



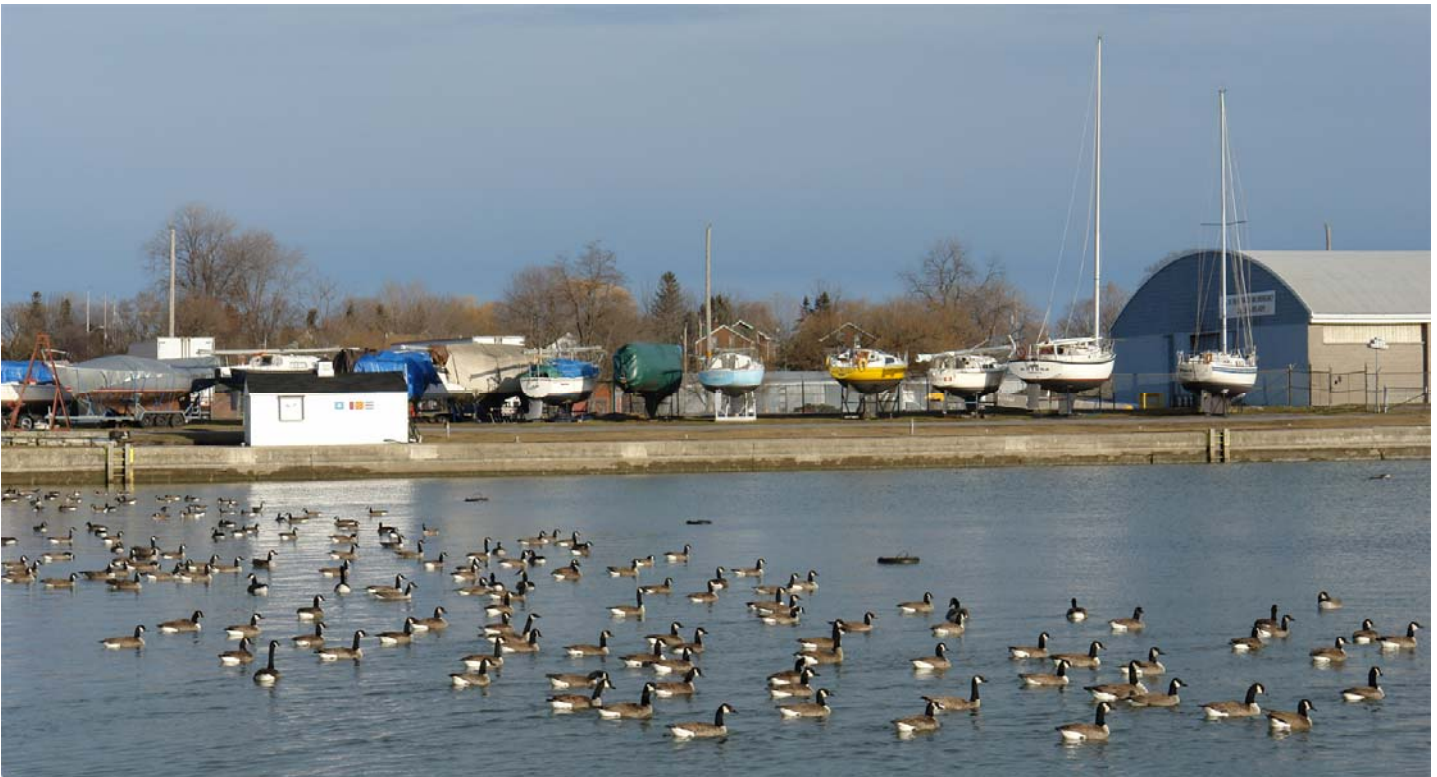
The Rudder

January 2006



Port Hope Yacht Club

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Time for Dreaming

Winter is dreaming time for sailors. The trains keep rumbling over the Port Hope viaduct, while the boats sleep below. As of mid January there was no snow on the ground, and daytime temperatures of up to 11 degrees. However, unlike golfers, we can't go down to the harbour and get in a quick sail. We can, however, dream...and wait for spring.

This issue of the Rudder contains the names and faces of the new executive, elected in November, and the revival of a column by the Commodore, Bob McCaw. It also contains racing results from the 2005 season, and a list of upcoming events. We hope you enjoy it.

