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A few days before the scheduled planning meeting, our Commodore, painfully aware of the horrific icing conditions in the Annapolis area, checked with Carol and Noel Patterson to see what the conditions were at the Bay Ridge Club house. The report was not good. . . . the parking lot and the "lawn" was a rather lumpy ice skating rink and the approach roads not much better. Ned and Fayla made a hurried bunch of phone calls to those who had reserved their chicken.. and postponed the meeting 'til the next week.*

The next weekend was quite a contrast... with warmth enough to melt the ice away but the lawn and parking lot were no longer skateable but more like an olympic swimming pool! Inside was our usual rollicking crew... greeting old friends after a miserably frigid and icy winter. We all survived! With the improved weather making the roads passable, we had a visit from Fred and Linda Hixon, both looking great! They have a hard time tearing themselves away from Reedville where they have become indispensable! Frank and Nancy McCabe also made a trip up from their "Shangri La" on Mill Creek in Solomons. Paul and Marge Kavanaugh were beautifully tanned and just bubbling over with the results of their vacation trip to Cancun, Mexico. They certainly picked the right time to go! Another exuberant couple were Bill and Anne Sieling who are now the proud owners of TARKA, a Tartan 37, (and also a 35' Allied Seabreeze Yawl that is for sale!) Another pair of two boat owners were there too. Bob Lehner and Nancy Warner have purchased a Down East 38 named CALISTO. Of course they are seeking a buyer for their their unique Bristol 32 yawl. Burke and Linda Lucas stopped in briefly to explain that they couldn't be active this year as they were taking off for Russia! We expect some wonderful tales when they return. Bill and Beryl Flynn brought along their sample book of marvelous embroidery work from their White Marsh Stitchery. They are our official Bristol Boutique people now, and can further customize the items you order with our neat CBC logo. Joe Heidel was enjoying his retirement and his emeritus status, but poor Jay was swamped with dues payers, membership forms, name tag forms, and the closing out of boudique inventory! Shirley and Hunter Kennard brought along Posey Pup, who was more than a little bit intimidated by the two youngest Sherrers from the good ship EMERALD, so she was banished to the car. The Heidel doxies came in their cages, and felt right at home. Dick and Ruth Boecker and Dick Jr. lined up for some of the delectable fried chicken as did Joel Gross, whose spouse Jeanne was home with a broken wrist...a casulty of the ice storms and the bird feeder. We wish her speedy recovery!"Old" members Gene and Alma Ehrlich and Tom and Judy Taylor were joined by relative newcomers Ron and Jan Benrey and Fran and Art Bertapelle, Bill and Donna Shuman, Curt and Joann Sherrer and Eric and Leslie Svenson in pitching into the weonderful food that appeared on the buffet tables! Noel and Carol Patterson had helped our social chairman set up the club house and we owe a great debt to our Bay Ridge members!

Our Commodore, Ned Sherrer, made a valiant attempt to bring the unruly and boisterous eaters to order, and with a few interruptions, managed to get the members to actually accomplish what they came for . . . the plans for the season! Our 1994 treasurer, Andy Lewis, indicated that we were solvent and the CBC could look forward to a fun year....Kathy will see to it. . . ! Louise Mellington, our Rear Commodore, brought along husband Mal, and Janet Gadow saw to it that our Vice Commodore Mike Moschella, was aboard.. (or is he Commodore of Vice?)... Adam (and Elizabeth Canalungo who gave up power boating for sailing.). joined his companion trustee Steve Schwing.. in enthusiastically approving of the summer events. Steve and Susan will miss some of them as HERON will make a junket to Bermuda this year. It was wonderful to have so many new members join us for the season's first event! Chuck and Rena Beers of the 35.5 WINDSPIEL, Mike Mazan of the 29.9 MOONDANCE, and Irv and Doris Staats who are returning the former BONKERS to the CBC under her new name ENCORE! Brooke Perkins and Marilyn Henderson announced a special event that was to be held on the 26th of February... dance music and steel band music in a night of *Island Fever* , a benefit fete presented by the Eastport Yacht Club to benefit "Christmas in April". It must have been a great evening! Rebecca Burka had seen one of the great enameled pins that the club presented on our 10th anniversary and fell in love with it, and hoped that we could get some more for our members who have joined since then...(lots..since this is our 20th year!) Ned declared that the meeting was adjourned, and our mission was accomplished, and that there were wonderful desserts and more beer so the afternoon ended with the activity we do best... party!

