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2016 Vernon Yacht Club Regatta, photos by Dan Virkari. Winners on page 28.

2016 Vernon Yacht Club Regatta Winners



Tom Naylor and crew on Papillion win The Overall and First Place in C Fleet.



Tom Guenther and crew on Nauti Girl win First Place in A Fleet.



Freddy Trautman and crew on The Factor win First Place in B Fleet



David Lindsey and Crew on Razzle Dazzle win First Place in the Santana 525 .



Pamela St. Pierre receives a Norm Enns Paddle for Most Improved!

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Important Notice to All Members:

If you access the clubhouse with your key card and are confronted with **the alarm sounding while you are inside**, please follow this procedure: Re-swipe your card at either entrance, then, call the security company and identify yourself and have them cancel the alarm. The phone number is posted at both entrances. If you fail to do this, the Club can be billed up to \$150. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.



News from the Commodore-Lawrence Johnson

We are happy to welcome a new member to the Executive. Doug Fleming has agreed to fill a vacant position until the end of the year. Doug will be serving as a Director at Large.

I am also happy to announce that Gerald Gustafson has agreed to return as our Staff Captain for the remainder of the year as he is now back from medical leave and feeling much better. He will oversee all events but will require assistance from the directors and volunteers to perform the tasks of Staff Captain. Welcome back Gerald.



MUST READ

Trailers of any nature, or vehicles with trailers are NOT to be parked anywhere on the asphalt portion of the lot at any time.

Only trailers connected to a vehicle may be parked on the gravel portion of the lot, for daytime use only,

by backing into the spaces marked. NO OVERNIGHT PARKING, unless pre-authorized by the Fleet Captain, (proof of insurance is required).

If no space is available in the gravel portion of the lot, your trailer must be removed from the Vernon Yacht Club property.

Your license number has been recorded and you will be towed the next time this happens without further notice.



News from Roger Price and the Security Team

Hello Members,

Your Security Team have very little to report. This is a good thing and I think it shows how effective our patrols are.

I would like to remind all members to keep watch while you ate at the Club and on the docks. Also do not block the marina gate open and unattended, this is not only against regulations but leaves your boats unprotected from unwanted intruders.

Thank you to all Vernon Yacht Club Security Team members for their long hours. Keep up the good work!

Roger Price

Team Leader

VYC Security



The deck expansion is well underway. Very soon you will be able to sit back, stretch your legs, have a cold drink and enjoy the view.



News From the Rear Commodore—Craig Williams

Rear Commodores Report – June 7, 2016

- May 25, 2016 received confirmation from the Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations we could proceed with our test piles under our Section 9 Notification
- June 1st and 2nd Burton Marine drove 4 test piles, which had to be placed close to the existing floating b/w considering we have yet to receive confirmation we can proceed with our replacement b/w and the hazard they would represent if left in the open for any period of time as originally anticipated
- Test piles were successful and the engineer was pleased with the results though they had to be driven 30 feet deeper into the lake bed than what was anticipated (90 feet in the deepest water)
- The ministry has responded to our Section 9 Notification for our b/w replacement plan saying it would be subject to a full review due to concerns expressed by neighbours about the proposed relocation of the western breakwater and the Ministry's view the addition of any more than 3 slips triggers a full review. This is contradictory to verbal advice our environmental consultant received from the Ministry a number of months ago when we began this process
- A full review is a process that could take many months, if not more, so we are requesting a meeting with the Ministry for as soon as possible to present our case that the application should be treated as a Notification as indicated in verbal conversation last year
- The Ministry also indicated the b/w could be replaced in its current location with some minor changes so Burton Marine has been asked to draft an alternate plan and costing to erect a solid wall b/w running perpendicular to shore along the line of our existing floating b/w and extending all our existing docks further out to gain the additional slips rather than adding AA dock and fingers to the west side of A dock as originally proposed if we are unsuccessful with the Ministry pleading our case to them
- Received from Regular Member Lorne Holowachuk recommendations for modifications to the replacement b/w design presented at the Extraordinary GM, which are being addressed for a response
- Update on security access system: additional fobs cost \$8.00 each, down from the previous \$10.00 we were paying now that we control the coding of them
- In-line electrical meters for dock receptacles are \$530.00 each plus installation, will come up with a recommendation to add more commencing next year for docks E, D and A (in that order) where the larger boats are, leaving B and C docks till a later date
- 2016 Fire Inspection completed April 28th by the Vernon Fire Dept. noted a deficiency in the kitchen due to the lack of a proper hood with fire suppression and exhaust and make-up air fans and that we are not permitted to cook on our flat-top grill or burners anything that creates grease laden vapours
- Recommend pursuing a proper hood for the kitchen with fire suppression and exhaust and make-up air fans at a budgeted cost of \$10,000 to comply with fire inspection, this should also reduce heat build-up and odors in the kitchen that permeate into the lounge area
- Parking in the lot continues to be an issue with greater use of the facilities, especially on weekends, with boat trailers being left on the paved surface and vehicles left attached to trailers on the gravel portion making for inefficient use of the respective areas. Recommend posting rules on both floors of Club House; mailing our parking rules through Canada Post to ALL members; and institute the ability to tow offending vehicles/trailers after first warning left on windshield
- The shrimp fishing vessels and related crafts tying to our east log bundle b/w without permission continue to be of concern to the b/w's integrity and the removal of these vessels is being actively pursued
- Email request of May 10, 2016 from Social Member and RCMSR Member Ciy Young for letter of support from the VYC to accompany their submissions for grant funding to various agencies



