

# HIDDEN HARBOR



JUN 2023 Are you ready to go boating? ISSUE 6

The Summer Cruising Season has Begun!

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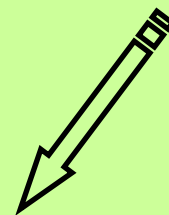
## Next Event Bremerton Bridge Blast

Cost is only  
**\$15 per person**  
Includes the Reservation fee  
**(\$5.00 per boat - already paid)**  
**Pizza, Beer and Prizes**

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**Bremerton Bridge Blast 2023**

**Next Newsletter and meeting**

# Commodores Column - APRIL



## Greetings from the Commodore

Welcome back! Thank you for reading...

This past month we held an event in Tacoma on Dock Street marina. The "Fiesta". The celebration was very well attended by 30 something people on eleven boats. Including some of the members that were brave enough to invite their kids and introduce them to us! Thank you. Jeremy, Tiah, Jane and myself hosted the event. Highlights included a buffet and cocktails at Zeeks on Friday night, a trip to the Glass Museum on Saturday afternoon ending the day with dinner on the dock. Doug and Jane made barbacoa, fresh tortillas specially brought up from Mexico for this event and all the trimmings including beans, garnishes, salsas, etc... Most had seconds and thirds... On Sunday the day started with a continental breakfast and mimosas on the dock. At noon we walked up to the LEMAY'S car museum. Everyone spread out and enjoyed the scene at their own pace. It is an amazing display! After all that walking some headed to a local Tacoma brewery called 7-Seas. Great place if you are ever in Tacoma. That evening was filled with cheer and eats at the "Old Spaghetti Factory". Monday morning continued with eating leftovers barbacoa burritos, continental breakfast and the prep for everyone to head to respective ports. Thank you

all for attending. It was a great Memorial weekend.

This past month and next we celebrate a number of important events starting with Memorial Day. As we all know this country was developed with hard work, freedom of choice and the ability to retain this freedom. But as we all know freedom is not "Free", hence the celebration of our fallen HEROS that made the ultimate sacrifice to protect this right for ALL of us that can we appreciate this today.

June also has some fun events. Father's Day is June 18<sup>th</sup>. Congratulations to all you fathers out there. Not the easiest job in the world but definitely the most rewarding of a lifetime (at least for me). June 21<sup>st</sup> is the first day of summer and begins the summer solstice marking the longest day of the year when the sun is at its highest and northernmost point in the sky! On the business:  
New discussion:

Two initiatives were voted and agreed upon at the last board meeting for nomination. Per the charter bylaws this decision was voted on by the board.

Club sponsorship of official events – *Event host reimbursement will continue. Paul will provide me a form that has been used in the past that will be submitted by the host to the treasurer.*

Suggested in person board meetings. *We will meet in person three times a year, spring, fall and winter. The other monthly meetings will continue on ZOOM.*

## Near term events:

June 13th Meeting Board  
Meeting (All Members welcome)  
Zoom Meeting Doug Gomez

June 23<sup>rd</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> Bremerton Bridge Blast

**Reservations for the Bridge Blast are full and we have two on the waiting list .**

Fleet Captain events yet to be officially scheduled:

Wine tasting – Woodinville – perhaps in the spring when weather cooperates.

Oysterfest - Shelton

Halloween costume party

Other? Ideas are WELCOMED

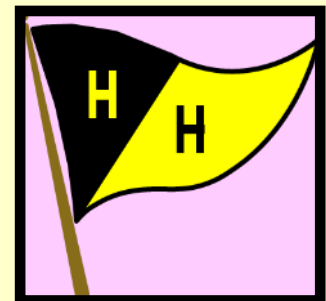
Thanks for those of you that have shared ideas on how to run things on events and meetings.

Again emails, texts and/or phone calls from all of you are most certainly welcomed.

