

**1910-2010 CELEBRATING OUR 100 YEAR ANNIVERSARY**

# OTTAWA RIVER YACHT CLUB

NORTHWEST OHIO'S LARGEST CLUB OF BOATING ENTHUSIASTS



# THE MUDHUMP

**5844 Edgewater Drive, Toledo, Ohio 43611**

**Latitude 41.725, Longitude -83.468**

**Phone 419-729-9421**

**June 2010**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Mills Race

5 Club Poker Run

100 Year Pig Roast

TSC Regatta

CCYC Regatta

ORYC at Put-in-Bay

Mudhump deadline  
is the 20th of the  
month

Check out the  
details inside this  
issue!

## 2010 ORYC Officers

**Commodore:** Tim Crites

**Vice Commodore:** Terry Trimmer

**Rear Commodore:** Dennis Murphy Sr.

**Fleet Captain:** Donald Schuster

**Financial Secretary:** Dave Erdman

**Recording Secretary:** Glen Shearer

**Treasurer:** Skip Show

## ORYC Board of Directors

**Dock Master:** Sean Driscoll

**Yard Master:** Geoffrey Brewer

**Entertainment:** Scott Secord

**Publicity:** Bob Jones

**Houseman:**

## ORYC Appointments

**Security:** Jay Bladel

**Sergeant-at-Arms:** Tom Golupski

**Historian:** John Achinger

## ORYC Delegates

**AYC Delegates:** Rich Vail,

Terry Trimmer, Donald Schuster

**ILYA Delegate:** Rich Vail

**ILYA Alternate:** Jim Kessler

## 2010 Ladies Auxiliary Officers

**President:** Connie Brewer

**First Vice:** Cheryl Martin

**Second Vice:** Missy Wallace

**Second Vice:** Holly Ellerbush

**Treasurer:** Jennifer Wyszumiala

**Financial Secretary:** Tricia Dunn

**Recording Secretary:** Ronni Wolfe

## Ladies Auxiliary Board of Directors

**Flower Person:** Rosemary Hepfinger

**One Year Board:**

**Two Year Board:** Denise Bladel, Debbie Trimmer

**AFFILIATED WITH A.Y.C / I.L.Y.A. & W.L.E.C.A.**



# From the Commodore

Things are moving fast here at the club. Are you ready for the warmth of the summer sun? I am... We've already been to many parties including ORYC's Uno De Mayo and the workers appreciation party. I even went with my class of 2010s (Perfect 10's that is) to Delas taco night and Cinco De Mayo at HVYC where they actually had to

buy more food for the huge gang that showed up.

The ORYC 100 year Gala golf outing fund raiser was a big success and the Steak/Chicken roast afterward was great. I'd like to thank all the hard workers who helped chair these events and the men who rebuilt the patio grill. The burners are now closer to the grill top and our food cooks faster.

I'd like to thank the members who are showing up to the Regular club meetings and now that warmer weather is here more people are coming to those meetings. It helps when we have your input. It's your club...

The docks are filling up with boats and its beginning to look a lot like a yacht club again.

The out pouring of love was evident as the Benefit for Ted Turner was a big success. Thanks to all the volunteers and donations for this event.

I'd like to thank all the board members who are sticking by me with the ORYC Face book site. If you have anything you would like posted on the site please E-mail me at Captaintim57@hotmail.com or call me...

By now we should have the new AYC year books in behind the bar. Please get your copy for all the Clubs activities and poker run schedules for the 2010 year. We have a new updated full page ad this year for ORYC. This year's full page ad and art work was paid for by your Commodore.

