

# **Commodore's Corner**



Commodore Ralph Kennedy Greetings HBYC members & Friends!

Hank Quattro's Birthday celebration was great! The decorations were beautiful as always. There were in excess of 40 people attending. Dinner, dancing, visiting with friends and a couple of drinks, a wonderful time was had by all.

The Hernando Beach Heroes Boat Parade is receiving tremendous response from the local merchants. The generous donations we have been receiving is one of the key elements in raising money for

the Florida Veterans Foundation. Patti Ames, Terry and Suzanne Lemmons have been instrumental in helping with setting up the events and silent auction websites as well as other support functions. Please review and share the events. The website for the Hernando Beach Heroes Parade is: *hernandobeachboatparade.com* 

- 1. Register for the Dinner and silent auction. The website to register for the events will be active by June 16<sup>th</sup>. We will be sending out announcements with instructions on registration.
- 2. Please let family and friends know about this event as well as use facebook and sites like next door to spread the word.

If you have been to the club lately I know you have seen many improvements to the clubs appearance. I would like to give special thanks to Walter Batagia for all the work he has put into the club. Pressure washing ramp, trimming bushes, landscaping, dock and picnic table painting, retaining wall and walkway repair, as well as installing a walkway by lift are some areas he has helped.

Carol Quatro, Marleen Gravitz and Henry Roman have put in a lot of effort making our dinners a success in Susan's absence. Please let all the volunteers know how much you appreciate all they do.

Let's keep up the momentum the HBYC has going by continuing to

support the events with your participation!

Your Commodore, Ralph Kennedy

# **4th of July Heroes Boat Parade** HERNANDO BEACH YACHT CLUB

TERNANDE READY, FLOR Supporting: FLORIDA VETERANS

OUNDATION-

Heroes Dinner at the HBYC July 1, 2022 Cocktail hour 5:30, Dinner 6:30 Cost: \$25 **Display of Silent Auction Merchandise** Live entertainment by "Take Two" featuring: Tammie-Sue and Lynn

**On-line Silent Auction** June 15 - July 5 2022

Schedule of Events

For more information about these events:



4163 Shoal Line Blvd, Hernando Beach July 4, 2022 11:00 am ●高流通 QR Code Presentation of Quilt of Valo (352) 596-4830 http://hernandobeachboatparade.com/

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Heroes Boat Parade

Watch Party

July 4, 2022 12:00 noon

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## MARK YOUR CALENDAR! HYBC DINNER SCHEDULED FOR JUNE 15TH

# Hank's 101 Birthday Party







FUN, FUN, HANK'S 101!

A special birthday party was had for one of our youngest (at heart) members. Hank Q, recently turned one hundred and one years old and his loving wife wanted to celebrate Hank's century (plus 1) of life in a big way. Carol, you did good!



It's a delight when we have the opportunity to celebrate the life of a decorated World War II veteran, past Club Commodore, loving husband, father, grandfather, great grandfather and even great, great grandfather while he's still with us!

He was roasted by fellow member and great friend Dick, who shared stories of their multi-decade friendship. The stories, the drama!

Hank has lived a full life and because of people like him, we can breathe freely in a free country. We owe Hank such a great debt. It was an honor to recognize a great man and one heck of an American.

# BEWARE OF DICK!!!!

After successfully roasting Hank, our fellow HBYC member Dick is willing to roast you as well! You'll never know when Dick will pick up the phone and proceed to air your dirty laundry for all to see and laugh at! And he'll do it knowing there's nothing but love between you.

Have a funny story to share with your fellow members? Please forward to Henry at kokosoko@gmail.com

Every month something is happening at the Club. Would you like to "check us out? If you're not a member but would like to be





invited to one of our dinners, reach out to



Let's Do Lunch! Lunch Bunch Hostess: Jeane Vernon June 16 at noon Cody's Original Roadhouse

Good friends. Good food. Good times!

Hi Ladies,

On Thursday June 16, at noon, we will have our monthly "Ladies Lunch Bunch". Jeane Vernon has volunteered to take the lead and has selected "Cody's Original Roadhouse" located at 3101 Commercial Way, Spring Hill. You can check it out at:

https://www.codysoriginalroadhouse.com Please let me know if you plan to attend.

So, who is coming to Lunch????

Patti 😊

patti.nelson19@gmail.com! We will gladly set you up for a complimentary dinner.

# THE SCULLERY

## FREE FOUNTAIN SODA!

Hello all, going forward, you may enjoy a free fountain soda at no charge as a courtesy to members working at the club or coming in from a berth. Please note this applies to FOUNTAIN DRINKS ONLY! *No sneaking in a little Rum in your free drink :)* 

## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

We're looking for volunteers to help out when club renters are getting the club ready. No work required, just a helpful attitude. Email Susan at *owenmyers@tampabay.rr.com* 

## CASH TIPS FOR OUR SERVERS

You may not know this, but we guarantee our servers at least \$50 each when they work with us. If tips fall short of the \$150 we need for the three servers, we make up the difference from the bar receipts. If you leave a tip on your credit card when you pay for a drink, those tips go the bartender on duty, not to the servers. Cash tips are for the servers, credit card tips are for the bartender on duty. Show both your gratitude for great service!



