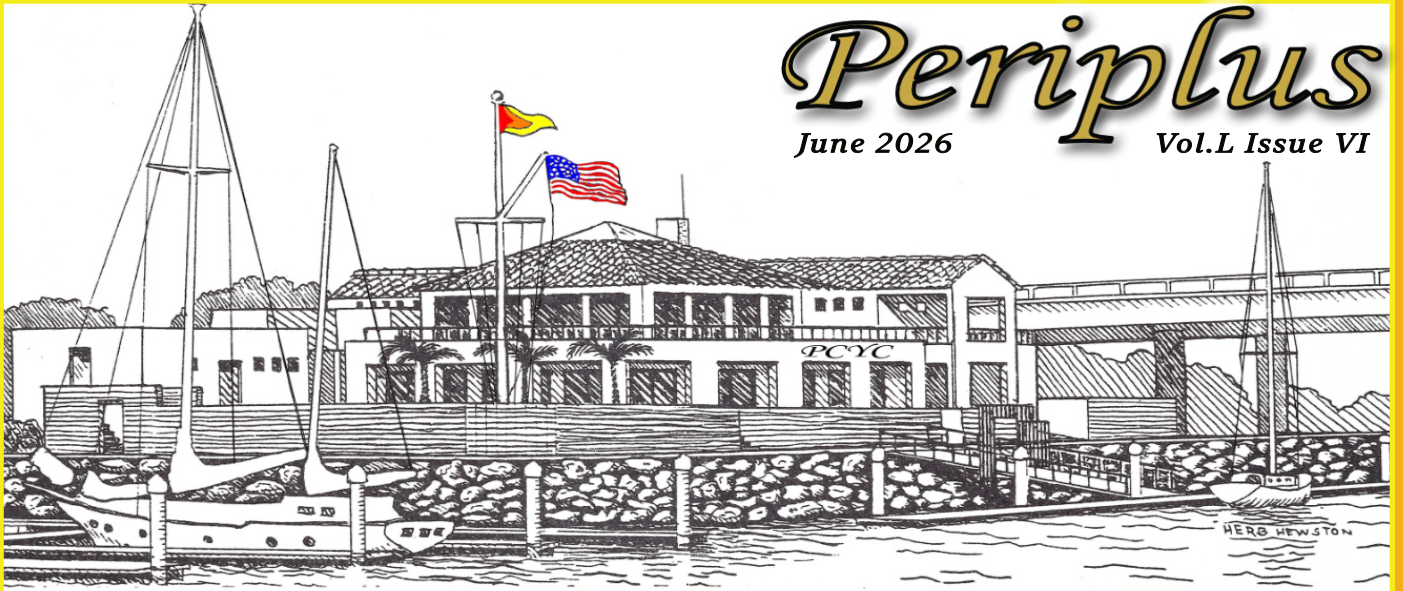


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## Meaning of Periplus

The word periplus stems from Greek, meaning 'journey' and also means a circumnavigation or sea voyage around a coastline. The use of a periplus, or journal, dates back to the second century and was a document listing in order, the ports and coastal landmarks, with approximate intervening distances, that the captain of a vessel could expect to find along a shore. In that sense the periplus was a type of log, similar to the modern day ship's log.

We use the term for our Club newsletter since it is the documentation of our travels at the Club and offshore and provides a historical record for us to reminisce and share with others. It is our shared and unique history as club members.

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**COMMODORE  
VASILY BELOZEROFF**

Dear Fellow Club Members,

I am pleased to report that the Club remains in a very healthy state. Those of you who attended last month’s Quarterly Meeting heard from our Treasurer about our strong financial position and positive trajectory. My thanks to the General Manager for maintaining an efficient operation. The Board will continue to closely monitor our finances and will be appointing a financial committee to help project the Club’s budget going forward.

We are fortunate to have a highly engaged and active Board that continues to guide important strategic decisions. At our recent Board meeting, we identified several candidates for the nominating committee to assist JS/C Graham Wilson in preparing for the next Board and Bridge—yes, it will be here sooner than we think. If you are still interested in serving on the nominating committee, please reach out to Graham.