Things coming up soon are as follows;

Board meeting 6/2/10  
Mills race party 6/3/10 TYC  
Mills race start 6/4/10 near Toledo Harbor light  
5 club poker run 6/5/10  
Regular club Meeting 8:00pm.  
100 year gala fund raiser pig roast 6/12/10  
TSC Regatta 6/18-19/10  
CCYC Regatta 6/18-19-/10  
Regular club meeting 8:00pm.  
ORYC Rendezvous at Put-In-Bay 6/25-26-27/10

See you around the club, Commodore Tim Crites



### *From the Vice Commodore - Terry Trimmer*

The regatta is right around the corner. Remember, this is a major fund raiser for OUR CLUB. We need everyone's help. Worker sign-up sheets will be posted by 6-15.

I hope everyone is enjoying the nice weather we've been having lately. Debbie and I hope to see you around the club and out on the lake. There is a lot happening this time of the year, so come down and have some fun.

**PARKING FOR  
REAR  
COMMODORE  
ONLY**

### *From the Rear Commodore - Dennis Murphy Old*

June is here and the boats are moving by now, sure was a wet spring, but a lot of great things happening at the club with more coming up in June so check out the Mud Hump and the bulletin board at the club.

This is our 100 year anniversary with a lot of great things scheduled to happen. Brandy Alexander's are back for the summer plus other cool cocktails for your pleasure. Come out and enjoy your membership plus the best club on Lake Erie!

# Bulletin Board

- \* **General club meetings are held two times a month and are open to all members. You should plan on attending at least one meeting per month to have a voice in the decisions that are being made. This is YOUR club! Check the calendar for dates & times!**
- \* **Volunteers are still needed for the "Breakfast Club!" This is much needed income for our club & is a great opportunity to get your club work hours in. We now have a fourth team but still need people to work. See the sign up sheet on the bulletin board to help out!**
- \* **We are now looking for a House Committee Chairman (Houseman). The Houseman is responsible for our building and grounds. He will formulate rules, suggest repairs and improvements and supervise their execution.**
- \* **Point Place Business Association online Calendar of events can be found at [PPBAonline.com](http://PPBAonline.com)**
- \* **Help is needed setting up the float for the Point Place Parade - June 4th, please see Captain Rick Knapp**

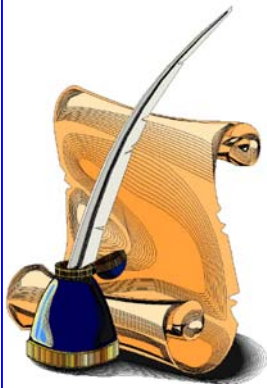


### ***From the Fleet Captain - Donald Schuster (Shuey)***

We had a great turnout at the Memorial service and the other events in May, now that June is here we'd like to keep the momentum going with the following events:

The 5 Club Poker Run on 6-5  
Opening of the Islands on 6-12  
Put-in-Bay trip 6-25, 6-26, 6-27

Come down to the club, and have a good time!



### ***From the Editor - Bob Jones***

So much to do, so little time. The year is passing by quickly and June is already here, time to enjoy the summer, the water, and the club. Come on down and get involved in some of the 100 year anniversary celebrations! Get to know some new people and make some new friends, or catch up with old friends.

There is a poem titled, "Success," that contains the lines, "Live well, laugh often, love much," after all, Isn't that what makes a good life? Take care everyone, enjoy the summer, have fun, be safe and God bless.

# ORYC 100th ANNIVERSARY YEAR

## **OTTAWA RIVER YACHT CLUB CELEBRATES 100 YEAR ANNIVERSARY!**

Watch for 100 year celebration events!! These events will raise money for our 100 year Gala scheduled for October 30, 2010.