News from Director John Heard

Good Day Members,

Volunteers are needed for Mooring Buoy Maintenance. Possibly 4 or 5 days required. Probably Saturdays and or 1 or 2 weekdays in July. Come once or as many times as possible. Starting this month, June and might extend into August. We will use the Club Boat to service the mooring buoys at Fintry, Everly Forestry Camp and Ellison Park.

Reply to John Heard by email j-dheard@shaw.ca or phone 250-545-5114.

Thanks so much for keeping our buoys afloat!!

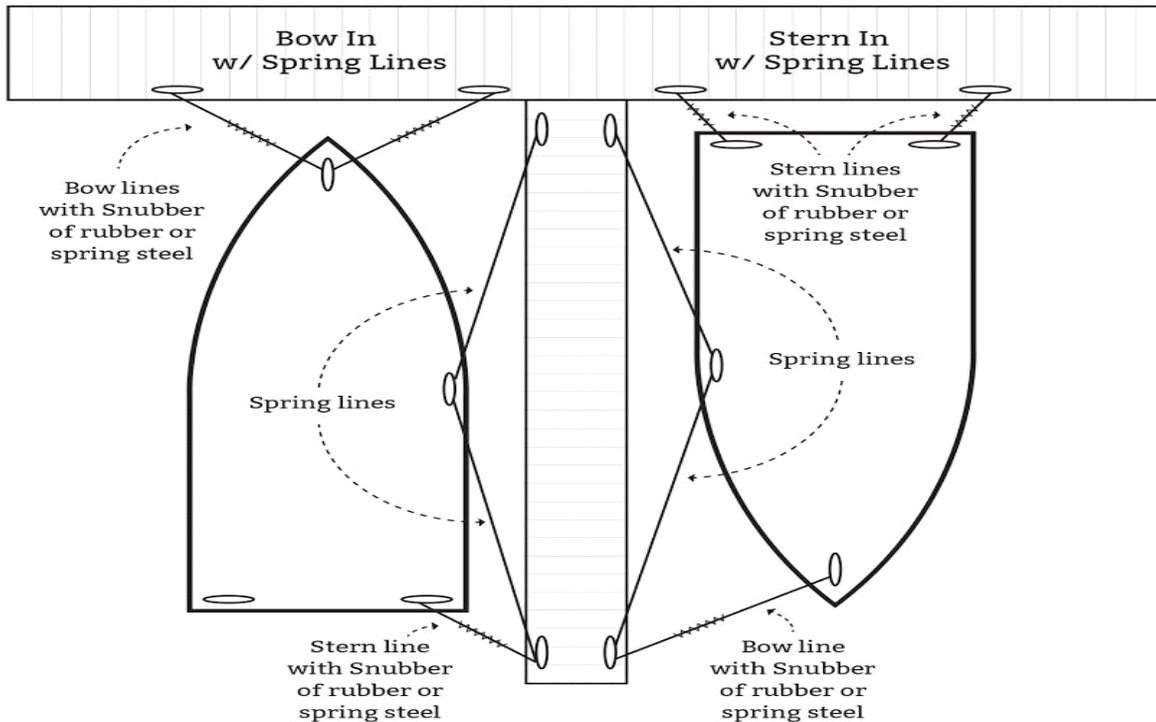
John Heard, Director



Photos taken from a drone, *provided by Mike McLellan*. Thanks Mike !