The Board also reviewed several options for updating our electric boat. Fleet Captain Scott Von Lancken reviewed the marketplace and presented several alternatives. After thoughtful discussion, we agreed to give Cutie one more chance with a rudder repair. One of our newer members has offered to take on this work. We will report back once the repair is complete and determine whether to keep Cutie in service or move forward with acquiring a new boat.

Dock repairs are set to begin shortly, ensuring that we will be well prepared for the summer season and our youth sailing programs. On the sailing front, we will once again host our

popular Cheeseburgers in Paradise and McNish Memorial events. In addition, please mark your calendars for the Commodore’s Anniversary Ball on August 15. We will also be introducing a new “Cocktails with the Commodore” gathering at 5:00 PM on the day of the next Quarterly Meeting, where I will have the pleasure of welcoming new members. I encourage everyone to attend and stay for the meeting that follows – we like it when you come to the Quarterly meetings, and we need a quorum.

I hope this update conveys both the strength and the vibrancy of our Club. Please be assured that we remain attentive and committed to carefully stewarding the Club’s affairs.

I look forward to seeing you at the Club and out on the water. Vasily

**Santa Cruz Day Trip & Picnic  
Prisoners Anchorage  
June 20, 2026**

All members are welcome via personal boat or Island Packers, which departs from Ventura Harbor. Island Packers disembarkation requires the ability to climb a ladder from the boat to the pier. Call Island Packers at (805) 642-1393 to purchase tickets.

Bring your own picnic or purchase a box lunch for \$15 - choice of turkey sandwich or grilled portobello sandwich. Both include chips, cookie, and bottled water. We will deliver box lunches to picnic tables.

Call the Front Desk to reserve your spot and indicate if a box lunch is required.

Please note that dogs are not allowed on island due to the red fox population.





**VICE COMMODORE  
KIMBERLY ALFORD**

Hi Everyone!

Many thanks to everyone who responded to the SOS regarding our beloved electric boat, Cutie! Your thoughtful ideas, helpful leads on boats for sale, and generous offers to assist with repairs truly reflect the incredible spirit of our club community.

After carefully considering all of the feedback, the Board voted to move forward with transporting Cutie to a qualified facility for a full inspection and possible repair. This proactive step will give us a clearer understanding of her condition and help chart the best course for her future.

A special thank you goes to our House Committee Chair, Jim Dal Pozzo, and one of our

newest members, Jimmy Nichols, for stepping up to help guide a more cost-effective and practical path forward for Cutie. Your time, effort, and dedication are sincerely appreciated. In other exciting news, the Gear Locker is stocked with fun new merchandise available both online and in the club, including sparkly PCYC pins, visors, and more! Plus, in celebration of our 50th anniversary, specially embroidered commemorative logos are now available on new merchandise items and ready to order.

Thank you all for your continued enthusiasm, support, and commitment to our club community.

With gratitude,  
Kimberly

**Greetings Valued Members:**

From time to time, we all have friends that ask about your PCYC experience and may be interested in joining. Although we appreciate when you bring them as guests, we know that is not always practical - or affordable!

In your badge holder, you have received a business card offering an opportunity for a prospective member to visit the club and purchase a dinner on a credit card. This is one time per person, but will not count toward their guest count nor do you need to be with them.

We hope that you can carry the card with you when that question occurs, you are ready! Our members are our best ambassadors. If you have any questions, please reach out to our manager or contact me directly!

Respectfully,  
Donna Gaddis, Membership Committee Chair  
661-816-4929  
[donnaqcs@yahoo.com](mailto:donnaqcs@yahoo.com)

*Save the Date*

50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary  
Commodore's Ball  
Saturday, August 15, 2026

*Please join us in an enchanting evening of fine dining, cherished company, and dancing into the night with music provided by Once More*

Additional information to follow



## REAR COMMODORE DAN GUINNIP

The social calendar for June will kick off with our LWDL Berry Delicious Summer Picnic on June 11th .It sounds yummy just reading it ! On June 13th the club has made arrangements for members to embark on the Mystic Whaler for an afternoon of excitement and exploration. Plan on meeting up at Bill's Bar afterwards to hear the scallawags spin their tall tales.