Fayla Sherrer produced a wonderful afternoon for us with all the hot chicken and cold beer and the set up for our usual terrific "Pot Luck" and her polite request for a clean up crew brought forth many willing hands. The club house was ship-shape and Bristol fashion in no time.

ALL IN ALL, AN AUSPICIOUS START !

* A funny footnote to this tale: On the first appointed day for the planning meeting, a couple (who shall remain nameless,) drove to Bay Ridge, and sat for a long time, frigidly, in their car, waiting for some sign of activity! They had missed a sign put out by the Pattersons and as they had not called Fayla because they did not plan to eat any fried chicken, never were notified of the change of plans! Murphy's law triumphs again!

HAGAR THE HORRIBLE DIK BROWNE



(JUST IN CASE YOU MISSED THIS...)

**WHEN YOU JOIN BOAT U.S. OR RENEW YOUR
MEMBERSHIP, DON'T FORGET TO NOTIFY THEM THAT
YOU ARE A MEMBER OF THE CHESAPEAKE BRISTOL
CLUB AND THAT OUR DISCOUNT NUMBER IS
GA 80185 B.
YOUR DUES WILL BE
HALF OF THE REGULAR CHARGE.**

Atomic Four Workshop

The Pearson 30 Association is sponsoring an all day seminar/workshop on Saturday, March 26, 1994 which is open to the public. The theme of the program is what steps the boat owner can take to achieve maximum performance from the engine and what periodic maintenance actions will ensure that this venerable engine lasts indefinitely. Topics to be covered include: cooling system, ignition system, carburetor, reversing gear and oil pressure system. Trouble shooting and adjustment procedures for all major systems will be covered. Differences in early and late models will be described.

The workshop will be led by Don Moyer of Moyer Marine (Harrisburg, PA). Mr. Moyer is nationally known for both his knowledge and enthusiastic presentation. Lively discussion of the Atomic-4's good and bad points is guaranteed.

The workshop will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the Skipjack Room at the Annapolis Yacht Club, Annapolis, Maryland. A nominal fee of \$22 will be charged to cover coffee, sodas, soup and sandwich buffet and printed hand-out materials. Register by mail or phone with the Pearson 30 Association: John McCahan, 3106 Stonchenge Drive, Riva, Maryland 21140, phone (410) 956-6294.



Jack Munsey is getting his 29.9 MISCHIEF (and himself) ready for the Annapolis/Bermuda race in June. He wishes to rent, buy, beg, borrow or steal:

**STORM JIB
STORM TRYSAIL
HEAVY WEATHER JIB
SOLAS FLARE KIT**

Call him at home 410 / 757-0274
or at work: 410 / 269-1990

FOR SALE:

A classic 1973 Bristol 32 yawl, hull #100, GRACIOUS LADY. She has an overhauled Volvo Diesel and is fully outfitted, including refrigeration, complete electronics, sails (with a cruising spinnaker) and much more. Her price is \$29,900.

Call Bob Lehner at home: 410 / 544-8966
or at work: 410 / 628-3294

Also for sale: that lovely Allied 35 Yawl, WHIM, a great cruising boat! Call Bill or Anne Sieling at 410 / 269-1604

Thanks to the generosity of last summer's southern bay cruisers, KELLY ANN will be sporting a brand new Ritchie SP5 compass in 1994. Frank and Nancy McCabe deeply appreciate the thoughtfulness of our fellow CBC cruisers.

A SIMPLE REQUEST



Bob and Jean Eaton, though they have had to sell their WINDSONG, are anxious to stay members of the Bristol Club which they have been part of for many years and where they have so many friends. They plan to come to land based events as they can, but Jean cannot drive at night!

They might be able to come to the Spring Dinner if a Good Samaritan could give them a ride! If you think you can help in the transportation department, give them a call at 410 / 285-7238

PS. Bob is now going up and down stairs, dressing himself, and showing great improvement since his stroke a year ago. Looks like our prayers may have done some good!

and now it is time for all good sailors to come to the party. . .
**WE'LL ALL BE WAITING FOR YOU AT THE THE BRISTOL
CLUB SPRING DINNER ON SATURDAY, MARCH 26th. 1994**

**at the THE RUSTIC INN
on West Street in Annapolis**

Come start the season with a wonderful
get-together, and a superb meal in
delightful company
in a beautiful
and private setting!

Just **\$ 30.00** per person
for the fantastic supper described
on the next page!

