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# DIXON BOAT CLUB NEWS

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## General Membership Meeting

There will be another First Aid class and training on the defib machine in the future. If you are interested, let commodore Charlie Clarke **707-451-3392** know or Secretary John Thompson **916-568-0897**. The time will be announced next month.

A word of caution. Bob Lord safety chair reported that many people are once again hitting the turn at the Vallejo Pump Station at full throttle. This is a blind turn and people need to slow down for it. We have had some near misses recently. There is a huge potential for injury and damage at this spot. Stay safe out there. Free dinners were awarded to Bob Lord, Tim Yearnshaw and Larry Nixon for attending four meetings in a row.

Tom Raycraft won \$50 dollars by attending the meeting when his membership number was drawn. There are many benefits to attending the meetings. This was just icing on the cake.

## Workdays

The workday this month will be Saturday January 20 at 8 A.M. to help with dinner setup and general grounds up keep. Any questions call Dave Burke **530-753-8264** or Larry Nixon **707-446-9711**. You don't have to wait for an official workday. There is still a list of projects on the wall by the entrance if you want to have a go at one or two. Also Bob Lord always will have a suggestion with what you can do.

## Derby Schedule

Thank you to Derby chair Bob Lord and the breakfast crew, Mike Caponio, Mike Nease, Ed Schumacher, and Jim Kincaid

Sorry no results for last month's derby.

The next Derby will be January 6. As usual there will be 2 categories: drawn slot small and large weight. Cost will be \$5 dollars per category. Derby times are from 7:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Breakfast will be served from 6:00 A.M. to 7:00 A.M. \$5 dollars for breakfast.

Future Derby's

February 10

March 10

## Fish and Game Report Cards

Don't forget to fill out you DFG report cards for Steelhead, Sturgeon and North Coast Salmon.

## Kids Christmas Dinner

Thank you Connie Smith and Company for another great Kids Christmas Dinner. Connie thanked everyone profusely, and they were, Bob and Jamie Dessel, Tony and Cathy Anderson, Annette and Mark Thibodeau, Jim and Marda Henry, Tom Holmgren, Tom Johnson, Lee Denning, Sally Negroni and Larry Nixon.

## Commodores New York Steak Dinner

The Commodores' Dinner will be on Saturday January 20. Come on out and help honor our past Commodores, see all your old friends and eat the best New York Steak. Incoming Rear Commodore Ed LaRue (**707-372-5240**) will be hosting this year's Commodores Dinner, and could use some help. If you would like to help, come out to the Clubhouse at 8:00 A.M. Saturday morning. Also bartenders are needed for that evening, call Paul or Sandy Berry (**707-592-4116**).

## 2018 Dinner Schedule

January	Commodores New York Steak Dinner by Ed LaRue
February	Pork Butts Dinner by Paul Berry
March	Fish Dinner by Eben Stevens
April	Cornish Game Hens by Paul Costa
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## Commodores Farewell

Charlie Clark out going Commodore thanked everyone for all the help in getting the Clubhouse and grounds put back together after the February floods. He said that a monumental amount of work had been accomplished by all the volunteers, and again thanked all those that helped.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

January 6	Fish Derby 6:00 A.M. Breakfast 7:00 A.M. Fish Derby
January 20	Commodores Dinner 5:30 No Host Bar 6:30 Dinner
January 25	6:30 P.M. Board of Directors
February 1	6:30 P.M. General Membership Meeting

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### The one that got away New Years Day



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### Wind Forecasts and Current Conditions

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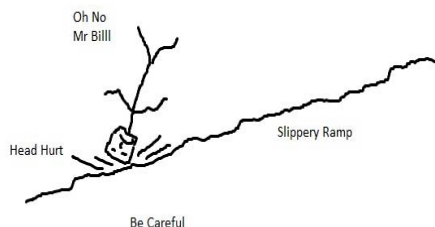
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## General Membership Meeting

A couple of reminders. When you bring a guest it is your responsibility to make sure they sign the guest book. This isn't a suggestion. Because we have a liquor license it is mandatory that non-members sign in. The other matter is minors at the bar. They are allowed to come in and get a soda but they cannot remain seated at the bar for any more time than it takes to get served the soda.

A word of caution. Bob Lord safety chair reported that the ramp is very slippery. He is working on getting something to remediate this, but in the meantime be very careful when launching or retrieving your boat, particularly at low tide. Below is what happened to Bill Wentworth when trying to retrieve his boat.



Free dinners were awarded to Ed La Rue, Gil Molina, Tony Robben, Connie Smith and Rosie Tamplen for attending four meetings in a row.

Dion Davies lost \$10 dollars by not attending the meeting when his membership number was drawn.

## Workdays

The workday this month will be Saturday February 17 at 8 A.M. to help with dinner setup and general grounds up keep. Any questions call Dave Burke **530-753-8264** or Larry Nixon **707-446-9711**. You don't have to wait for an official workday. There is still a list of projects on the wall by the entrance if you want to have a go at one or two. Also Bob Lord always will have a suggestion with what you can do.

Thanks to Tony Robben, Dave Morris and Willie Raycraft for spraying the parking lot for weeds. This should take care of the Parking lot for a good long while. Thank you to Joe Soares and Bob Lord for maintaining the electrical panel. Also

acknowledgements to Rick O'Neill and Bob Lord for pouring concrete.

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Pork Butts Dinner

Paul and Sandy Berry will be sponsoring the February Dinner for the third year. Their menu will include Pork shoulder, Sandy's famous mac and cheese, red potatoes, beans, salad and rolls. Mark your calendar February 17 at 6:30P.M. As always Paul will be needing lots of help you can call him at **707-592-4116**.

## Derby Schedule

Thank you to Derby chair Bob Lord and the breakfast crew, for serving 25 breakfasts, Mike Caponio, Mike Nease, Ed Schumacher, John Howell, Ed Hipol and Jim Kincaid

Results for last month's derby Manny Bettencourt took small slot fish whilst Joe Gallegos took the large slot. The next Derby will be February 10. As usual there will be 2 categories: drawn slot small and large weight. Cost will be \$5 dollars per category. Derby times are from 7:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Breakfast will be served from 6:00 A.M. to 7:00 A.M. \$5 dollars for breakfast.