Once again, we will be having a whiskey tasting event, featuring Whistle Pig, on June 20th to kick off the Father's Day celebrations. Music will be performed by Caught Red Handed and we plan on walking through some basic steps of the two-step (cowboy boots optional).

I hope that you will be able to get out and enjoy all of these events as we wrap up the Spring season and kickoff a busy Summer. I am always so grateful when I attend club events. It is always a great opportunity to meet new friends and discover common interests. We have a lot of interesting people at PCYC !

See you at the Club !  
Dan Guinnip

**CHILI COOK OFF**  
**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2026**  
 FROM 1-4 PM. AWARDS PARTY 4 PM AT BILLS BAR

**COOKS & CAPTAINS & TASTERS**

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*You don't need a boat or dock to participate*

- IF YOU HAVE GOOD TASTE
- IF YOU CAN COOK A MEAN CHILI
- IF YOU OWN AN ELECTRIC BOAT OR DINGY
- IF YOU HAVE A DOCK HOME IN THE HARBOR

**WE WANT YOU!**

MORE QUESTIONS? CONTACT EVENT CHAIRS NATALIE DOBKOWSKI & PERIN LAL

## Officer of the Day



What a tremendous Job you have done for the club in doing the Officer of the Day duties.

I want to thank you from the bottom of my heart for what you have done for the club

Sincerely,  
Melinda Horwith

## FROM LADIES WHO DO LUNCH COMMITTEE LAVELLA CONSIGLIO AND BETH FREEDMAN

**Ooh La La!** The magic and excitement of an afternoon in Paris filled the air at PCYC on April 9th as the LWDL hosted its Spring Luncheon for 117 members and guests. Under the leadership of event chairpersons, Leah Lucas and Marina Telles, an elegant décor of pink and black punctuated with Eiffel Towers and Cherry blossoms transformed the dining room.

In true Parisian fashion there was a lot of shopping going on as the afternoon progressed with local vendors, "Trendy Me" and "White Creek Candle Co.", in attendance along with the sale of gently used handbags donated by PCYC members and friends. A menu of French

favorites prepared by Chef Rafael and his staff and clothes stylist, Lisa Winkler, from Nordstroms presenting "Spring Trends in Clothing" further enhanced the afternoon.

As always, donated silent auction items and Opportunity Baskets augmented and displayed by committee member, Andrea Jackson, were available for purchase. The proceeds from these sales will be utilized to fund additional amenities and programs for PCYC.

The next PCYC luncheon hosted by the LWDL Committee will be on Thursday June 11th. Mark your calendars and save the date!



**Ladies Who Do Lunch  
invite you to...  
A Berrylicious Summer  
Picnic!**

*Thursday, June 11th, 11:00 AM*  
*\$35 Inclusive*

**We look forward to enjoying  
a Berry pleasant lunch together**

**Featured Speaker:  
Axel Stelter of Karls USA**

To assist the Front Desk, please make your reservation as soon as possible.

Reservations will be open for PCYC members only  
Thursday, June 4th - Saturday, June 6th

Guest reservations may be made beginning  
Sunday, June 7th



**MENU**

**Entree Choices**  
Served with Corn Bread & Honey Butter

*Sweet Summer Chicken Plate*  
Roasted Chicken Breast with Fine Herbs  
& Spices Served with a Potato Salad,  
Diced Carrots & Corn Medley

*Berry Sweet Summer Toss*  
Mixed Greens, Local Strawberries, Candied  
Walnuts, Sliced Apples, Feta Cheese &  
Strawberry Vinaigrette Dressing with  
Grilled Chicken

*Vegetarian Berry Sweet Summer Toss*  
Mixed Greens, Local Strawberries, Candied  
Walnuts, Sliced Apples, Feta Cheese  
& Strawberry Vinaigrette

**Dessert**  
Strawberry Shortcake  
with Whipped Cream

**Names, entrée choices and payment methods are required when reservations are made. 72-hour cancellation policy applies!**

*Donations of completed baskets, plants or flowers, gift cards and liquor are very much appreciated by the LWDL Committee and will be used as Opportunity Baskets and/or Silent Auction items to raise money for the enhancement of PCYC. Please mark your donation with your name and approximate value. Contributions may be left at the front desk as soon as possible, but not later than **Sunday, June 7th**. Plants and flowers or perishable food items may be dropped off on **Wednesday, June 10th**.*



## PCYC ON THE WATER SCOTT VON LANKEN

### From the Deck of Fleet Captain Scott Von Lanken

PCYC Cruisers.....this summer is jam packed full of Cruising opportunities. Take a look at the Cruises coming up over the summer and sign up now by sending an email to [fleetcaptain@pcyc.org](mailto:fleetcaptain@pcyc.org), or simply call the Front Desk.

