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Social - Jan Adair, Rosemary Matheson
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Boat & Yard - Open
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Finance - Bill Atkinson
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Tony Winger
Junior Activities - Inactive

ELYC EVENTS CALENDAR

MEMORIAL CUP BRUNCH

September 21, 2013, 11 AM at the Sluice

COMMODORE'S CUP PARTY

October 18, 2013, at the Northport Yacht Club

ANNUAL MEETING

January, 2014, to be announced

WELCOME ABOARD PARTY

APRIL, 2014, to be announced

LADIES AT THE HELM PARTY

JULY, 2014, to be announced

BLUE MOON PARTY

AUGUST, 2014, to be announced

ELYC RACE SCHEDULE

2013 TUESDAY EVENING BAY SERIES

The last of the 2013 Bay race series is September 10. Next season we start again.

MEMORIAL CUP

September 21, 2013 - 14:30 Start

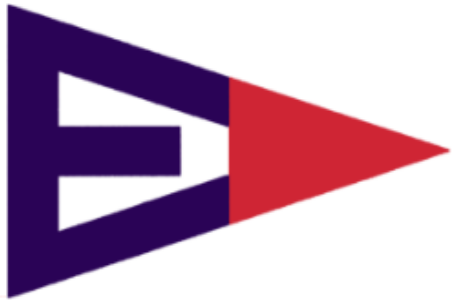
COMMODORE'S CUP

October 5, 2013 - 10:00 Start

Please contact Carolyn Barry, Boating Activity Chair, for racing details

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Commodores Corner

The summer is not over.

We still have many events coming up. Our next one is our Memorial Cup Brunch on September 21, at 1100 hours, at the Sluice. The race will follow at 1430 hours. If any Member would like to crew on this or any of the upcoming regattas please contact one of the skippers or Carolyn Barry our Boating Activities Chairperson. I'm sure any one of our boat Captains would welcome you aboard. Hopefully the weather will remain friendly for these events.

In the next few months we will be looking to fill open positions on our next year's ELYC Board. If you are interested, please contact a member of our Nominating Committee comprised of Past Commodore, Mary Lomuscio, or a member of our Board Trustees, Warren Grossman, and or Tony Winger. See you all at the Sluice. Stay Safe,

Franklin La Barbara
Commodore
Eaton's Light Yacht Club



Shadow and Chutzpah upwind in light air at the August 27 Bay Race.

From the Social Chair

This e-mail dated July 01, 2009 from our 'captainette', Gwen Ferry, sums up why we race in the bay series. I hope you like it.

Jan Adair
Social Chair

So why is it that we sail week after week, year after year?

yes, it was blowing so hard that we had trouble getting onto shadow from the dinghy yes, the wind was from the west yes, there was lightning in the distance yes, it rained yes, the wind was from the north yes, we thought the start was in the wrong direction yes, it poured yes, the wind was from the north east

yes, the wind almost died completely and it got hot yes, we did a sail change yes, the sun came out and we had 5 minutes of an incredible sunset (which I took photos of) yes, it poured again, and got cold yes, the wind was from the south east NO, we did not see dolphins YES, we did take a FIRST. NO, that's NOT why I do it week after week year after year, I can't figure out why I do it. I guess it's just fun?

Gwen

From the Editor

Thank you again to Curt Matheson who took the sailing pictures that you see here.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the Brunch at the Sluice Beach on September 21st. Can someone volunteer to take pictures!

Enjoy the remaining early fall days.

Stephanie Quarles
Publicity Chairperson



The fleet heads for the first mark at the August 27 Bay Race.



Miss Conduct ready to go at the August 27 Bay Race.



Mercy in light air at the August 27 Bay Race.