

# CONNECTIONS

FEBRUARY 2006

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**PORT ROYAL YACHT CLUB** Redondo Beach, CA

A Friendly, Casual, Fun-loving Group Devoted to Social and Boating Activities



## Port Royal Yacht Club

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Redondo Beach  
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## COMMODORE'S COMMENTS

Last Sunday, February 12, was our Valentine's Whale Watch. A couple dozen of us went out on three power boats, Tom & Judy Vavrek's Jackpot, Don & Cathy Mueller's Bottom Time, Chris & Jennifer Dalziel's Willowind, & Kevin Herink's

Enigma 2. We all went out hoping to see at least one whale. Well, what we saw instead was so unbelievably magnificent that it almost defies description. We found ourselves in the middle of hundreds (maybe thousands) of dolphins, playing in our wakes, jumping in and out of the water, traveling so close to the bows of the boat that we could almost touch them. We could even see how their blow-holes opened and closed when came up for air. It seemed to go on forever and was incredibly amazing. After we finally left – really they left us – there was a Sunday brunch at the Club. We had Lobsters Benedict, sausage & eggs, pastries, bagels & cream cheese, sandwiches, and other goodies all donated by our generous members. As always, there was so much more than we could eat and it all was wonderful. Needless to say, a good time was had by all.



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# **PORT ROYAL YACHT CLUB**

## **2006 BOARD**

<b>Commodore</b>	<b>Sue Meyer</b>
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<b>Fleet Captain</b>	<b>Jack Laisure</b>
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<b>Race Captain</b>	<b>Dave Coleman</b>
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<b>Port Captain</b>	<b>Adam Thomas</b>
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<b>Quatermasters</b>	<b>Bob Carlson, Pat Paxson</b>
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*Shawn*



*Bob*



*Mike*



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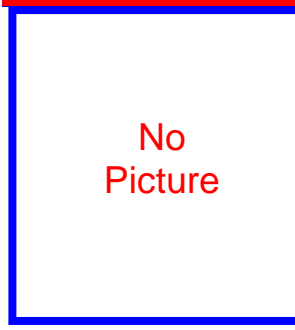
*Dave*

**Fleet Captain**



*Jack*

**Port Captain**



No  
Picture

*Adam*

## NEW DRINK PRICES

(As of 2/9/06)

Water & Soda.....	\$0.75
Wine.....	\$1.75
Canned Beer.....	\$2.00
Bottled Beer.....	\$2.50
Cocktails.....	\$3.00



Hey baby, shake me a couple martinis straight up!

## Street Closures Sunday, February 26th

### AMGEN tour of California Bike Race in Redondo

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING STREETS  
WILL BE CLOSED WITH NO VEHICULAR  
TRAFFIC OR PARKING.

**King Harbor Marina**

**Port Royal Marina**

**Portofino Marina**

**Redondo Beach Marina**

- PACIFIC AV. BETWEEN N.CATALINA AV. & N. HARBOR DR., 1200 NOON UNTIL 5:00 PM.
- N. HARBOR DR. BETWEEN PACIFIC AV. & BERYL ST., 5:00 AM UNTIL 5:00 PM.
- N. HARBOR DR. BETWEEN BERYL ST. & MARINA WY., 9:00 AM UNTIL 5:00 PM.
- N. HARBOR DR. BETWEEN MARINA WY. & HERONDO AV., 12:00 NOON UNTIL 5:00 PM.

Times subject to modification; contact information: R.B.P.D. (310) 379-2477 X12651.  
Your cooperation is appreciated.

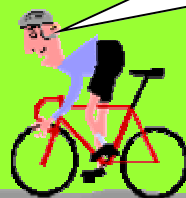


Don't forget.....

Sun., Feb 26, the Bike Race will be coming thru Redondo. It should be an exciting event. The city is expecting 50,000 to 60,000 people so get down here early and plan to stay because no cars will be able to get through. For more info go to

[www.amgentourofcalifornia.com](http://www.amgentourofcalifornia.com)

My butt hurts and I need to get to PRYC for a beer!



# PORT ROYAL YACHT CLUB 2006 Calendar

February 5	Change of Watch/Super Bowl & Chili Cook off
February 8	<u>Board of Directors Meeting</u>
February 12	Whale Watch
February 26	Tour of CA Bike Race (Harbor Drive closed all day)
March 8	<u>Board of Directors Meeting</u>
March 12	International Order of the Blue Gavel Wine Tasting
March 18	St. Patrick's Day Party
April 8	SCYA Board Meeting/Luncheon
April 9	Opening Day
April 12	<u>Board of Directors Meeting</u>
May 6	Cinco de Mayo Party
May 10	<u>Board of Directors Meeting</u>
May 26 – 28	Santa Barbara Island Cruise
June 3	First Weekend of Officer of the Day Duty
June 14	<u>Board of Directors Meeting</u>
June 17	Plastic Classic Race
July 4	Independence Day BBQ
July 12	<u>Board of Directors Meeting</u>
July 22	Port Royal Marina BBQ
August	Cal YC or Cabrillo YC Cruise
August 9	<u>Board of Directors Meeting</u>
August 26	End of Summer Bash & Fundraiser
September	Isthmus Cruise
September 13	<u>Board of Directors Meeting</u>
October 7	Wine Tasting
October 11	<u>Board of Directors Meeting</u>
October 28	Halloween Party
November 8	<u>Board of Directors Meeting</u>
November 17 – 19	Marina del Rey Predicted Log Race & Lobster Fest
December 9	Tree Trimming Christmas Party & General Meeting
December 16	King Harbor Boat Parade & PRYC Party
December 31	New Year's Eve Party



HEY DUDES, THIS AIN'T ANIMAL HOUSE. IT'S A YACHT CLUB!!



Housekeeping Note: Please clean up & pick up after yourselves. Our Club is for all of our members. Don't leave a messy kitchen, bar, or other areas for others to have to clean including the refrigerator which sometimes is host to several science projects. We have a cleaning crew that comes in once a week, but we need to help out in between. Thank you.