STANDARDS FOR SECURING BOATS AT VERNON YACHT CLUB MARINA



The mooring standards as presented below are designed to prevent damage to your boat, the docks and other boats. You are required to use appropriately sized mooring lines with snubbers or spring steel on lines of less than 10 feet in length. A properly secured boat will be held by **a minimum of three lines**. Attach lines correctly to cleats and keep snug so lines do not droop into the water. Use fenders to prevent contact of your boat with the dock or other boats.

Terminology:

Bow – the forward part of a boat.

Bow Line – a docking line leading from the bow.

Chafing Gear – tubing or leather wrapping used to protect a line from chafing on a rough surface.

Cleat – the metal fixture on the dock (or on your boat) used to attach lines to securely moor your boat.

Fender – a cushion, placed between boats, or between a boat and a dock, to prevent damage.

Line – nautical term for ropes used in sailing and securing your boat to a dock.

Pile – a wood, metal or concrete pole driven into the ground.

Snubber – a rubber or spring steel device attached to a mooring line to reduce shock to the boat and the dock.

Spring Line – a line used to prevent the boat from moving forward or backward while made fast to a dock.

Stern – the after or back part of a boat.

Stern Line – a docking line leading from the stern.

Lines can generally be categorized as follows:

Laid Nylon – a twisted line of nylon fibers may be used as a mooring line.

Single Braided or Double Braided Nylon (braided core covered with braided jacket) – are the best lines for moorage as they have good abrasion resistance and resistance to rot.

Polypropylene (the common yellow or white ski rope) – must **NOT** be used as a mooring line.

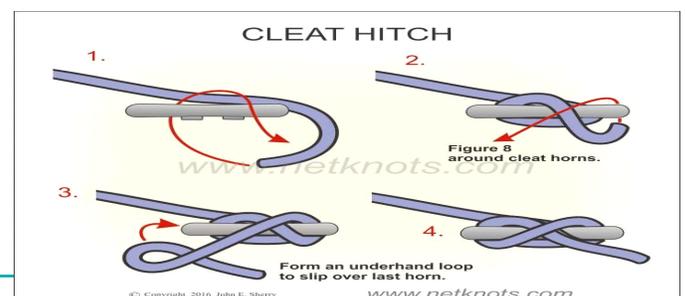
Size of line recommended for size of boat:

Boats to 20 feet = 3/8 inch diameter line

Boats 20 to 35 feet = 1/2 inch diameter line

Boats 35 to 45 feet = 5/8 inch diameter line

Submitted by Ken Smith





Message from the Vice-Commodore Karol King

To Our Valued Members,

To better serve you, the office is now open seven days a week.

We have hired a summer office student, Jared Hubner, for the boating season. He will be Available to answer your questions, take reservations for events and sell boat products and Club regalia products such as golf shirts.

We are happy to welcome Jared to the VYC team. Starting May 18, 2016 he will be in the office Wednesday to Sunday from 11:00 am to 4:00 pm.

Marnie's hours have not changed, she will be in the office Monday, Tuesday and Thursday's 8:30 am—2:30 pm.

Please come in and say "Hi" to Jared and ask questions you may have or just introduce yourself so he can get familiar with us all. He may not know all the answers yet, but he will know how to find the answers for you. Be kind, be patient, he will learn as the summer progresses.

If you have any questions on this or any other issue or suggestions on how the Club can improve, Please reach out to me.

Karol King
Vice-Commodore
Vernon Yacht Club
vice-commodore@vernonyachtclub.com



Ken Hodgson Entertainment Director

Hello Members,

There will be an invasion on 16th and 17th of July, Music by “Rant and Rave”. There will be a theme of ‘Tacky Tourist’ and I invite all members to come dressed in clothes that they wouldn’t be caught dead in normally!!! Vernon Yacht Club is cordially inviting members from all the Clubs on the lake to come out and make this a night to remember.

Friday July 22nd following the DIY Barbeque I am inviting all Vernon Yacht Club members to come and show their talents at an ‘Open Mic’, singers, dancers, musicians, comedians or whatever we will make you all feel welcome.

August 13th is the ‘Rib Off’, one of the highlight events of the year. It is popular with the other clubs on the lake so when tickets become available they are sold on a first come first served basis. Tables can only be reserved following the purchase of tickets. Music to follow the meal.