### **Upcoming events include:**

- 100 year Pig Roast – Saturday June 12, 2010
- 100 year Reverse Raffle – Saturday September 11, 2010
- 100 year Gala – Saturday October 30, 2010

**Watch for 100 year T-Shirts on sale soon!**

**100 year limited edition burgees are available now in the Ships Store.**



# MEMORIAL POEMS & BLESSINGS

## **The Unknown Shore**

Sometime at Eve when the tide is low  
I shall slip my moorings and sail away  
With no response to a friendly hail  
In the silent hush of the twilight pale  
When the night stoops down to embrace the  
day  
And the voices call in the water's flow

Sometime at Eve When the water is low  
I shall slip my moorings and sail away.  
Through purple shadows  
That darkly trail o'er the ebbing tide  
And the Unknown Sea,  
And a ripple of waters' to tell the tale  
Of a lonely voyager sailing away  
To mystic isles  
Where at anchor lay  
The craft of those who had sailed before  
O'er the Unknown Sea  
To the Unknown Shore

A few who watched me sail away  
Will miss my craft from the busy bay  
Some friendly barques were anchored near  
Some loving souls my heart held dear  
In silent sorrow will drop a tear  
But I shall have peacefully furled my sail  
In mooring sheltered from the storm and gale  
And greeted friends who had sailed before  
O'er the Unknown Sea  
To the Unknown Shore

## **Blessing**

May the light of love shine forth on you, on those for whom you care and on those who care for you.

May you be ever blessed with peace and understanding as you travel through your life and may you come to the end of your journey in gentleness and joy.

## **I am there** *by Iris Hesselden*

Look for me when the tide is high  
And the gulls are wheeling overhead  
When the autumn wind sweeps the cloudy  
sky  
And one by one the leaves are shed  
Look for me when the trees are bare  
And the stars are bright in the frosty sky  
When the morning mist hangs on the air  
And shorter darker days pass by.

I am there, where the river flows  
And salmon leap to a silver moon  
Where the insects hum and the tall grass  
grows  
And sunlight warms the afternoon  
I am there in the busy street  
I take your hand in the city square  
In the market place where the people meet  
In your quiet room – I am there

I am the love you cannot see  
And all I ask is – look for me.

## **Gaelic Blessing**

May the road rise to meet you  
May the wind be always at your back  
May the sun shine warm upon your face  
May the rain fall softly on your fields  
Until we meet again  
May God hold you in the hollow of his  
hand.

**Waypoint list: (Note: List is to be used as a GUIDE only) compliments of Captain Rick Knapp**

This list was compiled over the years using a Loran C, GPS and Charts, Shoals may now exist, and buoys moved, landmark changes might also have changed.