## Future Derby

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## Commodores New York Steak Dinner

Rear Commodore Ed LaRue confessed he didn't have any idea what he was doing putting on the Commodores dinner. But he learned quickly and did an excellent job of putting on the Commodore Dinner. Kudos Ed. It was a pretty tough job with over 150 dinners served. Thanks also to those that brought it all together Gerald and Patty Dawson, David Burke, Gilbert Delgado, Fred Danbacher, Rudy Palacios, Steve Bera, Larry Nixon, Mike Caponio, Tom Johnson, Bob Lord, Elmer, Mike and Jimmy Kitchen, Jim and Colleen Tenbrink, Ron and Barb Bagwell, Tom Raycraft, Nicki and Tom Martinez, Adolf Hintz, Armando Lozano, Paul and Sandy Berry, and Rosie Tamplen.

## Raffle

Ed LaRue and John Kett, who are starting their third year as Raffle Chair, announced that at the next meeting they would be raffling off 5 rod and reel combos. As you probably know these are not Walmart specials but quality stuff. See you there.

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February 22	6:30 P.M. Board of Directors
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### Law Enforcement

As mentioned in previous newsletters there have been some confrontations with people fishing from the Shag Slough Bridge, and others with people dangerously target practicing. To be clear, it is illegal to be fishing from the bridge or to send bullets across the sloughs. Your best bet if you run in to problems on the water is to call Solano Dispatch **707-421-7090**. Make sure when they ask your location to tell them you are in a boat. There is also a marine patrol number, but if they aren't on the water you most likely won't be able to contact them. Just have this number in your phone for easy reference.

### Dinners 2018

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## Welcome New Members

Welcome to new members Mike Raycraft and Garret Pryor who came in under the 18 year old rule. For those of you that don't know what that is. "Section 10 Dependents of members, between the age of eighteen (18) and the age of nineteen (19), have an opportunity to apply for a Membership application without the obligation of a new applicant's initiation fee. A written request from the Primary member parent/guardian, must be submitted to the Board of Directors for review. Upon meeting all requirements, the dependent's request will be presented to the Membership at the next General Membership meeting for approval. Upon approval, the dependent will not be put on a waiting list, and initiation fees will be waived. Payment in full for Membership dues and the ticket packet for the November Dinner Dance will be required. The new member will receive a Membership card and a copy of the Club's By-Laws. From that point on, the new member will be responsible for all other Membership obligations as per application."

## Congratulations

Congratulations to Rich Reeser who was nominated and elected to become a Lifetime Member.

## General Membership Meeting

Sandy Berry announced that they have new duck camo ball caps, t-shirts and sweatshirts. They are available at all Club functions.

If you attended the last 2 dinners you will know there were issues with the sewer backing up. It has been discovered that there is a collapsed sewer line.

Hopefully it can be fixed before the next dinner. If you would like to help, call Port Captain Bob Lord, **707-635-3995**. Also another project Bob is working on that he could use some help with is grinding and scarifying the boat ramp, during a low tide. Give him a call.

Free dinners were awarded to Paul Berry, Ron Brown, Pat Burley, Charlie Clark, Bill Griffith, Al Manietta, Steve Meitner, George Smith, John Thompson and Bill Wentworth, for attending four meetings in a row. George Reber lost \$20 dollars by not attending the meeting when his membership number was drawn.

## Workdays

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one or two. Also Bob Lord always will have a suggestion with what you can do. Port Captain Bob Lord would like to remind members that cigarette butts, dental picks, etc. don't clean themselves up. Put them in the garbage, not the parking lot.

Thanks to John and Johnathon Polites for coming out before the dinner and cleaning up the smoker.

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Pork Butts Dinner

An excellent dinner put on by Paul and Sandy Berry. For those that missed out there's always next year. Paul thanked everyone for the help, and they were Leonard Gianni, Jack Fanning, Tom Johnson, Christina and Jonathan Polites, Rudy Palacios, David Burke, Larry Nixon, Dale Montgomery, Jim and Miyoko Wright, Alan Brown, Tim Palacios, Gil Molina, Gilbert Delgado, Jan Opperman, Anthony Berry, Rich Reeser, Sally Negroni, Jim and Shirley Humphreys, and Shirley Holmgren.

## March Fish Dinner

The Stevens Crew will be putting on this month's fish dinner on March 17 at 6:30 P.M. Not many members would miss this most excellent dinner. Mark your calendar March 17 at 6:30P.M. As always Eben will be needing lots of help you can call him at **530-749-9829**.

## Fish Derby

Thank you to Derby chair Bob Lord and the breakfast crew, Mike Caponio, Ed Schumacher, John Howell, Mike Yandel and Jim Kincaid, for serving 24 breakfasts. Results for last month's derby Gil Molina took a slot whilst the other slot went unfulfilled. There will be \$50 dollar carry over for next month's derby which will be March 10. As usual there will be 2 categories: drawn slot small and large weight. Cost will be \$5 dollars per category. Derby times are from 7:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Breakfast will be served from 6:00 A.M. to 7:00 A.M. \$5 dollars for breakfast. If nobody fishes Bob will have a drawing of breakfast buyers to give the \$50 carryover.

## Dinners 2018

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

March 10	Fish Derby 6:00 A.M. Breakfast 7:00 A.M. Fish Derby
March 17	Stevens Fish Dinner 5:30 No Host Bar 6:30 Dinner
March 29	6:30 P.M. Board of Directors
April 5	6:30 P.M. General Membership Meeting

December Kids Christmas Dinner by Connie Smith

### Honorary and Lifetime Members

If you or someone you know fits the following criteria for an Honorary or Lifetime member, we currently have 2 slots available.

#### “Section 13: Honorary Member

**A. Nomination for an Honorary position is reserved for members that have shown Membership support, and has been a member for at least twenty (20) years, but due to personal circumstances may not be able to continue such an active Membership. Dues will be understood as yearly dues plus any required obligation.**

Acceptance of this Membership status change, allows the Primary member and Spouse, to take a “non-active” roll by not holding an elective office, Chairperson position, or owing dues, or workday hours.

The Honorary Member and their Spouse will have full use of the Club’s facilities. Honorary members may purchase November Dinner Dance tickets without obligation. The Spouse may choose to decline the Honorary status on the decease of the primary member.

\*\*\* **Note:** Personal circumstances for this section is understood as medical disabilities, financial difficulties, or similar situations deemed by the Board of Directors.”

**B. Lifetime Members:** Nomination of the Lifetime position is reserved for members that have shown Membership support, and have been an active member for at least twenty five (25) years.

The nominee must have held the office of Commodore along with two (2) other elective offices.