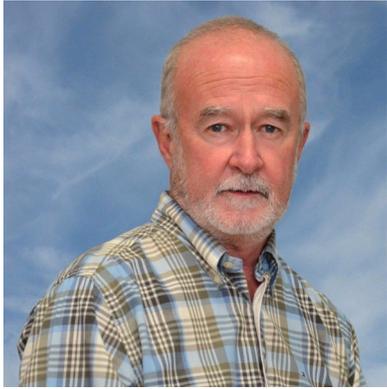
With Much Appreciation,

Ken Hodgson

Entertainment Director

Vernon Yacht Club





Boat Show Chairperson Rob Mathews

And the Boat Show prize winners are...

Anglers Distribution: Tom Nickiford won an Eagle Claw Fishing Rod

Absolute Classic Marine: Ramon Ponsioen and Brenda Thom won T-Shirts

BDM Motorsports: Roberta Hanson won a \$100.00 Gift Certificate

Dyck's Mobile Shrink Wrap Inc: Sandy Bowler won a Boat Shrink Wrap

I'm a Frequency Leather Goods: Sylvia Hershen won a Leather Business Card Holder

Kalavita Surf Shop: Darlene Meridith won a One Hour Stand Up Paddle Board Rental

Malibu Marine Ltd.: Brenda Wilcox won a Heavy Duty 60' Tow Rope, a Helmet Bag and a Mesh Boat -Gear Bag

Nautical Sailing Services: Oktavia Erdelyn and Brittani Terry each won a pair of Sailing Gloves

Okanagan Recreational Rentals Ltd.: Nadine Lutz won a 2 Hour Seadoo Rental

Origami Owl Custom Jewellery: Marlene Wyatt won A Pair of Hoop Earrings

The Boardwalk: Kitty Hoffuan won a \$200.00 Gift Basket

Ultra Shine and Seal: Joe Flocksera won a Waterless Wash and Shine

Valley Marine Ltd: Mindy Beaudoin won a 60" Tow Rope and a T-Shirt; Ingrid Rosa, Rex Hawthorne and Erin Lemoel all won T-Shirts

Bourbon Street: Glen Dyck won a \$25.00 Gift Card

Distinctive Upholstery and Marine: Shane Lutz won a Stow and Go Kuma Barbeque

Eastside Liquor Store: Don Forrest won a Canadian Club Whiskey Set

North Okanagan Sailing Association: Garry Newfeld won a 5-Day 'Learn to Sail Program'

Okanagan Vehicle and Boat Storage: Edith Ponsioer won a Summer Readiness and Complete Maintenance and Safety Check

Vernon Telescope: Rick Johnson won a pair of Upclose G2 Binoculars and a Rechargeable Torch

Congratulations to the Winners and a Big Thank You to the Generous Donors.



Publicity Director's Report– Pamela Miller

Tiller Topics Summary of Minutes Report:

Pamela's Summary:

Boat Show:

Boat Show Chair, Rob Mathews, once again did an incredible job organizing all the vendors for the 2016 Boat and Leisure Show. The Boat Show was at capacity and Rob was available from Wednesday to Saturday making sure vendors were set up and ready for the event.

Boat Show Volunteer Coordinator, Pam St. Pierre, jumped in within a few weeks of the Boat Show to take on the huge task of organizing 80 plus volunteers for the event. She did an exceptional job organizing all volunteer roles, setting up the Vernon Yacht Club tent, arranging for the door prize announcements and visiting each vendor booth to gather an intro for our MC/Media, supply water and check in.

Great line-up of Volunteers: Al Cuttriss, Rex Landis, Ed Kinnear, Gerald and Annie Gustafson, Betty Day, VYC Staff and scores of other volunteers did so much to make the Boat Show great!

My role with the Boat Show was Publicity, Webpage, Documents, Sponsorship recognition, Regalia, Food/ Salvation Army/Regalia Cash Out (with Pam St Pierre), Photography, Signage and Sailing Tours.

Brochure: A tri-fold brochure is in the works and will be displayed at the Info Centers in the Okanagan and at the YLW Airport. It will be designed by Kiki Creative.

Greater Vernon Chamber of Commerce: We have a directory page on the GVCC and I will be updating it with our logo and VYC information. I will also ask Marnie to forward GVCC event and newsletters to be forwarded to myself and board members interested in receiving this information.

Vernon Paddling Center and North Okanagan Sailing Association: Our Paddlewheel Park neighbors, Vernon Paddling Center and North Okanagan Sailing Association, were at the 2016 VYC Boat and Leisure Show. Both organizations offer a variety of great programs and services. The Vernon Yacht Club is in contact with them to see how we can work together in the future.