Please reach out to myself and your bridge if needed. Vice Commodore; Dave Hoffman, Rear Commodore; Jeremy Hardy, Past Commodore Steve Kaimmer and our Board members; Dane Fantz, Paul Quinn, Jeff Quinn, Bart Kooyman, Sue Burke, Vick Portolese, Dennis Kroeger, Fleet Captain Terry Fantz and your communications director John Keene

As we commence boating season remember to: Give a Wide Berth. Meaning: Leave space for, veer around.

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## New Area - Member Comments

We are starting a new area in the newsletter  
For your comments  
Likes/dislikes, stories, areas of interest to the boating  
community or anything else  
pertinent to HHYC.  
Share your boating  
adventures with the membership.

Send to [jpaulquinn@gmail.com](mailto:jpaulquinn@gmail.com)

### From Dennis Kroeger:

If you are like many of us, you purchase many of the maintenance items from local sources. And you know the price of zincs has gone through the roof....Try USA Zincs at

[usazincs.com](http://usazincs.com)

Need a new burgee or your boat or tender?  
Let us know the size you need and we'll get it ordered.

Don't know the correct size for your country when flying the US Flag?

**For a sailboat, one-half inch on the fly for each foot of masthead height above the water.  
For a power boat, five-eighths inch on the fly for every foot of overall length of the craft.**

Do you know the proper use of a courtesy flag for a foreign country?  
When entering a foreign country you are supposed to fly a yellow flag (Quarantine) from the border to the customs dock.  
Once cleared by Customs, you fly that country's courtesy flag  
When reentering the US you are suppose to remove the foreign courtesy flag!

# Upcoming Events

## Bremerton Bridge Blast

June 23—25

Slips Reserved—15

Slips Remaining—0 \*

### Tentative Itinerary

Friday June 23th	5:00 PM	Blind wine tasting contest Bring a bottle of wine to enter into the contest. Deliver to Crew Lounge by 4:00PM
	6:00 PM	BBQ on Dock—Bring your meat to BBQ and a side dish to share.
Saturday June 24th	Morning	Breakfast on your own
	10:30 AM	Meet at the Crew Lounge to Walk, Dingy or Drive to Boat Shed for Lunch on the deck.
	6:00 PM	Pizza On Dock, Selection of beers provided
	Following Dinner	Find a viewing point to watch the fireworks
Sunday June 25th	Enjoy your morning	Minor Currents from 0700 till 1100

\* Additional Slips may be available

There are two yacht clubs there this weekend, so they expect to be full.

Call Bremerton Marina 360 377-3329

Cost for this event  
Only \$15/per person  
Please prepay at this link  
[Bremerton Bridge Blast](#)

## World Infamous HHYC Crab Derby

July 20 - 23rd

Details to follow in an E-mail

# Birthdays

## JUNE

05 - Randy Garon  
12 - Karen Heerensperger  
19 - Suzy Hoffman  
Bill Massey  
26 - Marilyn Vancrey

## July & August Birthdays

03 - Jim Haugen  
Julie Nesenblatt  
04 - Jim Templeman  
19 - Ken Jablonski  
21 - Dane Fantz  
26 - Bart Kooyman  
30 - Paul Ellis

## August Birthdays

09 - Jeremy Hardy  
16 - Mike Burke  
31 - Jeff Quinn

## DEALS

### Doc's Marina Grill

In Winslow offers club members with a current HHYC Membership card 15% off entrees at lunch and dinner Monday through Thursday and 10% off entrees at lunch and dinner Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

### La Conner Marina

Gives you winter rates, all summer long, for overnight moorage if you tell them you are with HHYC and have reciprocity with Swinomish Yacht Club. Have to go to the

## HHYC Monthly ZOOM Meeting June 13, 2023

Social Begins at 6:00  
Meeting at 6:30

Zoom sign in can be found on the Website in the members only section.

Again if you need help with Zoom,  
Contact Paul Quinn  
206 719-7199  
Well before the meeting!