Gary Woodill

Chris Woodill

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January 2006

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Schedule of Events

January 28, 2006 - Texas Hold'Em and Other Games

Come and try your luck. Learn the game from our resident experts or join in other games. What have you got to lose... but your shirt? Time: 6:30 start Bring some munchies to share and your choice of beverage if the club fridge doesn't suit you.

Members are to call Jan Marani at 905-885-5678 and sign up for participation in these events.

February 18, 2006 - Valentines Day Celebration

Bring your sweetheart to the club for a romantic evening on Port Hope's beautiful waterfront. A fine dining experience with the reflection of twinkling lights on the water.

Okay, so we all know that it is Cameco's lighting system but with some tasty lasagne and little red wine, we can allow our imaginations to take over. Time: 5:30 for drinks and appetizers

6:30 dinner Cost: Under \$10.00 per person BYOB

March 18, 2006 - St. Patrick's Day Celebration

Come and swig back a green beverage and bring a Potluck item to share. Something green would be great! Don't forget to wear your greens, too.

Time: 5:30 for 6:30 Cost: Potluck and BYOB

April 22, 2006 - Spring Fling

Jan and Glyn would like to wish everyone a Happy New Year and say a special Thank You to Sherene and Joan for their tremendous efforts over the past year(s). You are hard acts to follow!

Cobourg Yacht Club has invited members of the Port Hope Yacht Club to

SAILING NIGHT JANUARY 21, 2006 AT 6:30 P.M.

JIM AND EMMA SANDHAM WILL ENTERTAIN EVERYONE WITH A PRESENTATION ON THEIR TWO YEAR ADVENTURE

From the Helm

Greetings and a Happy New Year to you all! Donna and I are excited about the yacht club year ahead and hope that you are as well.

Your new executive met on Tuesday, January 10 with full attendance. We had an excellent meeting and covered many items to square away our direction for this new year. Secretary Nancy emailed me the next day and said, "The Executive felt revitalized and eager".

It will be, I'm sure, a very easy year for this year's exec., due to the efforts and well laid ground work by last year's team led by George Powell. The solid experience of Nancy in the Secretary's chair, the sharp pencil of Glynnis in the Treasurer's hot seat coupled with Mr. Harbour, Fred and Mr. Property, John, returning to their posts, the continuity will keep us on a true course. Scott is not new to the role of Sailing Master and is returning to a resurgence of numbers in the racing fleet. New to the executive (to be approved at the Spring General Meeting) are Jan Marani and Glyn Marr taking over the Social Committee. These two bring some amazing ideas, energy and enthusiasm to the table that is truly inspiring. I know that the phone committee has already sprung into action to inform you of Casino Night at PHYC on January 28. I hope everyone will participate in the events planned for the season. If not all events have been submitted to the editor of the Rudder by deadline, you can get the info from the events board in the clubhouse, on the website www.porthopeyachtclub.com or by the ever diligent phone committee. Your new Vice-Commodore, Hugh Nicholson is eager to get involved in all aspects of the Club and is going to be a huge asset with his attention to detail and desire to help in any capacity required.

It is exactly 10 years ago that I last served as Commodore to the Port Hope Yacht Club. A lot has happened in those 10 years. We have lost some great members who have moved away but still stay close with frequent visits and calls. Some have left this earth to sail on forever on the never ending sea. We have also gained some amazing new members who have jumped in to the breach with high spirits and enthusiasm. The comradery that members past and present share is a tribute to the Founding Members and to the yachting spirit that has blessed our Club over the years. Our lease with the town and the removal of the low level radiation material in the harbour are perennial issues that your executive are on top of and will have full reports for you at the Spring General Meeting.

We'll see you on the 28th!

Yours in Sailing,

Bob McCaw

*Members are reminded that
2006 club dues are to be sent
to Glinnis Tomkinson by
January 28th*

In memoriam - George Brower

One of PHYC's best friends, George Brower from Brockport Yacht Club, died on Thursday, January 19th, after having a massive stroke in the previous week. The memorial service for George was on January 21st in Rochester. George was one of the first people I met when I first started going on the cross-lake weekends 20 plus years ago and was always standing on the dock at BYC with a beer in each hand for his Canadian friends when they arrived and always made the trip across the lake either by car or boat when it was our turn to entertain. He and Muriel were very active members at BYC and will be greatly missed.