✓ **June 20** – Picnic on Santa Cruz island. Open to ALL Club MEMBERS and Guests.

✓ **June 26-30** – Alamitos Bay, Long Beach. Cruise with us to Alamitos Bay. Enjoy the reciprocal privileges at the Long Beach Yacht Club. Explore Naples Island and the surrounding Alamitos Bay via a dinghy.. Experience a close encounter with the L.A. Harbor and the working docks. See the USS Iowa, up close, from the water.

✓ **July 10- 14** – Two Harbors Catalina. Located on Catalina’s west end, Two Harbors is a mere 22 miles from the Southern California mainland. This rustic village sits on a narrow strip of land that separates Isthmus Cove on the leeward side of the island from Catalina Harbor on the windward side. Stay in Two Harbors or Cat. Harbor, your choice.

✓ **August 5-13** – So. Cal Harbor Hop. Spend a week with us exploring multiple Harbors in Southern California. One night in Avalon. Two nights in San Diego. Two nights in Newport Harbor. One at King Harbor at the King Harbor Yacht Club Each harbor has plenty to sea...and do. Experience So. Cal from the water.

✓ **September 11-14** – Enjoy a long Weekend in Newport Beach Harbor. Reciprocal privileges at Bahia Corinthian Yacht Club. Explore the Balboa pier, The Fun Zone, The Peninsula and more.

✓ **October 15-19** – Avalon Harbor, Catalina. Landlubbers, make your hotel reservations NOW. This is the second weekend of the Jazz Festival. Weather is warm. Water is warm. It’s the perfect long weekend to explore all that Avalon has to offer. Last years activities included: Group Happy Hours, Group Dinner at the Buffalo Nickel, a Miniature Golf tournament, and a putting contest in Hamilton cove.

See you out on the Water!!  
Scott Von Lanken - PCYCFleet Captain

**Attention ALL PCYC Powerboats & Sailboats!!**

**So. Cal Harbor Hop Cruise - August 5-11**

Save the date, plan ahead and join us for a week-long cruise as we experience multiple Southern California harbors in one trip. Planning is underway for an unforgettable trip with stops in Avalon, San Diego, Mission Bay, Alamitos Bay and Redondo King Harbor.

Daily happy hours, group dinners and tours of each harbor are on the agenda. We will have more details as we get closer. Dock spaces are limited and need to be confirmed ahead of time, so sign up early to guarantee your space!

If you are interested in joining, please sign up on the bulletin board downstairs at PCYC, call the Front Desk (805-985-7292), or send an email to [fleetcaptain@pcyc.org](mailto:fleetcaptain@pcyc.org)

See you out on the water,

Scott Von Lanken  
PCYC  
Fleet Captain Power



## SEA CAVES OF CHANNEL ISLANDS NATIONAL PARK RON DREHER

Channel Islands National Park contains one of the richest concentrations of sea caves on the Pacific coast, with more than 200 navigable caves documented on Santa Cruz and Anacapa Islands alone. These caves were carved over thousands of years as Pacific swells exploited fractures, faults, and weaker bands in the islands' volcanic and sedimentary rock.

For local boaters, however, one cave stands above all the rest: Painted Cave on the northwest shore of Santa Cruz Island. Painted Cave extends roughly 1,227 feet into the island, making it



more than a quarter mile long. Its entrance rises about 150 to 160 feet above the water and spans nearly 100 feet across, dimensions large enough to swallow a tour boat and dramatic enough to leave even seasoned mariners quiet for a moment. If you don't own a boat, you can visit Painted Cave with Island Packers. I have done this and they actually took the boat into the cave. Of course, the conditions have to be perfect for this.