Your directories for 1994 will be ready
for you!

CASH BAR: 1800 hrs.

We just may have your participation
placques in time for presentation

DINNER: 1900 hrs.

**CALL IMMEDIATELY! FAYLA SHERRER MUST HAVE A
PRECISE COUNT BY WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23, AND YOU
DON'T WANT TO MISS OUT ON THIS ONE!**

**Her phone number is 410 / 647-6783
Please leave a message on her machine**

Be sure to bring your checkbook or cash, as our social committee will be at the door...and if
you reserve your dinner and do not come, you will be billed for it !



To reach the Rustic Inn from Washington:

Rt. 50 to Parole/Rt.450 exit. Stay in the left lane on the exit ramp. At the bottom of the exit ramp there is a traffic light where you will turn left. Go to the 3rd traffic light (approx. 1 1/4 mi). The Rustic Inn is on the right hand side at this 3rd light.

From Baltimore:

Take Rt. 97 to Rt. 50 east (Bay Bridge) Exit. A short way on Rt 50 take the exit Parole/Rt . 450. Stay in the left lane on the exit ramp. At the bottom of the exit ramp there is a traffic light where you will turn left. Go to the 3rd traffic light (approx. 1 1/4 mi). The Rustic Inn is on the right hand side at this 3rd light.

From the Eastern Shore:

On Rt. 50 cross over the New Severn River Bridge and in approx. 1/2 mile take the Parole Exit. Bear left to Parole/Rt. 2. At the first traffic light turn left. Go to the second traffic light (approx. 1 mi.) Rustic Inn is on the right hand side at this second light.

NOTE: Honda of Annapolis is across the street and Tate Dodge just before you reach the restaurant.

**Rustic Inn Welcomes
The Chesapeake Bristol Club**

March 26, 1994

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Butler Hors d'oeuvres:

Danish Shrimp
Barbequed Scallops and Bacon
Chicken Cordon Bleu
Lobster and Crab Puffs
Cajun Medley

Entrees:

Steak Au Poivre
Medallions of filet mignon served with an Au Poivre Sauce
(a robust sauce with green peppercorns, dijon mustard,
red wine demi-glaze, cream and mushrooms)

Seafood Rosetta
Lobster and Alaskan crab gently sauteed in butter, white
wine and herbs, then finished in a sauce of cream,
mushrooms and garlic, served over a
puff pastry shell

Accompaniments

House Specialty Salad/Dressing Armond
Bouquetiere of Fresh Vegetables
Mushroom Potatoes
Freshly Baked Rolls and Butter
Freshly Brewed Coffee and Tea

Dessert

Chocolate Bombe Flambe'

READ THIS. . . AND CALL NOW ! ! !

A SAILOR'S SPRING SONG

The ice has left the creek at last, and the air has lost its chill.
Last year's leaves have crumbled around each emerging daffodil.
The sun, a wee bit sooner each day, pops up into the skies,
And a faint, pale wash of budding green greets my hungry eyes.
The geese are honking overhead and the seagulls squawk and soar
They must know from nature's signs that winter is no more.
My favorite lady is bouncing about in the March winds' brisk embrace
And strains at her lines like a youthful filly at the gate before a race.
But I pat her stern and tell her that soon she'll get her spring rub-a dub
For her teak and her topsides and down below
are in need of a real good scrub...
But the sun is so soft and warm on my face
and I hear the siren call of the Bay...
So I slip her lines and hoist the sails and say *"Come on! Let's go play!"*

EARLY SUMMER EVENTS !

..... DON'T MISS A ONE !

MARCH 26 SPRING DINNER, Rustic Inn, Annapolis

APRIL 30 EARLY OUTING, Spa. Creek, Hospital Cove.

*MAY 14-15 SWAN CREEK, Spring Cove Marina.

MAY 28-30 GRANARY CREEK, WYE ISLAND.
TOGA PARTY!

*JUNE 11-12 BROAD CREEK, ON THE MAGOTHY.
NORM BOGARDE'S SUPER SUNFLOWER!



* BONKERS TWO will not be able to attend these two rendezvous... as her captain and mate will be attending to some neat family business.. a trip to the West Coast to visit #1 son and the June wedding of a very special nephew! YOUR EDITOR IS LOOKING FOR SOME NOSEY REPORTERS give her all of the news and nonsense from these events, and keep a tally of those folks who come. Volunteers? Please call Shirley at 301/656-9082. Many thanks!