Acceptance to this Membership status change allows the Primary member, and their Spouse, to vote, Sponsor new members, and have full use of the Club’s facilities and Membership privileges, excluding holding office, without the obligation of paying dues or workday hours. November Dinner Dance tickets may be purchased without obligation. Voting only pertains to Spouse if he/she was a paid Spousal member at least one (1) full year prior to the nomination. The Spouse may choose to decline the Lifetime status.

**C. Re-instatement:** Lifetime or Honorary members may make a request to the Membership to be re-instated as a full member of the Club. If approved, the Lifetime/Honorary status will be dropped and the re-instated member will regain in full their Membership status along with all Membership obligations and pay in full, any monies due from that point on.

#### **Nomination of Lifetime/Honorary Members:**

**A.** The nominee must meet Club requirements.

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**B.** Upon verification and acceptance by the Board of Directors at their regular scheduled meeting, a vote shall be taken by the Membership. Nominations shall be submitted in writing to the Board of Directors for review, and recommendations made to the general membership.

**C.** If approved, a letter from the Board with a nomination notice of the member’s proposed new status is prepared.

**D.** The nominee must reply with an acceptance, or decline the new status change to the Board of Directors before any necessary changes are made.

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## Congratulations

Congratulations to Pat Burley who was nominated and elected to become a Lifetime Member. Also Congratulations to Luke Carpenter who was nominated and elected to become an Honorary Member. These two gentlemen were part of the original group that started the Fish Derby's and breakfasts some 20 or 30 years ago.

## Best Wishes

Our best wishes to Sean Perchaz who had a stroke but is recovering quickly.

## Proposed By Laws Change

There was a proposed change to the bylaws. The following would be added to Article V, Section 1, Paragraph C – Member Mandatory Obligations:

“F: Attendance of two (2) regular General Membership meetings, per year.”

The change was tabled with a recommendation to review it for possible changes.

## Kitchen Chair

Al Manietta has been running the kitchen chair for many years and would appreciate it if someone could co-chair with him. This is a great position for someone that likes to shop and meet new people. You can call Al **707-451-2008**.

## General Membership Meeting

Sandy Berry still has new duck camo ball caps, t-shirts and sweatshirts. They are available at all Club functions.

It's amazing how much can happen when you miss a meeting. I'll try to catch everyone up. If I miss anything let me know and I'll tack it on to next month's newsletter.

We now have new first aid kits thanks Charlie Clark. When you use them let the Port Captain or an officer know so they can be replenished.

If you didn't receive your membership cards John Thompson Secretary and Ed Coffelt Purser have some extras.

The Dixon Boat Club donated money for the Bids for Kids at the Dixon May Fair again this year.

Free dinners were awarded in April to Brad Beck, Sandy Berry, Alan Brown, David Burke, Richard Hardy, Robert Lord, Larry Nixon and Tim Yearshaw, and in May, to Ed Coffelt, Paul Costa, Jack Fanning, John Howell, Tom Johnson, John Kett, Pat Negroni, Tom

Raycraft, Adrian Sandel, Bill Sartain Bruce Sheldon, Tom Tamplen and Gabriel Villasenor for attending four meetings in a row.

In April Rudy Palacios lost \$30 and in May Don Lofing lost \$40 dollars by not attending the meeting when his membership number was drawn.

## UCD Presentation

Chris Davis from UC Davis gave a presentation at the meeting to tell us about his group's research in the delta. It was quite interesting. First he talked about the change in the shallows approaching Hass Slough. He told us how it changed virtually overnight last winter. They had charted the area in 2015 and there wasn't any change until the big storms in the spring of 2017. Bob Lord put a couple of new markers, which are closer to the club than the older ones, using UCD's charts. Then Chris got into the research they are doing. By sampling the fish and water quality of mostly upper and lower Cache slough along with Lindsey. They are learning what conditions are best for the smaller fish, such as shad. It was surprising to me that the best area for these bait fish was upper Cache from the Club to Hass.

## Workdays

Regularly scheduled workdays will not be on the same day as the dinner starting after this month. If you come out to do a non-scheduled workday with no specific projects in mind, look the property and buildings over. Treat them like your own place. There is always something to do. If you see an issue that needs immediate attention or is a safety hazard, take care of it if you can, but at a minimum, document it and notify the Port Captain and/or the Board. Things to do: Contact work-day chairs for needed materials, etc. The workday this month will be Saturday May 19 at 8 A.M. to help with dinner setup and general grounds up keep. Any questions call Dave Burke **530-753-8264** or Larry Nixon **707-446-9711**. You don't have to wait for an official workday. There is still a list of projects on the wall by the entrance if you want to have a go at one or two. Thanks to Brad Beck for installing siding and electrical in BBQ area, and Dale Montgomery for repairing stove, both of whom spent multiple days on these projects. And thanks to Sean Perchaz for helping Dale.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May 19	Dickie's Memorial Dinner 5:30 No Host Bar 6:30 Dinner
May 31	6:30 P.M. Board of Directors
June 7	6:30 P.M. General Membership Meeting
October 13-14	Bodega Bay Campout

### Dickies Memorial

Paul and Sandy Berry will be hosting Dickie's Memorial Dinner on May 19 this month. There will be lots of good remembrances of Dickie and good food, one of his favorite things. Come on out and enjoy the fun of remembering a great guy. Paul and company will be serving Dickie's recipe, smoked brisket, red potatoes, beans, and a salad.

### March Fish Dinner

The Stevens Crew put on another, by all accounts, great dinner. They were helped by Charlie Clark, Adolf Hintz, Jerry and Debbi Chadwick, Ann Towner, Richard Garcia, Steve Pryor, Cliff Wentworth, Dave Chulick, Earl and Patty Latham, Teri Rice, Dale Montgomery, Fred Danbacher, John and Shawn Kett, Marc Stevens, Tom Johnson, Mason and Kim Geisinger, Steve Bera, Rudy and Tim Palacios, David Coulter, Larry Nixon, David Burke, Jose Martin Ramirez, Rick O'Neill, Gil Molina, and two people that only gave their first name and no member number, Craig and Bob. Guess they won't be getting workday credits. And of course thank you to the host for the dinner Eben and Wendy Stevens.

### April Cornish Game Hen Dinner

Another great dinner, how fortunate we are. Thank you Paul Costa, and Adrian Sandel, Steve Pryor, TJ Raycraft, Paul and Sandy Berry, Nicki Martinez, Tom Raycraft, Tommy and Pam Williams, Deon Davies, Debbie Coffelt, Greg Pryor and Rosie Tamplen.