Sea caves begin as weaknesses in coastal cliffs. Waves force water and compressed air into cracks, gradually prying rock apart and carrying away loosened fragments. Over time, those narrow fractures widen into chambers, tunnels, and sometimes complex cave systems with multiple openings. At the Channel Islands, the process is amplified by exposed shorelines, persistent swell, steep cliffs, and rock that is heavily fractured in places. Painted Cave is thousands of years in the making!

Painted Cave owes its name to the colorful mineral stains, algae, and lichen that mark its walls and ceiling. In spring, visitors may also find a seasonal waterfall spilling over the entrance, adding another layer of spectacle to an already theatrical setting. The cave is not simply large by California standards; it is widely recognized as one of the largest sea caves in the world and among the largest in the United States.

That distinction deserves careful wording, because sea caves can be ranked in different ways: by length, chamber volume, entrance size, or overall height. Oregon's Sea Lion Caves is often cited as America's largest sea cave by chamber size, but Painted Cave remains one of the nation's most impressive by length and one of the world's great sea caves by any practical measure.

Painted Cave is one of nature's most significant sea caves, located approximately twenty-five miles depending on the point of departure from Ventura or CIH. Go check it out.



**PCYF NEWS**  
**S/C ROBERT ALEXANDER**

From the Helm of the PCYF

Summer is in full swing at the Pacific Corinthian Youth Foundation, and the docks are buzzing with the energy of our young sailors. As we move into July, I wanted to take a moment to provide an update on summer enrollment.

At PCYF, our mission has always been to make sailing accessible to every child, regardless of their financial situation. However, the demand for scholarships has surged alongside our enrollment.

Currently, scholarship requests are outpacing our available funds, and we have unfortunately had to put several deserving applicants on hold. We believe that no child should be left on the dock because of a lack of funding.

**How You Can Help: Support a Student**

To clear our waitlist and ensure these students can join us this summer, we are asking for your additional support. We have found that it truly takes **\*\*two weeks\*\*** for a student to gain the

confidence and skill set required to master the basics of sailing.

***If you are in a position to help, please consider sponsoring a sailor:***

**\$400.00** – Supports one student for one week of instruction.

**\$775.00** – Supports one student for two weeks, providing the full experience needed to learn to sail.

Your contributions go directly toward tuition, ensuring that our local youth can experience the discipline, teamwork, and joy that comes with being on the water.

Thank you for your continued dedication to the PCYF and for helping us keep our programs inclusive and thriving.

Fair winds,

Robert Alexander  
President, PCYF





## **50TH ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE DORIS MELILLO**

*(Continued from May)*

"Turn of the Century" – 2000 – 2009

Staff Commodore Floyd Woodcock had been an integral founding member of the Club and the chair of the Bylaws Committee since the Club's inception; however, in 2001 he resigned from that committee. The Board of Directors felt indebted to Floyd for his twenty-five years of service and granted him a Lifetime Membership in the Club.

### **THE MAN BEHIND BILL'S BAR**

Another integral individual was William Roy Foster, our beloved Bar Manager for nearly 25 years. Bill was a staple of PCYC history. On August 10, 2005, after discovering lung cancer, he passed away in just a few weeks. Over the many years he was with us, Bill enjoyed sharing his life experiences, including stories from before PCYC was in our current building. Bill endeared himself to all of us with his gift of listening with genuine care and concern. As remembered by our former General Manager, Michel, at the time of Bill's passing: "Bill was the warmest colleague and friend, a person with enormous integrity experience and self-confidence. Bill always had a great presence behind the bar. He was the real guardian of the gate."

After Bill's passing in 2005, our Commodore at that time, Sam Peck, named Bill's dearly beloved area of service, Bill's Bar, and, following that, the design and dedication of Bill's Bar-stained glass which, appropriately is behind our current bar.

### **OUR ENTRANCE**

Our entryway with etched glass doors was donated to the Club by the Ladies Who Do Lunch Committee in 2007. Commodore at that time, Martha Jean Geisler, had her glass company create the doors which incorporate our Club bullion design for PCYC.