Regalia: VYC now offers a line of regalia in all sizes, many colors and a variety of fabrics. We are looking to bring in large brimmed cotton hats for the summer, Wetskin jacket/pants weather gear and vests in our next order.

VYC Okanagan Regatta: Dan Vikari took some great photos of our 2016 VYC Regatta. Check them out here <http://vernonyachtclub.com/sailing/okanagan-sailing-regatta/> and on our facebook page.

Tiller Inclusion:

Please remember to support these generous businesses:

A BIG Thank You to the 2016 Boat Show Door Prize donors! And the Winners are:

Anglers Distribution - Eagle Claw Fishing Rod - Winner - Tom Nickiford

Absolute Classics Marine - One Grey T-Shirt and one White T-shirt - Winners - Ramon Ponsioen 7791

and Brenda Thom

BDM Motorsports - \$100.00 Gift certificate - Winner - Roberta Hanson

Dyck's Mobile Shrink Wrap Inc. - Free boat shrink wrap - Sandy Bowler

I'm a Frequency Leather Goods - Leather business card holder - Sylvia Hershen

Kalavida Surf Shop - 1 hour stand up paddle board rental , a t-shirt and a lay - Darlene Meridith

Malibu Marine Ltd - Heavy duty 60' tow rope , a helmet bag and a mesh boat and gear bag - Brenda Wilcox

Nautical Sailing Services - 2 pairs of sailing gloves - Oktavia Erdelyn and Brittani Terry

Okanagan Recreational Rentals Ltd. - 2 hour Seadoo Rental - Nadine Lutz

Origami Owl Custom Jewellery - 1 pair of hoop earrings - Marlene Wyatt

The Boardwalk - gift basket (\$200.00) - Kitty Hoffuan

Ultra Shine and Seal- waterless wash and shine - Joe Flocksera

Valley Marine Ltd- 60' tow rope and 4 t-shirts - Mindy Beaudoin, Ingrid Rosa T-shirt , Rex Hawthorne t-shirt , Erin Lemoel t- shirt

Vernon Telescope Nature and Science- Upclose G2 binoculars and rechargeable torch - Rick Johnson
Bourbon Street - \$25.00 Gift Card - Glen Dick

Distinctive Upholstery and Marine - Stow & Go Kuma Barbeque - Shane Lutz

Eastside Liquor Store - Canadian Club Wiskey Set - Don Forrest

North Okanagan Sailing Association - 5 Day - Learn to Sail Program - Garry Newfeld

Okanagan Vehicle and Boat Storage (Latitude marine (new owners)) - Summer Readiness and Complete maintenance and Safety Check - Edith Ponsioer

With Special Thanks from the Vernon Yacht Club Boat Show Volunteers to:

Twin Anchors Houseboats - <http://www.twinanchors.com/> for their generous donation to our Club!

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Thank You to all the Vernon Businesses who Donated Door Prizes for the 2016 VYC Okanagan Regatta!

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Glenn Hermanson at
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 - Bottom refinished below water line in 2014 with Interlux Inter Protect and freshly painted with VC 17 this spring.
 - Keel re seated and sealed. Replaced teak blocks with composite wood and stainless steel plates now bone dry inside.
 - Rudder overhauled in 2016
 - Harken Lazy Jacks installed on main
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Gang Plank Gossip



What makes
Jay smile.....
Ladies Night!

Another successful Ladies Night was held
June 16, 2016.

Tell the volunteers and staff how much
you enjoy Ladies Night at the Vernon
Yacht Club by 'Liking them' on facebook.



Debra Butler and Karol King
enjoyed the evening and are
planning more fun filled
evenings strictly for the ladies.

