

JUNE 2022 BAY OF QUINTE YACHT CLUB

Onboard



Maiden voyage of Krissy's Shark - Krissy, Brian, Kenny

Photo: Steve Macklin



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New bar hours

Monday to Friday 4:00pm -10:00pm Saturday-Sunday 11:00am-7:00pm

Please come out and support the Club. We need everyone to make use of the longer open hours to justify the additional cost of staffing for the longer days 7 days a week.

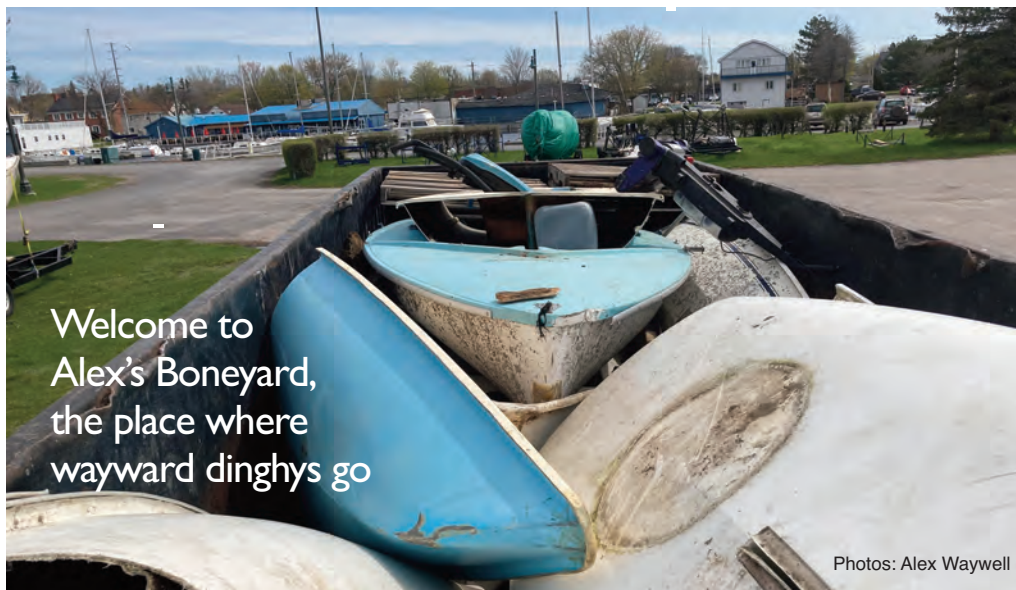
ALEX WAYWELL *Grounds Director*

New weed fans

You may have noticed that new weed fans have been installed by the city. Thank you Joe and Josh. The fans are programmed to slowly rotate through 360 degrees. They do have a hum to them so Josh is working on that issue with the supplier. They ask that we do not turn them off or mess with the buttons on top. But if the breaker has tripped, it is OK to restart them.

Thank you City for paving our lot!

And they were good enough to fill a couple of extra holes. Thanks guys.



Welcome to
Alex's Boneyard,
the place where
wayward dinghys go

Photos: Alex Waywell



Keelboats enjoying a stiff breeze.



A VIOLENT STORM
RIPPED THROUGH
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THURSDAY JUNE 16



This 420 trailer blew completely across
the club lawn stopping near the ramp.
Optis and Lasers were flying everywhere

- Steve Macklin



Photo: Myron Lasko

Dennis Baskin, Bernie King, John Trueman, Ian MacPherson, Bob Owen, Trevor Waller, Dale Holland, Egan Wenzloff, Khristina Davis, Pat Holcolme, Vice Comm Jim McGuinness

Due to high winds the Past Commodores Sail Past on the water was cancelled and resumed indoors



Bernie was that you?



Who fluffed?

Photos: Maxine Holland

Lift In was a little nudge,
a little pull, a little paddle
for some.



An ideal opportunity to sharpen paddling skills

Photos: Dale Holland

Cruising plans for this summer

I am currently working towards my ASA 101 Basic Keelboat Sailing, 103 Basic Coastal Cruising, 104 Bareboat Cruising certifications through North Shore Reaching sailing school in Brighton Ontario.

