



The Yardarm

Newsletter for The Hudson Cove Yacht Club

Spring 2013

Upcoming Events

Cruise to Croton
Saturday, May 25,
2013

**Raft-up activities
moved indoors!**

**Conference Center
17:00 (5 pm)**

The club will provide plates, cup, silverware, ice, etc.

Please bring an appetizer and beverage and if you wish to party longer an entrée and dessert.

Haverstraw Bay
Potluck Supper
Sunday, May 26,
2013

5:00 PM

South Side

**Check email for
weather related
changes.**

Commodore's Message

Winter is over and spring is in the air. We launched our season activities with a brunch at Bear Mountain State Park. About 41 members attended this Sunday afternoon delight. I want to thank Jon and Bobbie Potakie for making these wonderful arrangements. Continuing forward we met for a painting party at the marina conference center. It was work but also a lot of fun. I want to thank all the members who attendee and Jerry Cohen for buying supplies and arranging the event. Please

see his article for all the details.

I am pleased to welcome new members James Dias and Laura A. Grom into the club. Their boat, Surrender, is a 45 Ft. Hardin that they keep on a mooring in Nyack.

The official start of the boating season began with Commissioning Day on Saturday, May 18th. Despite the uncooperative weather Cocktails on the Dock went on a planned morphing into Cocktails in the Conference Center. hosted by Brenda and John

Edwards, a good time was had by all. The season will continue with Potlucks, overnight raft-ups, cruises to Keyport and the Long Island Sound and others TBD.

Marc Goldzweig

Commodore



HCYC Summer Cruises

July 4th Cruise to Raritan Bay

July 3 –7

Long Island Sound and Beyond Cruise

July 20—August 6 (more or less...your choice!)

***Labor Day Cruise to some delightful place on
the beautiful Hudson River***

August 31

To help in planning please let Captain of Cruising, Chuck Manley, know if you are interested in any or all cruises by email to Cloudspin@optonline.net

Educational Offering

Paper Piles Got You Down?

Have you wasted time looking for important papers?
Do you have "important papers" such as receipts, old income tax information, bank statements, and have no clue how long you should keep them?
Perhaps you have items you no longer want but don't want to throw them away and have no idea where you could donate them?

Find the answers to these questions and more
at

Conquer Clutter

with

Professional Organizer Linda Anders

DATE TBA at 7pm @ Hudson Cove Yacht Club Meeting

Haverstraw Marina Club House

The first half of the program focuses on eliminating paper piles and the second half on finding unused space.

Question about the program? Call Linda at 973-838-8298 or
email COC.Enterprises@yahoo.com or visit my website at <http://www.cocenterprisesllc.com>

Haverstraw Marina Conference Center

Paint Party, May 3, 2013

It was a beautiful Friday morning in early May. The temperature was about 46 F. Marc and Gail were unloading some paint roller frames, trays, roller extensions, and tarps from their car. Most importantly, they unloaded the bagels, cream cheese, butter and cookies. I brought in the paint, brushes, a roller frame, rollers pads, tape and tarps. Within an hour the rest of the volunteers came to help. I was really impressed with the turn out. They also brought painting equipment. We were set to paint. We assembled for breakfast around the coffee pot in the small room next to the kitchen. There, we planned out our attack on beautifying the conference room and the annex adjacent to it. First, we cleared out the tables and chairs and covered the TV and couches. Eileen exclaimed that she was an expert on free hand painting around the baseboards, windows, outlets, vents and radiators. Ed started painting the ceiling atop a 12 ft A-frame ladder with a pole extension. John Edwards' pole extension was fantastic. It was very light and strong. It could paint a 15 foot ceiling from the floor. I've got to get one of those! I spackled any remaining holes that weren't filled by Stu and Marc the night before. Everyone else picked up a brush or roller and painted. We finished about 1 p.m., congratulated ourselves, and ordered in pizza. After lunch, we cleaned up and noted how much brighter and cleaner a fresh coat of paint made the room look. I would like to thank everyone who volunteered: Marc and Gail Goldzweig, Ed Frank, Chuck and Eileen Manley, Stuart Finn, John Edwards, John Thielke and Richard Hansen. The Marina really appreciates the project and it is one way we can thank them for letting us use their room.

Jerry Cohen, Atora



**Hudson Cove Yacht
Club**

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29th Annual Open Regatta

June 22-23, 2013

AT THE HAVERSTRAW MARINA

HUDSON COVE YACHT CLUB

presents our

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2013 REGATTA

and

“Pig Roast”

TWO Races on Saturday, June 22 **ONE** Race on Sunday, June 23

Trophies Awarded in **ALL FLEETS**

Beer, wine, soda, and snacks during **AWARDS PRESENTATION**

HOT BREAKFAST for all racers served poolside

DRINKS and **DINNER** Saturday evening

SCHEDULE

Saturday: Hot Breakfast, Two Races, Evening Dinner

0800 - 0930 Breakfast poolside - Captain's meeting 0900

1130 Race #1 First Gun

1300 Race #2 First Gun (approximate)

1600 – 1700 Drinks and snacks poolside

1730 Dinner under the tent poolside

Sunday: Breakfast, One Race, Refreshments, Awards Ceremony

0800 – 0930 Breakfast poolside

1030 First Gun