### Fish Derby

Thank you to the March 10 Derby chair Bob and the breakfast crew, Ed Schumacher, Mike Yandel, Mike Caponio and Jim Kincaid, for serving 24 breakfasts.

### Bodega Bay Camping Trip

We will be having a Boat Club Campout this fall. This will be an opportunity to get together in a different place. There should be some salmon out there and for sure some rock fish if you want to do some fishing. You can bring your boat along or book with the New Sea Angler, 35 people capacity, or on the Miss Anita, The Working Girl, or Fish On which are 6 packs. I'm sure there are more available, but I'm not familiar with them. The dates are October 13 & 14 for the working people and a few days before and or after for the people of the retirement persuasion. Bring your trailer, tent or sleeping bags. Reservations are a must. At present there are 4 pull trough's and 2 back in's on the water

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## Condolences

It is with great sadness that I report of the passing of Ann Towner Tuesday, June 5. I first met Ann at her wedding reception at the Boat Club when she married Bob Towner many years ago. Since that time Ann served as Secretary for the Club for around 5 years. She was always a giving person. My deepest condolences to Bob.

## Congratulations

Congratulations to Luke Robinson who was nominated and elected to become an Honorary Member. My apologies to Luke Robinson, not Carpenter, as I wrote in last month's newsletter. I've known Luke and admired him as a true gentleman for too many years to count. But I seem to have developed a mental hiccup. Sorry Luke I'll try to do better.

## Proposed By Laws Change

Last month's change of the bylaws proposal has been tabled.

## Chair Changes

Larry Nixon former Workday co-chair has agreed to become Kitchen co-chair to assist Al Manietta. Additionally Eric Warnken has volunteered to become the Workday Co-Chair to help David Burke. Thank you both for supporting the boat club.

## General Membership Meeting

General reminder pick up after yourself while at the facilities.

The launch ramp is still very slippery so be careful while walking on it during boat launching and retrieval. There was much discussion about various solutions and the board will review options and pricing at the next Board Meeting.

There was some discussion about ways to increase participation at the club. A couple ideas that were floated were having pay per view events, and poker tournaments, horse shoe tournaments and poker runs. If you would be interested in these activities, or some others, come to the meetings to be heard; or if you can't make it, let a board member know of your ideas. Free dinners were awarded to Tom and Shirley Holmgren, Paul and Glen Kwong, Gil Molina, Tony Robben, Mike Segura, Terry Smaystria and Rosie Tamplen for attending four meetings in a row. Richard Solbrack lost \$50 by not attending the meeting when his membership number was drawn.

## Veterans Fishing Trip

The Boat Club is assisting with a Veterans function at Flaming Gorge (FG) reservoir in Utah at the end of the month. There will be 4 members ( Pat Burley, John Kett, Ed LaRue and Pat Negroni) going to FG with their boats to assist in a multiple day fishing trip, camp out and BBQ for Veterans coming from multiple states.

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7. Paint Parking Delineators white
8. Clean parking lot and berm of weeds and debris
9. Clean cooling coils on the beverage cooler and refrigerators."

## Dickies Memorial

A great dinner was put on by Paul and Sandy Berry. Thank you. And thank you to Rudy Palacio, Devon and Dave Soucy, Mike Hartwell, Mason Geisinger, Anita, Glenn and Paul Kwong, Leonard Gianno, Chris and John Polites, George Reber, Bill Sartain, John Molina, Dave Coulter, Alan Brown, Larry Nixon, Gil Molina, Gil Delgado, Tom and Pam Williams, Bill Fairfield Jr., Steve Pryor, Jim and Shirley Humphrey, and Bob Lord.

## June New York Steak Dinner

Gil Molina will be sponsoring a traditional New York steak dinner with baked potatoes, beans, salad, roll and cake for dessert. Sounds like a great dinner, I'll certainly be looking forward to it.

Bring a friend to dinner and show off what a great place the Dixon Boat Club is.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June 16	New York Steak Dinner 5:30 No Host Bar 6:30 Dinner
June 23	8:00 A.M. Workday
June 28	6:30 P.M. Board of Directors
July 5	6:30 P.M. General Membership Meeting
October 13-14	Bodega Bay Campout

### Bodega Bay Camping Trip

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Free dinners were awarded to Paul Berry, Ron Brown, Pat Burley, Debbie Coffelt, Steve Meitner, Steve Meyerdick, John Thompson, and Bill Wentworth for attending four membership meetings in a row. Butch Carpenter lost \$60 by not attending the meeting when his membership number was drawn.

## Veterans Fishing Trip

The Boat Club assisted with a Veterans function at Flaming Gorge (FG) reservoir in Utah at the end of June. A good time was had by all with limits of kokanees (3 fish) the rule for the Veterans on the days we fished June 27 thru 29. With the biggest koke being 3 Lb. 10 oz. Volunteers included Pat and Dene Burley, Ed La Rue, Pat and Sally Negroni and John Kett. Additionally Fred Danbacher, Jimmy Mayoral and Dave Psaila went to join in the fun.

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Thank you to Bill Sartain and John and Jon Polites for weed abatement and grounds clean up.

## June New York Steak Dinner

Many thanks to Gil Molina and crew for a fine dinner. The crew included Leonard Gianni, Bill Sartain, Jack Fanning, David Psaila, Dustin Robben, John Molina, Larry Nixon, Thomas Yearnshaw, Elmer, Jim and Mike Kitchen, Richard Garcia, Hal Hanna, Tom and TJ Raycraft, Joe Anderson, and Jim Tenbrink.

## Cobb Family and Friends Tri-Tip Dinner

Mark Cobb et-al will be hosting their annual Tri Tip Dinner on Saturday July 21, with all the fixings you have come to expect, Tri-Tip, Linda's cheesy potatoes (yum), corn and rolls. Because of the great food this has always been a well-attended dinner. See you all there. As always Mark will be needing help with setup, cooking, serving, and clean up. You can call Mark at **(707-678-9111)** if you'd like to help out. Also we will need Bar-tenders, give Paul or Sandy a call **707-592-4116** to help with that.