Contributed by Richard Newman-Jones - sailer@sympatico.ca

Port Hope Yacht Club Phone Teams

Team One

Captain: Jim and Glenda Metcalfe	905-743-2607
Stuart and Glynnis Mills	905-885-2798
Bill and Susan Jaine	905-885-7742
Ric Newman-Jones	905-372-1313
John and Faye Shaw	905-786-2467
Scott Tomkinson	905-885-2798
Tony and Delores Peters	905-885-6122
Jan Marani	905-885-5678
[We are looking for volunteers for new Team One captain]	

Team Two

Captain: Rob and Lynn Prewar	905-885-7647
Jeff and Cathy Boon	905-376-4408
Orn and Norman Haraldsson	905-372-8411
Ed and Mary Hellier	905-377-8921
Damon and Stephanie Jacobs	905-342-9801
Danny and Donna Lee	905-373-1616
Ron Linton	905-372-8761
Gary Woodill	905-885-6402

Team Three

Captain: Fred and Dawn Reid	905-885-5178
Wayne and June Armstrong	613-475-1131
Ruby Evans Shaw	905-372-8008
Brad and Chris Kelly	905-885-9633
Brian and Nancy Lindsay	905-885-9923
Stephen and Margaret Rhines	905-373-4568
Darren and Joyce Shaw	905-373-0433
Peter and Melissa Wotherspoon	705-939-6448
Jim Graham	905-376-6283

Team Four

Captain: Lynn and Joan Pearce	905-786-2139
Dirk and Bonnie Boon	905-433-2931
Roger Godin	905-697-0988
Bob and Donna McCaw	905-987-2095
George and Marianne Powell	905-263-2762
Chris and Cheryl Thompson	905-623-2801
Brad Treuren	905-885-8785
Glyn and Mavis Marr	905-728-8723
William and Elizabeth Henry	905-885-1131

Team Five

Captain: Franz and Ruth Kreuz	705-745-6207
Noreen Greer	705-743-3396
Dieter and Sherene Hrcncir	705-295-6053
Bob and Doris Lockie	705-742-4555
Hugh Nicholson	705-745-3174
John and Roberta Steeves	705-939-2948



From left to right: Scott Tomkinson - Sailing, George Powell - Past Commodore, John Steeves - Property & Club Historian, Bob McCaw - Commodore, Hugh Nicholson - Vice-Commodore, Fred Reid - Harbour, (back) Nancy Jones-Lindsay - Secretary, (front) Jan Marani - Social, Glynnis Tomkinson - Treasurer. Missing is Glyn Marr - Social.

Pictures from the Commodore's Ball



2005 Race Results

Overall

- 1st over all Dirk Boon and Steve Rhines
- 2nd Darren Shaw
- 3rd Scott Tompkins

Spring Single Handed

- 1st Dirk Boon
- 2nd Tony Peterson
- 3rd Bob Mcaw

Tubby Graham

- 1st Geoff Boon
- 2nd Bob Mcaw

Ken Bates Single Handed

- 1st Dirk Boon
- 2nd Geoff Boon
- 3rd Darren Shaw

Centennial Cup First PHYC Boat

- 1st Dirk Boon



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Port Hope Yacht Club is a smaller club by Lake Ontario standards, but what it lacks in size, it makes up for in its friendliness. The main street of the Town of Port Hope is a short walk from the yacht club and offers a wide variety of shops to choose from. The town also offers several eating establishments and pubs.

Visitors can tie up to the east or west wall of the harbour and have full access to the club and kitchen facilities, until 10:00 o'clock at night. All visitors with reciprocal rights are entitled to their first night free and for visitors without reciprocal rights, there will be a \$15.00 charge. The club has pump out facilities and there is a \$15.00 charge per pump out.

When arriving at Port Hope it is recommended that you contact the club on channel 68 for instructions. You can also see a sounding chart on our web site. Port Hope Yacht Club Harbour mouth has been dredged and has enough depth to accommodate most boats.

We of the Port Hope Yacht Club look forward to welcoming you and enjoying your company.

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