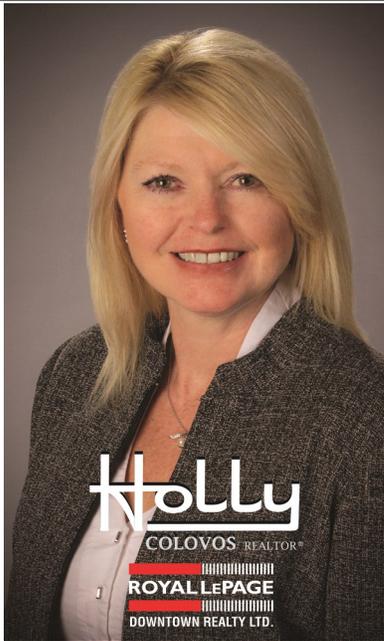
July 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Canada Day Open 4-11	2 Open 12-10
3 Open 10-9	4	5 Open 2-9	6 Open 4-10	7 Open 4-10	8 Open 4-11	9 Open 12-5 Rented 5-10 VSS Reunion
10 Open 10-4 Rented 4-9 Cel. of Life	11	12 Open 2-9 Executive Meeting	13 Open 4-10	14 Open 4-10	15 Open 4-11	16 INVASION WEEKEND 'Tacky Tour-
17 INVASION WEEKEND 'Tacky Tour-ist'	18	19 Open 2-9	20 Open 4-10	21 Open 4-10	22 OPEN MIC Following Dinner	23 Open 12-10
24 Open 10-9	25	26 Open 2-9	27 Open 4-10	28 Open 4-10 Bridge Game 1pm	29 Open 4-11	30 Open 12-4:30 Rented Wed. 4:30-11
31 Open 10-9						

August 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 BC Day Open 11-9	2 Open 2-9	3 Open 4-10	4 Open 4-10	5 Open 4-11	6 Open 12-10
7 Open 10-9	8	9 Open 2-9 Executive Meeting	10 Open 4-10	11 Open 4-10	12 Open 4-11	13 RIB OFF
14 Open 10-9	15	16 Open 2-9	17 Open 4-10	18 Open 4-10	19 Open 4-11	20 Open 12-10
21 Open 10-9	22	23 Open 2-9	24 Open 4-10	25 Open 4-10	26 Open 4-11	27 Open 12-5 Rented 5-10 Wedding
28 Open 10-9	29	30 Open 2-9	31 Open 4-10			

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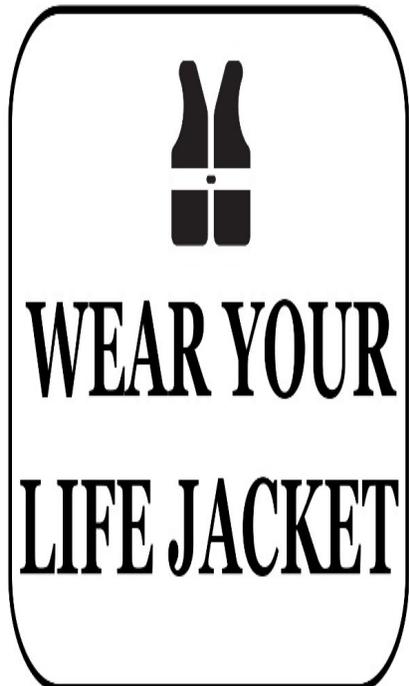
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Let's Play Bridge!

BRIDGE BITES from The American Contract Bridge League

TOO EASY

By: Brian Gunnell

This week's Declarer got to a great slam but he forgot to make his contract. It was just too easy.

	? T854 ? ? KQJT52 ? AKQ		
? J96 ? A9543 ? 63 ? T43	<i>North</i> <i>West</i> <i>East</i> <i>South</i>	? 3 ? KQJT76 ? A98 ? 962	
	? AKQ72 ? 82 ? 74 ? J875		

None Vulnerable

South West North East

			2?
2?	4?	6?!	Pass
Pass	Pass		

West leads the ?A and, when Dummy goes down, who would blame Declarer for thinking "Yippee! What a terrific slam, and on just a combined 25 HCP! Nicely bid, pard!"

Declarer ruffs that ?A opening lead and, without pausing for thought, cashes the ?A and ?K. When East shows out on the second round of trumps, Declarer ponders awhile (it's a bit late now!) before realizing that "Oops!" and not "Yippee!" is the

appropriate exclamation. Yes, indeed, Declarer has goofed mightily. He cannot draw the last trump (that would let the defense score a Heart and a Diamond), so he ruffs a Heart on the board and exits with the ?K. But that doesn't work, either. East wins the ?A and returns a Diamond which must be won in Dummy. Now Declarer has no way back to his hand to draw that last enemy trump. He'll cash a Diamond and lead another one, but, when East follows to the third round, Declarer will know that his goose is cooked. Whether he ruffs high or low, West's ?J will score a trick. Down one!

Of course, the winning line is to ruff the opening Heart lead, cross to the ?A, *ruff another Heart*, and *then* draw trumps. Now is the time for that yippee. Trick 1 was the time for thinking.