## Rio Vista Bass Derby and Festival

Berry Waldie came to the membership meeting to hand out freebies and remind us that the Bass Derby was going to be on Oct. 12-14 this year. Too bad it conflicts with the DBC Campout. The grand prize is \$1500 for being nearest to a slotted fish length, to be announced prior to the derby. You can get tickets and more information at <https://bassfestival.com/>

## Bodega Bay Camping Trip

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July 21 Cobbs TriTip Dinner  
5:30 No Host Bar  
6:30 Dinner  
July 26 6:30 P.M. Board of Directors  
August 2 6:30 P.M. General Membership Meeting  
October 13-14 Bodega Bay Campout

### Dinners 2018

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Here are a couple of pictures from Flaming Gorge



### Antelope Permit Available

Land holder permit for a male Pronghorn in NW Colorado on 320 Acres, allows 2 hunters on property. Price two thousand. Contact [jkpowell53@gmail.com](mailto:jkpowell53@gmail.com)

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## Remembrance

It is my sad duty to report the passing of Frank Meyerdick. Frank was a long time contributing member who gave up his membership, a few years back so someone younger could utilize the Club. On a personal note Frank was Sally and my neighbor (the best neighbor ever) for 26 years. He brought me into the Club some 30 years ago and showed me how to fish for Strippers. You'll be missed Frank.

## Launch Ramp

The launch ramp has been clad in expanded metal, making it much safer to launch and retrieve your boat. You still need to be careful out there. There are a few bolts sticking up about ½ "and they could only put the metal down as far as the water receded during construction. Watch where you are walking and if the tide is 2' or lower make sure you are holding on to something when you step off the metal. Thank you to Brad Beck, David Burke, Bob Lord, Eric Warnken, Manny Bettencourt, Brad's son John Beck (non-member) for making the Club a safer place! Brad Beck also wanted to thank Billy Hines of Hines custom iron for supplying the metal at his cost and allowing Brad the use of his shop to cut the iron and punch 70 holes through it. This would have taken a very long time to do in a home shop or on the ramp. Billy has been on the list to join the club for 3 years now. Thank you Billy. Bob Lord also ran a water line and put in a hose bib by the ramp to enable the washing away of the launch ramp slime, thank you.

## Fish Cleaning Shed

Also many thanks to Hugh Brennan and Gil Ehresman for work on the fish cleaning shed. They started out to paint the siding and found a substantial amount of siding with dry rot, and as they removed that, they found more dry rot in the studs. They decided to continue until all the rot was exposed and fixed. To make a long story short by the time they got to that point there was no shed left. Now they are rebuilding from the ground up. Thank you for your conscientiousness and determination, sticking with this project.

## General Membership Meeting

Mike Segura, Vice Commodore, reminded the members that we would be taking nominations for officers in September and that he would like to encourage the Honorary Members to attend the

October meeting to count ballots. Ed LaRue is planning a swap meet again this year and would like your feedback at the next membership meeting. Ed also announced that at the next membership meeting he would have a plethora of rods and a 50" TV for the raffle. Bob Lord Port Captain told the membership that the handicap parking now had delineators, and they were much appreciated at the last dinner.

Free dinners were awarded to Ed Coffelt, Jack Fanning, John Howell, Tom Johnson, Bill Sartain and Erik Warnken, for attending four membership meetings in a row.

Paul Costa lost \$70 by not attending the meeting when his membership number was drawn.

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Thank you to John and Jon Polites for Weed abatement and putting two coats of paint on the clubhouse trim.

## July Tri-Tip Dinner

Many thanks to Mark and Linda Cobb for a fine Tri-Tip Dinner, and all the people that pulled it together. They were, Mike Hartwell, Fred Danbacher, Howard Garrison, Paul and Sandy Berry, Bob Towner, Tom and Shirley Holmgren, Demering DeZarm, Hal Hanna, Jim Schneider, Joe Anderson, Charlie Clark, Nicki and Tom Martinez, Ken Robinson, Sean Perchaz, many thanks for a great dinner.

## Larry Kitchen Memorial Dinner

The Kitchen family will be hosting the Larry Kitchen Memorial Dinner on Saturday August 18, with pulled



## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

August 18	Larry Kitchen Memorial Dinner 5:30 No Host Bar 6:30 Dinner
August 30	6:30 P.M. Board of Directors
September 6	6:30 P.M. General Membership Meeting
October 12-14	Rio Vista Fish Derby
October 13-14	Bodega Bay Campout
October 27	DBC Fish Derby

pork and BBQ chicken breasts and “Uncle Larry’s Beans” along with baked potatoes, rolls and salad.

As always they will be needing help with setup, cooking, serving, and clean up. You can call Mike Kitchen (**707-678-9720**) if you'd like to help out. Also we will need Bar-tenders, give Paul or Sandy a call **707-592-4116** to help with that.

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### Low Water

Seems the channel has silted up quite a bit this winter. Friday I came in on about a 1.6’ tide. I was hitting bottom in places that I never touched on a 1’ tide. Watch out when transiting whenever the water is low-ish.

Here are some pictures of members catching. Pat Negroni, 30lb salmon in Bodega and Jessie Sanchez, 56lb Halibut in Santa Cruz.



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## Nominations for Board and Officers

Gil Molina, Dave Chulick and Brad Beck were nominated for board members additional nominations were made, Tim Yearnshaw for Rear Commodore, Ed La Rue and Gil Molina for Vice Commodore, and Mike Segura for Commodore. Incumbents Ed Coffelt and John Thompson graciously accepted nominations for Purser and Secretary respectively.

Additional nominations may be made at the October General Membership meeting prior to voting for the nominees. Rich Hardy and Ken Robinson have volunteered to tally the votes.

## General Membership Meeting

Please be sure to remind any guests that they must sign the guest book.

Bob Lord mentioned that the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration is gathering data around the club waters so give them some room when you see them out there. Sometimes they will be sitting offshore but their boat is tethered to a reporting station on the shoreline, so slow down and see which way they want you to go.

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Mark Boone lost \$80 dollars by not attending the meeting when his membership number was drawn.

## Workdays

Saturday September 22<sup>nd</sup> at 8AM will be a workday. Please call to confirm if you will be available to work. Note if no one calls there won't be any workday chairs to coordinate the projects.

- a. Prune bushes around clubhouse.
- b. Paint parking delineators
- c. Clean and organize storage garage.

Ongoing Workday Opportunities are listed below. If a group of members would like to take on a specific project, let us know. Any day can be a workday. Call chairs to get materials if needed.