# 2022 Bridge and Board Members

### Bridge Officers

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Asst. Secretary/

#### Committee Chairs

Budget and Finance Suzanne Lemmons

Membership Patti Ames

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- Henry Roman 508-369-5234
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- P/C & Mrs. Don Bendickson
- P/C Sally Cosenza
- Mrs. Betty Ferguson
- Mrs. Jan Johnson
- Mrs. Stella Kelly
- P/C Bill & P/C Carmen Lavin
- P/C Dan McCann
- P/C3 Aaron Nangle
- P/C Hank Quattro
- P/C Jim Secrest
- Mrs. Nancy Tooman
- P/C Dick Weichman

## Appointed

- Bar Manager
- Susan Myers

### Bartenders

- Susan Myers
- Patti Ames (back-up)
- Jill Prindle

### Kitchen Manager

Susan Myers

#### Rental Manager

Ralph Kennedy

#### Chaplain

Stella DeJesus-Kelly

Dock Master VACANT

- Roster
- Suzanne Lemmons

Historian VACANT

### **Towline Newsletter**

- Henry Roman
- Terrence Dunne

#### Webmaster

- Henry Roman
- Terrence Dunne

## **Unsung Heroes at HBYC**







With Memorial Day already past, many of us took time to honor those who served their country in the Armed Forces and have left this Earth.

As the 4th of July comes around, let us not forget the reason for this date.

During World War II, when this man was young, he flew patrols on PBY-5 Catalinas, a long-range seaplane designed to rescue Americans after their ships had been sunk and when found, to attack enemy shipping. For a sailor treading water, there was no sweeter sight than that of a Catalina coming in for a water landing to save them.

As a Sailor myself, thank you Hank, for being there to rescue my brothers.

## Sunshine Corner

HYBC members don't just spend time together during events, sometimes members show up with treats! Got some sunshine to share? Have a burden you don't know whom to share with? Open to a surprise visit and treat? Request a visit to Henry & Daisy at *kokosoko@gmail.com* or send us an uplifting story to share here.

AHOY!!! New HBYC Members

## Hernando Beach Yacht Club welcomes new members.

We have gained 10 new members in 2022 and 1 former longtime member that resigned has now rejoined the club.

> Kary and Brenda Daniell

## MEMBER SPOTLIGHT: Henry & Daisy

Henry & Daisy met on a dare 15 years ago from a friend who did not want to see a heart-broken Henry trying to raise 3 small children; figured he could use a hand. He sure could and he sure did get a helping hand when Daisy entered his life.



With 3 children now educated (one married) and 2 eligible (and gainfully educated & employed) bachelor sons, Daisy and Henry are enjoying being "empty nesters", although Henry and Daisy would like to see those two bums of theirs

- Jeff and Christine Kostroski
- Andrew
  Wilson
- Rocky and Teresa Tincher
- Michael Melley
- Judi and Rob (Fitz)
   Fitzgerald
- Phyllis Strauch (former longtime member rejoined)

get married and give them some grandchildren.

Daisy was born & educated in the Philippines, and spent 2 years performing missionary work, which hints at her kind and generous disposition. She's been a school teacher, school principal and executive director in Boston, but is enjoying being a housewife before she takes on another challenge this Fall. It's not far from the truth when Henry says he searched for the world's best cook to marry. 35 pounds gained over 15 years is proof Henry found her.

Henry is more vagabond than HRIS manager, having gotten lost in more seas and more storms that most humans should. He's always been in love with the sea and credits his 5% Polynesian and 5% Pirate bloodline with his ability to sail where and when only fools and drunks would dare venture. Henry credits his Hawaiian Kupuna (teachers) and his Jewish father & Caribbean mother for any perspective he may have inadvertently picked up.

If you've ever watched the Disney movie "Lilo & Stitch", you know that "Ohana" means "Family".

# Henry & Daisy are both so happy to be part of the HBYC Ohana.

Want other HBYC members to know a bit more about you? Let me interview you for our June Newsletter!

**WHAT GOES UP, MUST COME DOWN** -Monthly tide chart brought to us by *https://www.usharbors.com/harbor/florida/hernando-beach-fl/* 

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Hernando Beach, FL - Jun 2022

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2	Thu	4:49	2.6	3:14	3.2	11:05	1.6	11:59	0.0	6:31	8:28	
3	Fri	5:28	2.6	3:53	3.2	11:45	1.6			6:31	8:28	
4	Sat	6:06	2.5	4:38	3.1	12:36	0.1	12:29	1.6	6:31	8:29	۲
5	Sun	6:45	2.5	5:32	2.9	1:17	0.2	1:18	1.5	6:31	8:29	
6	Mon	7:27	2.6	6:33	2.8	2:01	0.3	2:16	1.4	6:31	8:30	
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12	Sun	12:52	2.8	11:55A	3.5	7:30	1.3	8:32	-0.4	6:31	8:32	0
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