Visit www.acbl.org for more about the fascinating game of bridge or email marketing@acbl.org

VYC Mission Statement

"The purposes of the Society are to promote the enhancement of boating as a recreational and pleasurable pastime, to encourage inter-club and intercommunity nautical activities and to provide facilities for any of the foregoing."

Taken from the current Bylaws



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Welcome New Members

New members added to the roster in May-June 2016 are:

Regular Members:

- Bruce H. Hopkins & Jamie Riley**
- Roger & Kim Worth**
- Melissa Jacobs**
- John & Anne Kyrstein**
- Keith Whittingstall & Karen West**
- Dr. Paul Dooley and Michelle Connelly**
- Phil Southward and Leslie Nuyens**

Social Members:

- Jake & Colleen Friesen**
- Patrick Kenny & Mindy Beaudoin**
- Donna Joel & Peter Pals**
- Darlene and Bill Spedding**
- Jerry and Jane Heggs**

Should you have any questions please contact us and we will be most willing to answer your questions. Welcome to the Club and enjoy!

Ron McLean
VYC Membership Director

JULY

- July 1 KYC Canada Day Celebrations
- July 9 SYC Commodore's Ball
- July 10 SYC Sail Past
- July 10 SYC SOSA
- July 15-17 WKYC Women's Sailing Regatta
- July 16-17 VYC Invasion Weekend Tacky Tourist
- July 23 KYC Blind Fishing Derby
- July 30 SYC Dock Party

AUGUST

- August 5-7 SYC Giant's Head Regatta
- August 13 WKYC Rib'n Blues/Invasion Weekend
- August 13 VYC Rib Off
- August 13 PYC Commodore's Ball
- August 13-14 KYC Commodore's Cup
- August 20 SYC Ogoopogo Bathtub Race Fundraiser
- August 20 KYC Invasion Weekend
- August 27 WKYC Golf Tournament



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NEWS FROM THE OFFICE

- ⇒ Do you get the weekly Gang Plank emails? If not, contact the office to update your email address. Email –office@vernonyachtclub.com
- ⇒ Boat Insurance renewals – It's important to send a copy to the office. It is now \$2 million liability.
- ⇒ Office Hours Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 8:30 – 2:30 Marnie...Wed-Sunday 11-4...Jared. Closed most Statutory Holidays.

Thanks, Jared and Marnie

Thank you to the Vernon Fire Rescue Services for hosing down and cleaning the parking lot before the Boat Show.



The Gang Plank Menu

GST Included

Appetizers

Chicken Wings \$5.25

Lightly floured, flash fried & served with your choice of dipping sauce:
BBQ, Teriyaki, Honey Garlic, Salt & Pepper, Lemon & Herb, Sweet Chilli,
Honey Mustard, Hot

Chicken Tenders \$5.25

Lightly breaded chicken breast strips, served with: Honey mustard or sweet
chilli sauce for dipping.

Add caesar or spinach salad, french fries or veggies w/ dip. \$3.25

Charcuterie Board \$12.50

An assortment of smoked dry meats & cheese; with nuts, dried berries, and
pickled veggies. Complimented with a French baguette, crackers and hummus.

Salads

Caesar Salad \$6.25

Crisp romaine lettuce, croutons, bacon bits, tossed with a traditional creamy
Caesar dressing then topped with parmesan cheese.

Spinach Salad \$7.25

Tender spinach leaves tossed with strawberries, red onion, candied cashews,
feta cheese and finished with a raspberry vinaigrette

Add chicken or prawns for: \$3.25

Burgers and Such

Burgers and beef dip are served with your choice of French fries, salad, or veggies & dip

Yacht Club Burger \$8.50

*Choice of Beef, Chicken, or Veggie

Grilled to perfection and finished with lettuce, tomato, cheese, and topped with
onion straws.

Beef Dip (Corinne's Specialty) \$8.50

Thin slices of roast beef stacked high & served with a grilled bun & creamy
horseradish. Complimented with au jus and coleslaw

Fish Tacos \$7.25

Sure to be a favourite. Crisp seasoned cod served on two warm flour tortillas
with an avocado-salsa Verde. Then they're topped with shredded cabbage and
sweet mango salsa.