**Please always use an up to date Chart as a true guide.**

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| <b>Wpt #1. Bay Point:</b><br>(Woodtick Peninsula)<br>Lat: 41 44' 17" N<br>Lon: 083 25' 27" W   | <b>#10. Cooley Canal Y.C.</b><br>Lat: 41 40' 85" N<br>Lon: 083 14' 05" W<br>Wards Canal  | <b>#19. Cleveland Ohio:</b><br>Lat: 41 30' 8" N<br>Lon: 081 43' 1" W<br>West entrance                    |
| <b>#2. Amherst burg Ont./Livingston channel,</b><br>Lat: 42 02' 20" N<br>Lon: 083 08' 10 W<br>Livingston to Port / Amherst burg to Starboard (going North) | <b>#11. West Harbor/ Catawba Island:</b><br>Lat: 41 34' 3"N<br>Lon: 082 48' 6" W<br>Wpt. is approx. ¼ mile off entrance                                | <b>#20. Cleveland Ohio:</b><br>Lat: 41 32' 7" N<br>Lon: 081 38' 77 W<br>East entrance                    |
| <b>#3. Swan Boat Club;</b><br>Lat: 41 58' 02" N<br>Lon: 083 13' 37" W<br>aprox. 1000 ft ESE of channel entrance  | <b>#12. East Harbor:</b><br>Lat: 41 32' 8" N<br>Lon: 082 46' 8" W<br>Look for R&G Light entrance   | <b>#21. Fairport Harbor:</b><br>Lat: 41 46' 6 N<br>Lon: 081 16' 9" W                                     |
| <b>#4. Detroit Beach Boat Club:</b><br>Lat: 41 55' 20" N<br>Lon: 083 19' 00" W<br>Entrance to Breast Bay/Sandy Creek                                       | <b>#13. Sandusky Bay/ Cedar Point</b><br>Lat: 41 29' 41" N<br>Lon: 082 41' 86" W   | <b>#22. Erie Pa./ Presque</b><br>Lat: 42 11' 20" N<br>1 ½ N of channel ent.<br>Lon: 080 02' 25" W        |
| <b>#5. Monroe Channel River Raisin:</b><br>Lat: 41 52' 5" N<br>Lon: 083 16' 8" W<br>Clam Digger's  | <b>#14. Kelley's &amp; Marble Head</b><br>Lat: 41 33'56" N<br>Lon: 082 43' 00" W<br>South Passage  | <b>#23. Port Colborne</b><br>Lat: 42 50' 5" N<br>Entrance to Weland canal<br>Lon: 079 15' 8" W           |
| <b>#6. Monroe Boat Club:</b><br>Lat: 41 51' 4" N<br>Lon: 083 22' 3 W<br>Bolles Harbor  | <b>#15. Huron Ohio:</b><br>Lat: 41 24'7" N<br>½ mile off ent. On range 216<br>Lon: 082 32' 1" W  | <b>#24. Erieau Ont.:</b><br>Lat: 42 15' 3" N<br>Rondieu Harbor<br>Lon: 081 54' 8" W                      |
| <b>#7. Toledo Beach:</b><br>Lat: 41 49' 38" N<br>Lon: 083 24' 3" W   | <b>#16. Vermilion Ohio:</b><br>Lat: 41 25' 9" N<br>Lon: 082 22' 3" W<br>Approx. 2000' NW of end of detached break wall, follow Course to channel bend. | <b>#25. Leamington Ont.:</b><br>Lat: 42 00' 5" N<br>Lon: 082 35' 9" W                                    |
| <b>#8. Toledo Harbor Light:</b><br>Lat: 41 45' 45" N<br>Lon: 083 19' 74" W   | <b>#17. Lorain Ohio:</b><br>Lat: 41 28'8 N<br>Lon: 082 12' 3" W<br>Approx ½ mile WNW of lt. On range of 105 T  | <b>#26. Port Clinton:</b><br>Lat: 41 31' 5" N<br>Portage River 202 T<br>Lon: 082 55' 9" W                |
| <b>#9. Anchor Point:</b><br>Lat: 41 40' 85" N<br>Lon: 083 17' 11" W  | <b>#18. Avon Pt.</b><br>Lat: 41 32'1" N<br>Lon: 082 00' 0" W   | <b>#27. Put in Bay:</b><br>Lat: 41 39' 8" N<br>Wpt is aprox.1 mile SE of Rattlesnake<br>Lon: 082 51'6" W |
|  |  | <b>#28. Kelley's Island:</b><br>Lat: 41 35' 72" N<br>SW corner of Kelley's<br>Lon: 082 44' 43" W         |

#29. Ballast Island Channel  
Lat: 41 40' 34" N  
SE corner of Ballest Island  
Lon: 082 46' 93" W

#30. Luna Pier Marina:  
Lat: 41 48' 29" N  
Lon: 083 25' 93" W

#31. Turtle Island:  
Lat: 41 44' 77" N  
SW Corner  
Lon: 083 23' 57" W

#32. Toledo Channel Radar:  
Lat: 41 44' 21" N  
29 & 30 Buoy  
Lon: 083 22 40" W

#33. N. Bass/M. Bass Islands  
Lat: 41 42' 0 N  
West entrance passage  
Lon: 082 50' 0" W

#34 N. Bass/M. Bass Island  
Lat: 41 42' 1" N  
East entrance passage  
Lon: 082 45" 9" W  
Due N of #1 gn fl.4 sec. Buoy

#35. Conneaut Oh.  
Lat: 41 59' 3" N  
½ mile due N of entrance  
Lon: 080 47' 7" W