1. Replace siding and repair porch on Port Captain's house
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Thanks to Tom Melton for cleaning the refrigerator coils and cleaning up the yard. Also many thank you's to Hugh Brennan and Gil Ehresman who have put in well over 24 hours each just this last month, on rebuilding the fish cleaning shack. It is coming along nicely. We may have to rename it the Taj Mahal Fish Cleaning shack once they are done 😊

## Larry Kitchen Memorial Dinner

Many thanks to Mike Kitchen for spearheading this memorial dinner for Larry Kitchen former Lifetime member. It was a great dinner by all accounts. Also thank you to Larry Nixon, Fred Danbacher, Jim Kitchen, Ron and Barb Bagwell, Jim Tenbrink, Armando Lozano, Ted and Linda Hickman, Tim Hanna, Charlie Clark, William Woodard and Ken Middleton for bringing it all together.

## Bettencourt and Beck Smoked Baby Back Ribs

Manny Bettencourt and Brad Beck host their third year of delectable smoked, baby back ribs served with green beans, baked potatoes, coleslaw, rolls and dessert. This great dinner will be Sept 15.

Manny has enough volunteers, but a few extra hands can always be used for these functions. You can call Brad (**707 446-4877**) or Manny (**707-685-1898**) if you'd like to help out. Also we will need Bar-tenders, give Paul or Sandy a call (**707-592-4116**) to help with that.

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September 15	Bettencourt and Beck Smoked Baby Back Ribs 5:30 No Host Bar 6:30 Dinner
September 27	6:30 P.M. Board of Directors
October 4	6:30 P.M. General Membership Meeting
October 13	Bodega Bay Campout
October 13	8 A.M. Swap Meet
October 13	DBC Fish Derby Breakfast 6 A.M. Derby 7 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Saturday evening around 6 we will be having a potluck everyone bring your favorite dish, and some meat for yourselves. If some people could bring barbeques and extra tables for setting out the bounty please, give me a call so we can coordinate. Thank You **Pat (530-304-9804)**

### Fish Derby's

Bob Lord will be hosting fish derby's and breakfasts on the following dates, October 13, November 10 and December 29 all Saturdays. The times for breakfast are 6 A.M. to 7 A.M. and derby from 7 A.M. to 4 P.M. I'll assume that prices have stayed the same \$5 dollar's for Breakfast and \$5 dollars for each category you decide to fish. Large slot over 8 pounds or small slot under 8 pounds.

### Swap Meet

Ed LaRue will be hosting a fishing tackle and accouterments swap meet October 13. Bring your old fishing gear and no longer used items to sell or swap for new exciting gear. Swap Meet starts at 8 A.M. and if you want to come early ( 6 A.M.) I'm sure Bob and crew will allow you to buy some breakfast.

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## **Congratulations to the 2018 Board and Officers**

Ed LaRue Commodore, Mike Segura, Vice Commodore, Tim Yearnshaw Rear Commodore, Gil Molina and Brad Beck Board members. Congratulations gentlemen and thank you for agreeing to manage the Club for the coming year.

## **Congratulations Anthony Soucy**

Congratulations to Anthony Soucy unanimously voted into the club as the newest member, he joined under the 18 year old rule. Hope you enjoy the club as long as I have, about 29 years and counting.

## **General Membership Meeting**

We haven't always adhered to the rules, but there is a new sheriff in town. The rules are that anyone coming to the club needs to have a member with him to be their sponsor during their stay, and make sure that the guest signs the guest book. If you invite guests to the club and are unable to be there, you need to contact another member willing to act as the guests' host. Preferably the person being asked should know the guest.

Free dinners were awarded to Brad Beck, Paul Kwong, Gil Molina and Tony Robben, for attending four membership meetings in a row.

Dan Herig lost \$90 dollars by not attending the meeting when his membership number was drawn.

## **Workdays**

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Dave Burke **530-753-8264**

Eric Warnken **707-592-5944**.

Thanks Hugh Brennan and Gil Ehresman for continuing to re-build the fish shack, who put in a combined 18 workdays this month. Made me tired just counting those days up ☺ Looking good. Also thank you to Bill Griffith, Bob Lord, Gil and John Molina, Mike Caponio,

Charlie Clark and Terry Smaystria, for building and grounds maintenance.

## **Bettencourt and Beck Smoked Baby Back Ribs**

Manny Bettencourt and Brad Beck hosted their third year of smoked baby back ribs. Only 3 years in and they have developed a great many fans. 145 dinners were served at this dinner. Wow. Thank you and thank you to Dan Beans, Raul Magana, Bill Stevens, Paul and Sandy Berry, Larry Nixon, Dave and Roberta Burke, David Chulick, Steve Meyerdick, Brad and Sue Beck, and Paul Costa.

There was some discussion of having a second Baby back dinner. Manny volunteered to help show someone the ropes, and share his recipes if anyone would like to do the February dinner. If you would be interested in this please let Al Manietta **707-451-2008** or Larry Nixon **707-446-9711** know.

## **Ferguson October New York Steak Dinner**

Mark Ferguson will be hosting this month's dinner. Serving traditional New York steaks BBQ'ed to perfection, with beans, baked potato, salad, and a roll. Additionally there will be a dessert contest. The winner for 1<sup>st</sup> Prize 2 free dinners, 2nd Prize 1 free dinner and 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize 10 raffle tickets.

Mark could use some help. You could give him a call at **530-902-0445** to volunteer. Also we will need Bartenders, give Paul or Sandy a call (**707-592-4116**) to help with that.

## **Bodega Bay Camping Trip**

The Bodega Bay Campout is only 8 days away. There were still quite a few salmon being caught last week. You can bring your boat along or book with the New Sea Angler, 35 people capacity, Samantha Irene, The Working Girl, or Fish On, which are 6 packs. I'm sure there are more available, but I'm not familiar with them. The dates are October 13 & 14 for the working people and a few days before and or after for the people of the retirement persuasion. Bring your trailer, tent or sleeping bags.

If you haven't reserved a campsite, it is too late. All sites at Westside have been reserved.

