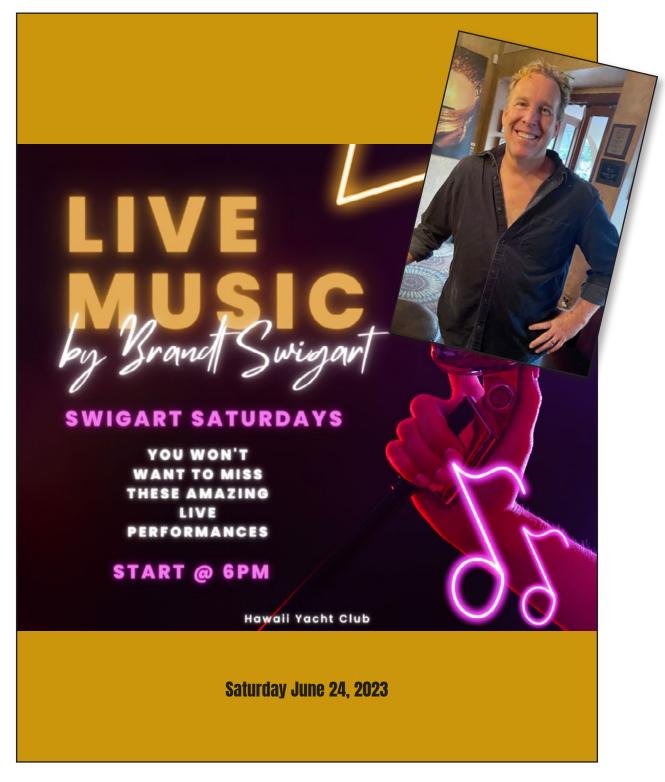
We have koozies, caps, visors, hats, HYC burgees, aloha shirts, and a new bunch of shirts. Also, the Transpac shirts are here! There are two choices of Transpac shirts: a nice-looking short sleeve polo in navy or white, and a long sleeve sport-tec action shirt with three color options.

"Friday Night HYC Race" shirts are soon to arrive! They are copied from a very popular Friday Night Race shirt that sold out quickly a few years ago. Better jump on them when they arrive!

Let us know what you would like to have in the HYC Ships Store so we are the place to shop.

Come see all the new merchandise!





Brant Swigart is a local musician who has been in the Oahu music scene since 1988. He has played with bands such as, The Jones, Rubber Soul, Henry Kopono and Nethermind. His repertoire spans the 60's, 70's and beyond with a solid catalog of original songs.



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MENU

Pupus

Garlic French Fries \$10.5 Sambal Ketchup, Honey Mustard Aioli

Garlic Edamame \$7.5 Sesame, Red Chili Flake

Penn Cove Mussels \$21 Garlic, Tomato, Fennel, White Wine, Charred Bread

Crispy Chicken Wings \$19 Choice of Buffalo, Guava BBQ, or Garlic Parm w/ Ranch, Celery

King Crab Cakes \$16 Thai Chili Aioli, Lemon, Micro Greens

Spicy Tuna \$15 Tobikko, Green Onion, Wanton Cup

Pork and Chicken Gyoza \$9 Truffle Ponzu

MC's Baked Potato \$9.5 Bacon Bits, Cheddar Cheese, Sour Cream, Green Onion

Flat Breads

Mozzarella, Marinara \$12 Add Pepperoni: \$1

Italian Sausage, Caramelized Onion, Roasted Peppers, Garlic Ricotta \$14.5

Mushroom, Parmesan, Truffle Oil, Garlic Ricotta \$13

Veggie Fare

Add: Huli Chicken \$7 - Shrimp \$8 - Fresh Catch \$11

Local Island Greens \$9

Ho Farms Tomato, Cucumber, Radish, Red Onion, Lemon Citronette

Hawaiian Waldorf Salad \$17

Greens, Apples, Grapes, Celery, Candied Mac Nuts, Lilikoi Honey Mustard

Mediterranean Trio \$14.5

Olive Tapenade, Hummus, Baba Ghanoush, Grilled Pita

Caramelized Kabocha \$19

Seasonal Veggies Chinese Black Bean, Seared Tofu, Roasted Peanuts

Mac Nut Pesto Gnocchi \$23

Yellow Squash, Brussels Sprouts, Cherry Tomatoes

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Sandwiches

Choice Between: Local Salad - French

Fries - Garlic Fries \$1

Spicy Chicken \$18

Buffalo Sauce, Honey Mustard, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Journey Bun

Furikake Seared Ahi \$19

Wasabi Aioli, Asian Slaw, Charcoal Bun

Kualoa Ranch Beef Burger \$20

Horseradish Aioli, Cheddar Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Journey Bun

Philly Cheese Steak \$19

Shaved Beef, Onion, Peppers, Mushroom, Swiss, Chipotle Mayo, Baguette

Kids Menu

Chicken Sticks and Fries \$13

Grilled Cheese and Tomato Soup \$14

Mains

Seafood Bouillabaisse \$27.5

Fresh Catch, Calamari, Oishii Shrimp,

Mussels, Tomato Saffron Broth, Charred

Bread

Miso Soy Glazed Fresh Catch \$27

Bok Choi, Red Pepper, Ginger Rice, Lotus Root Chip

Chicken Marsala \$25

Hamakua Mushrooms, Seasonal Vegetable, Herbs, Fresh Linguini

Pan Seared New York Strip \$37

Blue Cheese Compound Butter, Herb Roasted Red Potatoes, Broccolini

(Ask your server about today's Specials!)

Dessert

Mango Cheese Cake \$14

Flourless Chocolate Cake \$12

Vanilla Ice Cream 4.5

Chocolate Ice cream 4.5



JUNE 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Monday Night BBQ	Movie night D-day	Mexican Buffet 5 pm Live Music: Senor Daniel	Live Music: Harry Koizumi 6:00 pm	Friday Night Race Fireworks	Open Fishing Tournament Live Music: Andy Sexton and Simplisity
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Kamehameha Day	Monday Night BBQ	BoG Meeting 6:30 pm	Coronado Beer Dinner 6:00 pm	Live Music: Harry Koizumi 6:00 pm	Friday Night Race Fireworks	Live Music: Old School Father's Day Dinner specials
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Father's Day	Monday Night BBQ	General Membership Meeting 6:30 pm	Mexican Buffet 5 pm	Live Music	Friday Night Race Fireworks	Live Music: Swigart Saturday 6:00 pm
25	26	27	28	29	30	
Wine Dinner: Bottles for a 10 day sail 6:30 pm	Monday Night BBQ	Transpac starts: 1st start boats leave California	Mexican Buffet 5 pm	Transpac starts: 2nd start boats leave California	Friday Night Race Fireworks	

*Note calendar above is subject to change. For updates, check your email and please follow Hawaii Yacht Club on social media!