#36. Port Weller  
Lat: 43 16' 9" N  
Reporting Lt. Black & White stripes  
Lon: 079 12' 8" W

#37. Fort Mississauga Light  
Lat: 43 15' 7" N  
Lon: 079 04' 6" W

#38. Ontario Place  
Lat: 43 37' 2" N  
Lon: 079 25' 2" W

#39. Niagara on the Lake  
Lat: 43 16' 3" N  
Lon: 079 04' 50" W

#40. Dunkirk NY  
Lat: 42 30' 8" N  
Lon: 079 21' 3" W

#41. Port Stanley  
Lat: 42 37' 3" N  
Lon: 081 12' 0" W

#42. Chagrin River  
Lat: 41 40' 61" N  
W pier Lt. Red.  
Lon: 081 26' 26" W

#43. Long Point Ont.  
Lat: 42 25' 00 N  
going E or W course change S  
Lon: 080 00' 0" W

#44. Cleveland intake crib lt.  
Lat: 41 32' 90" N  
Lon: 081 45' 03" W

#45. Elba Mar BC  
Lat: 42 00' 55" N  
entrance buoy #5 gn.  
Lon: 083 09' 51" W

#46. Stony Point  
Lat: 42 04' 45" N  
Lon: 083 09' 20" W

#47. Jefferson Beach  
Lat: 42 28' 03" N  
Lon: 082 52' 52" W

#48. Detroit River Harbor Lt.  
Lat: 42 00' 05 N  
Lon: 083 08' 47" W

#49. JRSC Race buoy #2  
Lat: 41 43' 68" N  
aprox. ½ mile E of LP  
Lon: 083 25' 77" W

#50. JRSC Race buoy #1  
Lat: 41 43' 66" N  
aprox ¼ mile E of Bay point  
Lon: 083 25' 84" W

#51. Thames River  
Lat: 42 20' 69" N  
Entrance to Lon: 082 28' 65" W

#52. St Clair cut off  
Lat: 42 30' 50" N  
On International line #2 R  
Lon: 082 41' 90" W

#53. Sawmill Creek  
Lat: 41 25' 07" N  
aprox ½ mile NE fl g & fl r  
Lon: 082 35 53 W

#54. Detroit River #2 r  
Lat: 42 21' 92" N  
going South from St Clair  
Lon: 082 53' 91" W

#55. Belle River  
Lat: 41 34' 28" N  
Lon: 082 42' 57" W

#56. Metropolitan Beach/Point  
Huron Lat: 42 33' 84" N  
Lon: 082 46' 61" W

#57. St Clair River  
Lat: 43 01' 92" N  
entrance off Lake Huron  
Lon: 082 25' 08" W

#58. Turtle Island  
Lat: 41 44' 77" N  
SE corner Lon: 083 23' 57" W

#59. Rocky River  
Lat: 41 29' 7" N  
Lon: 081 50' 7" W

Toledo RR Bridges Channel 14  
North to South  
1. CSX  
2. Norfolk/Southern (N/S Bridge)  
3. Norfolk/Southern (N/S Bridge  
South)

**Safe Travels, compliments of:**

**Captain Rick Knapp  
(29 year, 100 Ton Masters  
license)**

# AROUND THE CLUB

If you haven't been to the club lately, here's some of what you missed!

## Member appreciation dinner



## That's why its called the MUDHUMP!



## NEW MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

ORYC would like to welcome these new members! Make sure you say "hello" and introduce yourself if you see them around the club!



Name - Adam Owens  
Occupation - Driver



Name - Jim Salyer  
Boat - 21' Wellcraft

Do you know a friend or relative that would be a great addition to the ORYC? We are actively looking for new members and have great incentives for joining. See an officer if you have any questions.

### **\*MUDHUMP CORRECTION\***

My apologies to Jim Salyer for missing him in last months Mudhump as a new member. Welcome aboard Jim!