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## [Click Here to join the meeting](#)

Hidden Harbor is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Social begins at 6:00 and Meeting at 6:30

Every month on the Second Tue, until Jun 13, 2023, 6 occurrence(s)

Jan 10, 2023 06:00 PM

Feb 14, 2023 06:00 PM

Mar 14, 2023 06:00 PM

Apr 11, 2023 06:00 PM

May 9, 2023 06:00 PM

Jun 13, 2023 06:00 PM

Please download and import the following iCalendar (.ics) files to your calendar system.

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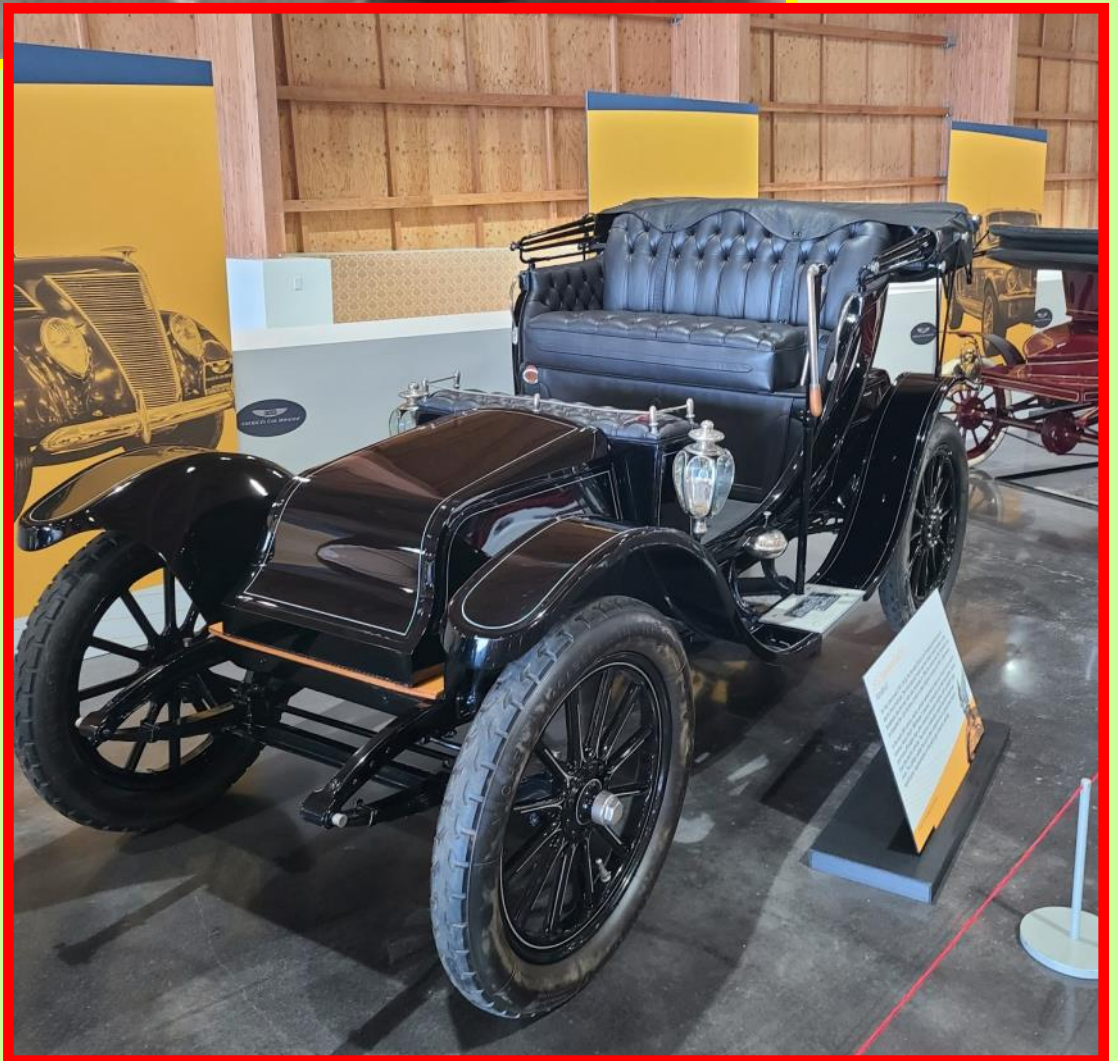


