Saturday evening around 5 or 6 we will be having a potluck, so everyone bring your favorite dish, and some meat for yourselves. If some people could bring barbeques and extra tables for setting out the bounty, please give me a call so we can coordinate. Thank You **Pat (530-304-9804)**

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

October	13	Bodega Bay Campout
October	13	DBC Fish Derby Breakfast 6 A.M. Derby 7 A.M. to 4 P.M.
October	13	8 A.M. Swap Meet
September	15	Ferguson New York Steak Dinner 5:30 No Host Bar 6:30 Dinner
October	25	6:30 P.M. Board of Directors
November	1	6:30 P.M. General Membership Meeting

### Fish Derbys

Bob Lord will be hosting fish derbys and breakfasts on the following dates, October 13, November 10 and December 29 all Saturdays. The times for breakfast are 6 A.M. to 7 A.M. and derby from 7 A.M. to 4 P.M. I'll assume that prices have stayed the same, \$5 dollar's for Breakfast and \$5 dollars for each category you decide to fish. Large slot over 8 pounds or small slot under 8 pounds.

### Swap Meet

Ed LaRue will be hosting a fishing tackle and accouterments swap meet October 13. Bring your old fishing gear and no longer used items to sell or swap for new exciting gear. Swap Meet starts at 8 A.M. and if you want to come early (6 A.M.) I'm sure Bob and crew will allow you to buy some breakfast.

### Dinners 2018

October	New York Steak by Mark Ferguson
November	Pork Loin by Bob Lord
December	Kids Christmas Dinner by Connie Smith

### **ACTION ALERT: From Restore the Delta**

#### **Time to Oppose the Delta Tunnels at the Delta Stewardship Council!**

**What:** Public Hearing Regarding Appeals of the Consistency Certification for CA WaterFix: public comment period

**When:** Oct. 26th starting at 9 am

**Where:** Ramada Inn, West Sacramento, Conference Center  
Pack a lunch; pack a book and some knitting; charge up your cell phone. And be ready to stand up for the Delta! But first you have to do some prep work! The California Department of Water Resources has filed with the Delta Stewardship Council a "consistency determination" for California Water Fix. This filing is how DWR will get approval from the Delta Stewardship Council that the Delta tunnels project is consistent with the Council's Delta Plan. This process checks off a box to move forward with construction of the tunnels. It's time to tell the DSC, the project needs to be stopped once and or all.

Of course we know that the Delta tunnels do not meet the standard of co-equal goals set by the Delta Reform Act of 2009. This is how the DSC is supposed to evaluate WaterFix. Here's a reminder what that legislation says: "'Coequal goals' means the two goals of providing a more reliable water supply for California and protecting, restoring, and enhancing the Delta ecosystem. The coequal goals shall be achieved in a

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manner that protects and enhances the unique cultural, recreational, natural resource, and agricultural values of the Delta as an evolving place." (CA Water Code §85054) Please note the DSC, never posts in their materials the part of the Delta Reform Act that calls for reduced reliance on the Delta -- something that cannot be achieved by building two 35-mile-long tunnels to divert 9000 cubic feet per second of the Sacramento River. But we can remind them of that criteria. **This is why your public comment is important! This may be one of the last events in which you can voice to the government your opposition to the Delta tunnel project. You can read more by googling restore the delta action alerts.**



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## General Membership Meeting

Free dinners were awarded Charlie Clark, Steve Meitner, Terry Smaystria, and John Thompson for attending four membership meetings in a row. Don Lofing lost \$100 dollars by not attending the meeting when his membership number was drawn.

### Workdays

There will be a workday on Saturday November 24 at 9 A.M.

Ongoing Workday Opportunities are listed below. If a group of members would like to take on a specific project, let us know. Any day can be a workday. Call chairs to get materials if needed.

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Dave Burke **530-753-8264**

Eric Warnken **707-592-5944**.

Eric thanked Hugh Brennan and Gil Ehresman for continuing their work on the fish shack

### Ferguson October New York Steak Dinner

Thank you to Mark Ferguson for putting on the October Steak Dinner, by all accounts a very good meal. Also thank you to Tim Yearnshaw, Andy Twiss, Hal & Tim Hanna, William Woodard, Larry Nixon, Justin Noutory, Nikki and Tom Martinez, Glenn Kwong, Matt Rosenberger, Steve Ayers, Cliff Wentworth, and Bob Lord, for doing all the necessary work to present this sumptuous meal.

### Bob Lords Pork Loin Dinner

Bob Lord will be hosting the November Dinner. The menu includes Pork Tenderloin smoked to perfection with cherry wood, twice baked potatoe casserole, Steve (Ayers) beans, salad, applesauce, rolls and dessert. Bob could use some help. You can give him a call at **707-635-3995** to volunteer. Also we will need Bar-tenders, give Paul or Sandy a call (**707-592-4116**) to help with that.

### Bodega Bay Camping Trip

We had a fun time, caught a few fish, shared some laughs and enjoyed some excellent dishes during the potluck.

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**ACTION ALERT: From Restore the Delta** there hasn't been any news that I can find on this. Not sure when they will issue their report.

## Crab Openers

Crab season will be starting this Saturday November 3. A word of caution for those planning on going out of Bodega Bay. The weather is going to be nasty with a small craft advisory issued by NOAA. The forecast for **Saturday** WNW wind 10 to 19 kt. Mostly sunny. Mixed swell...WNW 4 to 5 ft at 11 seconds and SSW 1 ft at 14 seconds becoming SW. Wind waves 1 ft building to 4 ft." If you decide to go out be very careful. Wind pro forecast puts the waves at 8' at 8 seconds. Good luck.

## Smith's Christmas Extravaganza

### December Potluck Dinner and Children's Xmas

Connie Smith and family will again be sponsoring the December Potluck Dinner and Children's Christmas Party. There will be turkey, ham and rolls provided by the Club. They will be decorating the Clubhouse November 18, Sunday morning at 9 A.M. and could use some help. The dinner will be on Saturday December 15. Activities for the kids will start at 5:00 P.M. with Annette Thibodeau once again leading the crafts and singing as Santa's Elf and also returning Charlie Clarke will be appearing as Santa Claus. Tami Thompson will be taking pictures and having family group shots. You should arrive in time to get your children settled, and place your potluck dish (that serves 15) on the serving table. Dinner will be served around 6:30 to 7:00 P.M. For the children in your group, bring a gift valued less than \$25.00 so that Santa can give the gift to your youngster. Make sure that you legibly write their name on the gift and put it under the tree. Bring your children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and your cameras to this fun outing. As always, need servers and Bar tenders, cleanup people, etc.