Baby Back Ribs **Half Rack** \$8.50

Slow roasted, melt in your mouth baby back ribs. Smothered in **Full Rack** \$12.50
sauce & served with coleslaw & rice

Thai Rice Bowl \$7.25

Seasonal sautéed vegetables served over aromatic basmati rice tossed with
coconut milk and sweet chilli sauce

Add chicken or prawns \$3.25

The Gang Plank Bar

May 2016

WHITE WINE

<i>Wine O'Clock - Grigio</i>	Glass \$4.75	½ Litre \$13.50	Litre \$26.00
<i>Jackson Triggs - Chardonnay</i>	Glass \$4.75	½ Litre \$13.50	Litre \$26.00

Bottled White Wine

<i>Jackson Triggs - Pinot Gris</i>	\$19.00
<i>Jackson Triggs - Sav Blanc</i>	\$19.00
<i>Trapiche Astica - Sauvignon Blanc Semillon</i>	\$19.00
<i>Hardy's - Reising Traminer</i>	\$21.00
<i>Gray Monk - Latitude 50</i>	\$26.00
<i>Mission Hill - Chardonnay 5V</i>	\$28.00
<i>Arrowleaf Bacchus 2015</i>	\$30.00
<i>Arrowleaf Gerwurztraminer</i>	\$30.00
<i>Ex Nihilo Pinot Gris</i>	\$34.00
<i>Gray Monk - Pinot Auxerois</i>	\$34.00
<i>Living Waters Organic Pinot Gris</i>	\$34.00
<i>Red Diamond Chardonnay</i>	\$34.00
<i>50 Parallel Chardonnay</i>	\$49.00

RED WINE

<i>Jackson Triggs - Merlot</i>	Glass \$4.75	½ Litre \$13.50	Litre \$26.00
<i>Wine O'Clock - Cab Sav</i>	Glass \$4.75	½ Litre \$13.50	Litre \$26.00

Bottled Red Wine

<i>Jackson Triggs - Cabernet Sauvignon</i>	\$19.00
<i>Prospect Winery - Regatta Red Blend 1906</i>	\$21.00
<i>McGuigan Black Label</i>	\$21.00
<i>Yellow Tail - Shiraz</i>	\$25.00
<i>Mission Hill 5 Vineyard - Cab Merlot Bin 88</i>	\$28.00
<i>Sumac Ridge - Cab-Merlot</i>	\$28.00
<i>Inniskillan - Cabernet Sauvignon</i>	\$28.00
<i>Apothic - Winemakers blend</i>	\$32.00
<i>Road 13 - Winemakers blend</i>	\$38.00
<i>50 Parallel - Pinot Noir</i>	\$49.00

ROSE WINE

<i>Pellar Rose</i>	Glass \$4.75	½ Litre \$13.50	Litre \$26.00
<i>Gray Monk Rotberger</i>			Bottle \$32.00

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GANGPLANK BAR OPEN:

Tuesday	2:00 pm — 9:00 pm
Wednesday	4:00 pm — 10:00 pm
Thursday	4:00 pm — 10:00 pm
Friday	4:00 pm — 11:00 pm
Saturday	12:00 pm— 10:00 pm
Sunday	10:00 am — 9:00 pm
Monday	Closed

FOOD SERVICE:

Tuesday: Taco Night	5:00-8:00
Wednesday: Burger & Salad Night	5:00-8:00
Thursday: Family/Small menu	5:00-8:00
Friday: Steak or Salmon Night	6:00-9:00
Saturday: Soup & Bun	12:00-3:00
Family/Small menu	5:00-8:00
Sunday: Brunch	10:00-1:00
Family/Small Menu	5:00-8:00

OFFICE OPEN

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday (Marnie)	08:30 am - 2:30 pm
Wednesday - Sunday (Jared)	11:00 am – 4:00 pm

Thank you to our RCM-SAR Volunteers at Station 101

Station 101 maintains a 19' Boston Whaler owned by the RCM-SAR. Station 101 is based at the Vernon Yacht Club and is supported by the Southern Interior Safe Boating Society. The operation of this vessel is supported by funding generated by either the society through grants, donations or its members.

Station 101 members have taken hundreds of hours of training ranging from Boat Handling to Navigation, Boating Safety and First Aid. Personnel development through online and practical courses offered by RCM-SAR agencies is encouraged. All members of the Station are seasoned boaters which bring a wealth of experiences to the unit.

The fact that the RCM-SAR has a boat in the water ready to go on short notice is considered by the RCMP and SAR a significant tool in their Tool Box of emergency response options.

If you are interested in becoming a volunteer contact Bob Montguire by phone 250-308-7879 or email captiva@shaw.ca.



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