I plan to get out as often as possible between work days and weekends to some local cruising destinations - some of my favourites are Grassy Cove and Hay Bay. I am still finding time and planning a cruising trip for later in the summer - stay tuned. If you have any cruising destinations planned, share them with other BQYC members through the cruising event creator form on the BQYC cruising webpage.

The BQYC cruising webpage is new and includes information on reciprocal clubs, cruising events and popular cruising destinations. Under the cruising events section you can find upcoming events, annual events and a sign up form for social members wanting to go for a cruise with a willing BQYC skipper. Popular cruising destinations including popular anchorages and moorings east and west of BQYC, popular waterways, information on cruising to the USA and other useful resources. Be sure to check it out and offer any suggestions!

BQYC member Andrew Chisholm at @waszpusa ACCs

Andrew Chisholm Had a fun time at the @waszpusa ACCs.

Conditions really varied. I learned a lot and had some pretty good moments.

The goal for the event was to learn as much as possible, results were a bit of an after thought. I struggled to maintain my positioning during the races - especially as the breeze picked up. At home I'm going to focus on boat speed, tuning and manoeuvres. A big thanks to the @waszpusa class for running this event.



Format for dinghy racing

- All boats are welcome. A group of 3 or more boats will be scored as a one design fleet. Provided it is available an estimated PHRF rating will be used for all other boats
- There will be 4 series held (A, B, C, D)
- Series A and C will be 9 regular length races and one long distance race (weather permitting)
- Series B and D will be 9 regular length races (weather permitting)
- Standard sailboat racing rules and scoring are applicable.
- The Race Committee will set up a course for all regular racing. Most of the races will use Mark #2 as part of the course (Finish line / Windward Mark) unless otherwise specified by the RC
- The leeward rounding will be a gate comprised of the finish line marks
- Regular courses will be twice around, windward - leeward.
- The RC will attempt to make regular races at a distance that will take 20-30 minutes to sail.

- Starting sequence will be 5 minutes, one start for all boats
- Long Distance Races will be decided on the day of the race. Skippers meetings will be held at noon on the back deck. The RC will attempt to start the LD race at mark # 2 if possible.
- If a competitor sails 9 races in any series, they may drop the two worst races
- If a competitor sails 10 races in any series they may drop the three worst races. The long distance race cannot be counted as the third drop

DAN MUNROE Fleet Captain, Dinghy & Sail Training

Dinghy Racing Series 2022

BQYC will be holding a Dinghy Series throughout the season. It will be an opportunity for our dinghy sailing members to be involved in some organized racing. Even though it will be organized for the season, members who want to come out for an occasional race are encouraged to do so. If you would like to participate, even for only a few races, email

Chris Danner at katiegray@bqyc.ca

to be added to the fleet list
or phone me at **438-863-7747**.





Photos: Dale Holland ALTS logo design: Joel Filtjers





Recapping over pizza

Photos: Dale Holland



Out on the water

Whistlin' Sheets



Would you bet \$200?

That's the cost of a fine for not having the required safety equipment in good working order on your boat.

Let CPS-ECP volunteers help you beat the odds. BQYC volunteers are **Dale and Maxine Holland**.

We will check your boat for free... and if you have everything you need, you'll get a Safety Inspection sticker

If you don't have everything... we will explain exactly what you should have on board so you can be sure to win that bet. And once you are boating safely, you're not just saving \$200 - you could be saving your life.

The Smit Brothers dive, dive, dive

Martin Smit and son dove down and recovered QS dock anchor chain. They also found the QS ladder that we did not even realize was gone .

Photo: Steve Macklin



BQYC 2022 SHARK CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIP



Eager for More wins 2022 Shark24 Canadians

Bay of Quinte Yacht Club was honored to host the 2022 Shark24 Canadian Championships on June 25-26.

The fleet consisted of 27 boats representing 11 different clubs in Ontario and Quebec with crews travelling from as far as Montreal, Windsor, and Niagara.

Friday night included registration, boat inspection, rudder weigh-ins, crane launching, and a welcome BBQ. Teams spent the evening catching up with sharkie friends over a beer.

On Saturday, Race Officer **Bill Visser**, with support from local club members got off 4 clean races. With south winds, the fleet had to travel out to Big Bay which also mitigated risk of weeds on rudders in the local bay. The sun was hot and the wind was light and fickle prompting postponements. An aggressive fleet prompted 4 general recalls on the day. Sharks *Eager for More* from RCYC and *Not2Bad* from WYC claimed 2 bullets each to set the stage heading into Sunday.