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- November 10 DBC Fish Derby  
Breakfast 6 A.M.  
Derby 7 A.M. to 4 P.M.
- November 17 Ferguson New York Steak Dinner  
5:30 No Host Bar  
6:30 Dinner
- November 29 6:30 P.M. Board of Directors
- December 6 6:30 P.M. General Membership Meeting
- December 15 Kids Christmas Party

### Dinners 2018

- November Pork Loin by Bob Lord
- December Kids Christmas Dinner by Connie Smith

### SOP Change Proposed

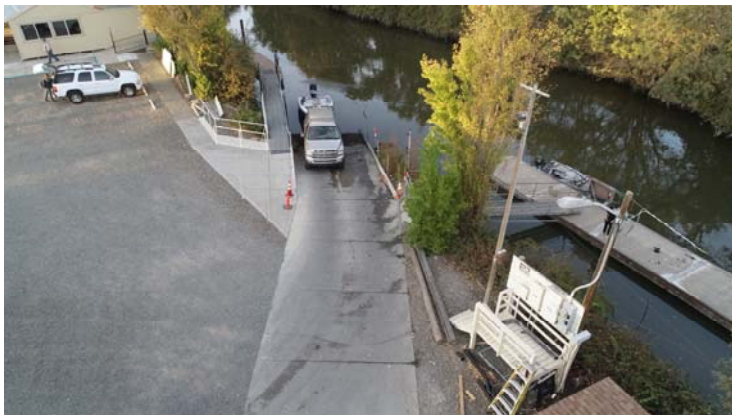
Section - Position Description: Port Captain – Security and Caretaker

Subsection – Requirements

Subpart #16 – Change last line from “Port Captain to provide starting cash of \$200.00 for the bar ticket sales for each function”, **TO** “Port Captain to provide starting cash of \$200.00 for ticket sales and \$100.00 for bar cash for each club function.”

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Some folks enjoying a calm day at the club

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The Standard Operating Procedures were amended by the membership as announced in last month's newsletter.

If you ordered or want one of the professional first aid kits that Charlie Clark is supplying, they have finally come in. These had been back ordered for some time because of the demand from all the fires and other emergencies that we are just getting them now. See Charlie at the meetings if you would like one. They are \$35 dollars.

Free dinners were awarded to Pat and Dene Burley, Ed Coffelt, Fred Danbacher, Jack Fanning, Tom Johnson, Adrian Sandel and William Woodard for attending four membership meetings in a row.

Steve Meyerdick lost \$110 dollars by not attending the meeting when his membership number was drawn.

## Workdays

Erik Warnken workday co-chairman thanked all the volunteers that came out this past month, particularly Hugh Brennan, Gil Ehresman, Brad Beck, Mike Louderman and Bob Lord for work in progress on the fish shack. Additional thanks to Greg Langley, Arturo Berumen, John Molina, Terry Smaystria, Bob Lord, Jan Opperman, Steve Meitner, and Erik Warnken, fixing and cleaning multiple things.

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## Bob Lords Pork Loin Dinner

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Fermin Rubio, Michael Raycraft, Pete Culazzo, Rick and Judy O'Neill, Rod and Marti McGrew, Rose Tamplen, Jessie Hernandez, Bill Fairfield Jr., Matt Rosenberg, Tom and Nicki Martinez, and Steve Ayers. Of special note Rick and, probably mostly Judy O'Neill made the potatoes and Steve Ayers the beans and the pie alamide.

## Fish Derbys

Additional fish Derbys and breakfasts on the following dates, December 29 on Saturday. Bob also added some more dates for 2019, they will be January 12, February 9 and March 2. The times for breakfast are 6 A.M. to 7 A.M. and derby from 7 A.M. to 4 P.M. The prices are, \$5 dollar's for Breakfast and \$5 dollars for each category you decide to fish. Large slot over 8 pounds or small slot under 8 pounds. Results for last month's derby, Mike Brock took both slots, going home with a \$290 dollars, nice. Way to go Mike. Thank you to Bob Lord, John Howell, Ed Schumacher, Jim Kincaid, and Tom Burton for the derby breakfast that had 35 happy customers.

## Fishing Report

Seems the striper bite is slowing up some with the muddy water coming in to the system from storms, maybe bait would be a good bet. Fish report from Port Captain Bob Lord "Some come back with fish and some don't". He's heard that fishing along the edges of the weeds can be productive. It's also a good way to keep your lines clean.

## Ocean

Commercial crabbing will be starting this Saturday from Bodega Bay north, we'll see what effect that has on the take for the recreational side. All reports are that rock fish and ling cods are a pretty good bet.

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### Potluck Dinner and Children's Xmas Party

All systems go, get your little ones ready and head on out. Connie Smith and family will again be sponsoring the December Potluck Dinner and Children's Christmas Party December 15. There will be turkey, ham and rolls provided by the Club and prepared by Tony Anderson and crew. Activities for the kids will start at 5:00 P.M. with Annette Thibodeau once again leading the crafts and singing as Santa's Elf and also returning Charlie Clarke will be appearing as Santa Claus. Tami Thompson will be taking pictures and having family group shots. You should arrive in time to get your children settled, and place your potluck dish (that

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December	15	Kids Christmas Party 5:00 Kids Activities begin 6:30 to 7:00 Dinner
December	27	6:30 P.M. Board of Directors
December	29	Fish Derby Breakfast 6 A.M. Derby 7 A.M. to 4 P.M.
January	3	6:30 P.M. General Membership Meeting
January	15	Commodores Dinner

serves 15) on the serving table. Dinner will be served around 6:30 to 7:00 P.M. For the children in your group, bring a gift valued less than \$25.00 so that Santa can give the gift to your youngster. Make sure that you legibly write their name on the gift and put it under the tree. Bring your children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and your cameras to this fun outing. As always, need servers and Bar tenders, cleanup people, etc. Particularly folks willing to clean up.

Thank you to Connie Smith, Tom and Shirley Holmgren, and Michael Raycraft for the divine decorating of the Clubhouse in preparation for the Christmas Dinner.

As this dinner has a lot of members bringing guests, **DON'T FORGET TO HAVE ALL OF YOUR GUESTS SIGN THE GUESTBOOK.**

### A Couple of 2019 Dinners

January Commodores Dinner

February Baby Back ribs, Manny's Recipe

### Of Interest

Fishing licenses for 2019 are now available online at <https://www.ca.wildlifelicense.com/InternetSales>. Always a good Christmas present.

### January Membership Meeting

A special treat will be in store for those members who attend the January Membership meeting, with a singular presentation from UC Davis on the Delta.

**Be Well until next year Happy Holidays**

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