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to all who  
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<b>2023</b>	<b>BRIDGE</b>
Commodore	Doug Gómez
Vice Commodore	Dave Hoffman
Rear Commodore	Jeremy Hardy
Past Commodore	Steve Kaimmer

<b>2023</b>	<b>OFFICERS</b>
Treasurer	Brenda Kooyman
Secretary	Terry Fantz
Fleet Captain	Terry Fantz
Communications	John Keene

<b>2023</b>
<b>Board Members</b>
Sue Burke
P/C Dane Fantz
P/C Bart Kooyman
P/C Dennis Kroeger
P/C Vic Portolese
P/C Jeff Quinn
P/C Paul Quinn

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<b>2023</b>	<b>APPOINTEES</b>
Clothing	Terry Fantz & John Keene
Health & Welfare	Open
Membership	P/C Paul Quinn
Newsletter	P/C Paul Quinn
Safety	P/C Bart Kooyman
Website	Jill Lehman



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**Non Hosted Events for 2023**

Several events throughout the year that are not officially organized by the club, but you can usually find HHYC members gathered.

- May 6 - 8** Opening Day of Boating Season. Look for the group in Union Bay or at QCYC or SYC.
- July 3 - 4** Fireworks Pending  
Enjoy your 4th safely
- Aug 4- 6** Sea Fair Weekend.
- Aug 14** 11th Annual Kitsap Wine Festival - Bremerton Marina.
- Oct 5 - 7** Shelton Oysterfest  
Shelton Yacht Club



# 2023 EVENT CALENDAR

Date	Event	Title	Location	Host
Apr 21 - 23	Tribute to the Eagles	Admiral Theater	Port Orchard Marina	Dennis Kroeger Brynn Sheridan
May 9	Meeting	Board Meeting (Members welcome)	Zoom Meeting	Doug Gomez
May 26 - 29	TBD	Memorial Day	Dock Street	Doug & Jane Gomez Jeremy & Thia Holt
June 13	Meeting	Board Meeting (Members welcome)	Zoom Meeting	Doug Gomez
Jun 23 - 25	BBB	Bremerton Bridge Blast	Bremerton Marina	Paul Quinn & Patty Cossack
Jul 20 - 23	Crab Derby	Crab derby	Cap Sante Marina	Dane & Terry Fantz
Sep 1 - 4	Oak Harbor	Labor Day Music Festival	Oak Harbor	Doug & Jane Gomez
Sept 12	Meeting	Board Meeting (Members welcome)	Zoom Meeting	Doug Gomez
Oct 10	Meeting	Board Meeting (Members welcome)	Zoom Meeting	Doug Gomez
<b>Nov 11</b>	<b>Commodores Ball</b>	<b>Commodores Ball</b>	<b>Queen City Yacht Club</b>	<b>P/C Steve Kaimmer</b>
Nov 14	Meeting	Board Meeting (Members welcome)	Zoom Meeting	Doug Gomez
Dec 12	Meeting	Board Meeting (Members welcome)	Zoom Meeting	Doug Gomez
		<b>2024</b>		
Dec 12	Meeting	Board Meeting (Members welcome)	Zoom Meeting	Dave Hoffman
Feb 13	Meeting	Board Meeting (Members welcome)	Zoom Meeting	Dave Hoffman
March 12	Meeting	Board Meeting (Members welcome)	Zoom Meeting	Dave Hoffman
April 9	Meeting	Board Meeting (Members welcome)	Zoom Meeting	Dave Hoffman

**Reminder There are no meetings in July or August**