Saturday Evening saw Beer Tasting by **Meyers Creek Brewery**, a fabulous Pig-Roast dinner put on by BQYC members, and live music on the deck. Regatta Chair **Chad Starr** drew boat names for a large list of prizes donated by the sponsors that helped make the Regatta Fun.

Sunday morning dawned cooler with consistent 8 knot south winds which again called for travelling to Big Bay to fit in a larger course. The aggressive fleet prompted more general recalls resulting in a Black Flag start in Race 2. *JLS* from KYC sailed extremely fast and claimed bullets in the first 2 races. In Race 7, *Toga Party* from WYC jumped out to a quick lead and then held off the fleet to take the final race. The regatta only saw one protest that was handled via Zoom with a Regional Judge and committee.

With 7 races in the books, Sharks headed back to BQYC to a waiting crane and quick haul-out. Regatta Chair **Chad Starr** presented the final results with *Eager for More* holding their lead to win the 2022 Shark Canadians – Well done !

The final act was to draw for a Shark Jib provided by **KSL Sails** which was won by *Eager for More* crew member **Andrew Barlow** (for his own Shark!).

Top 5 Boats

- 1st *Eager for More* – Royal Canadian YC – Greg Cockburn, Andrew Barlow, Paul Ziemer
- 2nd *Not2Bad* – Whitby YC – Murry McCullough, Mike Kern, Carolyn Burgess
- 3rd *Jonathan Livingston Seagull* – Kingston YC – Peter Van Rossem, Matt Fair, Josh Wilby
- 4th *Rampant* – Niagara-on-the-Lake YC – Levi Harper, Jacob Harper, Malcolm Harper
- 5th *Tiger Niles* – Bay of Quinte YC – Jeff Mitchell, David O'Sullivan, Jamie Foy

LINK to BQYC Regatta page for Sailwave results and photos (<https://bqyc.ca/2022-shark-regatta>)

BQYC can be very proud of a well hosted regatta. It took the combined efforts from over 30 club members handling planning, acquiring sponsorships and prizes, registration, crane launching, boat inspection and weigh-ins, dock and trailer management. Club members prepared and served a Friday night BBQ, Saturday and Sunday breakfasts, Saturday dinner, and helped the bar staff keep things run smoothly around the club. Club members were engaged on the water manning the RC boat, mark boat, pin boat, safety boat, as well as Judge coordination. Thanks to **Bill Lowther** for the use of *Tiger* as a very comfortable RC boat.

Special nod to Regatta Chair **Chad Starr**.

Thanks to all Sharks that travelled to Belleville for the Regatta. - **Steve Macklin**



Photo: Graeme Young



THE WINNERS:

1st place

Eager for More, RCYC

Skipper Greg Cockburn and crew

2nd place:

Not2Bad, WYC

Murray McCullough, Mike Kern, Carolyn Burgess



3rd place

Jonathon Livingston Seagull, KYC

Peter Van Rossem, Matt Fair, Josh Wilby



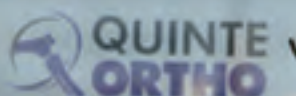
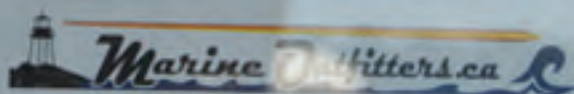
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MUSIC ON THE PATIO SUMMER SERIES

Fridays 5:30pm —7:30pm

- July 1 **Savage Family Band** (rock/jazz)
- July 8 **Beer Battered Blues** (blues)
- July 15 **The Brian Legere Trio** (jazz)
- July 22 **Matt Smith** (roots/country)
- July 29 **Seventh Town** (celtic)
- Aug 5 **Spencer Evans** (variety)
- Aug 19 **Elmwood Harmony** (acoustic duo)
- Aug 26 **Benni Vander** (classic rock)

*Caribbean
Night and
Steel Drums*

Saturday August 13



Peter Schilling discovered our own beaver colony. First there was one, then two and then three

Then Steve Macklin discovered the gravel digger