### **RENOVATION PROJECT**

In 2008, the Club's Strategic Planning Committee determined that the Club had served us well over three decades and like our own personal homes, deserved attention. It was time to stop the recurring leaks in the dining room ceiling. It was necessary to make accommodations for members who didn't get around as well as before, and it was certainly time to implement some of the ideas members had made in making the Club more functional and aesthetic. The Board of Directors agreed.

This first major facelift of the facility since the Club held its Grand Opening in 1985 was underway.

The entire second story bar room and outer deck were expanded an additional 2400 square feet. The bar, located near where the fire pit is now, was moved over against the East wall, where it currently is located.

Leadership during these beginning years of the twentieth-first century, included commodores : Josette Schaffner ('00), Warren Totten ('01), Walt Wosicki ('02), Graham Wilson ('03), Jim Curley ('04), Sam Peck ('05), Lee Fleischer ('06), Martha Jean Geisler ('07), Jim Henry ('08), & Don Yokaitis (09).



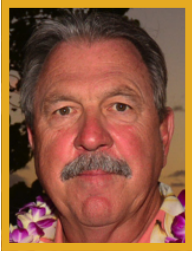
## **FIESTA DE MAYO KAREN MCCARLEY**

A warm and heartfelt thank you to Dan and Cynthia Guinnip for coordinating such a joyful Fiesta de Mayo celebration. It was a truly delightful evening filled with wonderful friends, delicious food, and the lively Latin sounds of the talented Heart & Soul band. The dance floor was full of energy as members celebrated into the night.

Special thanks as well to Gwen and her staff for their gracious hospitality and service, and to Rafael and his team for serving such a delicious and memorable feast.

# ***Fiesta de Mayo***





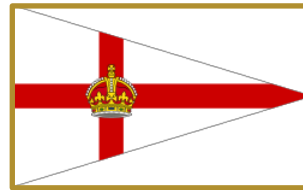
## PCYC ON THE WATER RICHARD DEAN

### "SOME "YACHTING HISTORY"

In 1660, Charles II was proclaimed King of England. A yacht designed and built by the Dutch was presented to the King as a coronation gift. This was the first English-owned yacht. In 1720, the Water Club of Cork, Ireland, was started. While not called a yacht club, it was actually the first such club continuously organized. In reality, it was a coast guard and cruising association. The club was limited to 25 members and developed formal protocol including a dress code. Many of our protocols date back to the Water Club of Cork. For 45 years, there was no other club. The Water Club of Cork became the Royal Cork Yacht Club in 1828. The first yacht club was not Dutch, from where the word yacht derived, nor English, but Irish.

In 1775, England's first yacht club, the Cumberland Fleet, was formed. Early races had no rules and were more like naval combat, complete with cutlasses and slashing of lines. In 1815, The yacht club, now known as the Royal Yacht Squadron, was formed and was headquartered on the Isle of Wight. Membership was very restrictive. "He must be adequately well born. He must be a good companion. He must be able to get tight without becoming disagreeable, or he must get tight and go to sleep". 1834 saw the beginning of breaking

fleets into classes and a rudimentary handicapping system was developed. In 1836, the Royal Yacht Squadron



*Royal Yacht Squadron Burgee*

inaugurated Cowes Week and instituted the first racing rule - port gives way to starboard.

Meanwhile, it is believed the Dutch living in the United States were doing some racing by 1717 in boats used for pleasure sailing. The first recognized American yacht was "Cleopatra's Barge" in 1816, which was certainly a yacht. She was an 83-footer with a 23-foot beam and was exclusively used for pleasure both in the U.S. and Europe. Several yacht clubs were started in the U.S. during the 1820s and 30s but none remained in operation.

In the afternoon of 30 July 1844, nine men gathered in the main cabin of the schooner "Gimcrac" and formed the New York Yacht Club with John C. Stevens as Commodore.

The first clubhouse was established at Elysian Field. In 1868, the NYYC had grown to 22 members, moved to Clifton, Staten Island, and also established city quarters on Madison Avenue and 27th Street. Economic difficulties forced the closure of the Clifton facilities.

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In 1898, J.P. MORGAN donated the land for a permanent clubhouse on 5th Avenue and 44th Street. The clubhouse was commissioned in 1901. During this period, yachting was expanding. The 1881 Lloyd Register listed 21 American yacht clubs.

The first racing rules were established in 1855 as the Thames Measurement. They were based on rules formulated by the British Parliament in 1694 and amended in 1773. Long narrow boats became the vogue since these rules yielded a larger boat for the same tonnage. The United States led in building fast boats. This was the result of building vessels for smuggling

activities along with revenue cutters to catch the smugglers.

In the first NYYC race in 1844, a time allowance of 48 seconds per ton was established. We can date racing in a form recognizable to us today from about the 1870s. In 1875, there were 49 yacht clubs in the British Isles, but no overall racing authority. On November 17, 1875, the Royal Yacht Squadron, the Royal Northern and the Royal Thames Yacht Clubs produced a set of rules. This formed the nucleus of a Yacht Racing Association, which later became IYRU, now, ISAF, which brings us into the modern era."



## NEW MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

Let's welcome new member **Sue Gallagher!** We asked her to describe WHY she joined PCYC and this is what she told us:

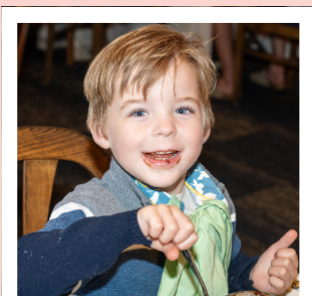
*incentive to spend more time in Oxnard at PCYC where I look forward to joining Book Club and assisting with events."*

*"Becoming involved, meeting new friends, and being able to attend social events with long time friends that are already PCYC members is my main goal. As a former boat owner, starting with a drag racing boat in the 1960's as members of NOBA, then progressing to a water ski boat, the then moving on to becoming a member of Venice Yacht Club in 1970 with a Power Yacht, and then onto becoming a founding member of HIYC with an Electric boat....boating has always been a part of our lives.*

*I am still working in the San Fernando Valley in our HVAC business and I see joining PCYC as my*



# Mother's Day Fun





# MEMBER BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

## JUNE BIRTHDAYS

Tim Cox ..... 1	Eric Ekeberg .....9	Diana Hill ..... 18
Tami Osborn ..... 1	Linda Sheftz .....11	Sandi Pierce ..... 18
Thomas Carmody .....2	Laurie Weiss .....11	Gerald Northcutt ..... 19
Sandy Dal Pozzo .....2	Marisa Jackson .....11	Kathy Henry .....22
Connie Consie .....3	Casey Schneberg ..... 12	Thomas Kearney .....22
Mike Green .....3	Chris Passalaqua ..... 12	Mindy Leunis .....22
Jack Schuler .....3	Karen Schmidt ..... 13	Debbie Gayhart .....23
Marc Charney .....3	John Nicolard..... 13	Liam Sherlock .....23
Patricia Carmody .....4	Nancy Horwitz ..... 15	Connie Sedacca .....24
Kristie Jo Salmen .....4	Kelly Michon..... 15	Mary Harrell .....25
Steven Mandel .....4	Jeanette Pensinger ..... 15	Randy Moberg.....26
Erith Catlett .....5	Beatrice Harendza-Harinxma ..15	Klaus Sunder .....26
John Gaddis .....7	Russell Schoonover ..... 16	Gary Pierce .....26
John Tonge .....7	Brent Sheftz..... 16	Michael Hogan.....27
Rodney Gleicher .....7	Michael Becker ..... 17	Jeff Bronte .....28
Susan Pollard .....8	Marie Haase ..... 17	Janet Seitz .....30
June Wilson .....8	Abraham Eykjian ..... 18	

## JUNE ANNIVERSARIES

Thomas & Patricia Carmody .....2	Jan Coleman & Dan Corrigan ..... 16
Anthony & Janice Argall ..... 4	Gene & Trish Vernon .....18
Marvin & Karen Hatch ..... 5	Mark Slothower & Tina McKnight ..... 18
Pamela & Clifford Cole ..... 6	Gerald & Deborah Northcutt ..... 19
Dick & Edie Brow .....7	John & Jennifer Buckley ..... 22
Bruno & Ellen Tonin ..... 8	Tim & Mary Cox ..... 24
John & Dawn Vanacore ..... 8	Andrea & Kenneth Lee ..... 24
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