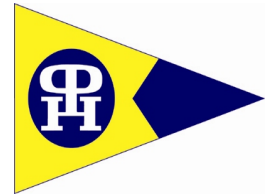


Port Hope Yacht Club



The Rudder



From The Helm

February 2010



Hello everyone. Well another month has already gone by and not much to report. We are still looking for some new people to takeover at least one of the phone call lists. If you are interested, please email anyone on the executive, don't be shy. I would encourage everyone to come out and enjoy our clubs many social events. Kate puts a lot of time and effort into these events and always ensures that members have a great time.

Remember that participation is the key to keeping our club viable and fun. Although our numbers were small for the fridge fundraiser event, we still managed to raise \$210. If you were not there, you missed seeing your Commodore get a pie in the face. (I lost the bet).

**Rob Prewer
Commodore**

Sailing

On February 27th at 7:00 p.m. we will be having a racing party. We will be having hamburgers and hotdogs, while watching movies such as "Wind" and "Morning Lights". All racers are welcome to come out and enjoy the evening.

**Scott
Sailing**

Social



Ahoy mates! Thank you to those of you that came out to the Luau. We had some great food and lots of fun. Unfortunately our fridge fundraiser event was only attended by 11 club members and 2 guests. Even though there were so few, we still raised an amazing \$ 210! I want to thank those who did come out and support the Club and gave so generously. Our next function will be our Valentine pot luck on February 13th with cocktails at 6:00 p.m. and dinner at 7:00 p.m. There will be prizes for the best food dish. Please dress in your pinks and reds. I am going to be holding a greeting card workshop on February 22nd at 7:00 p.m. There will be a cost of \$10.00 and you will walk away with 10 unique cards. I will walk everyone, step by step through the process to create the different greeting cards. All you will need to bring is yourself and your money. Friends of members are welcome. Please let me know by February 15th if you would like to attend so I can have the supplies available.

I hope to see you all soon! Kate

Information Corner

Point Breeze – Construction of a lighthouse at the entrance to Oak Orchard Harbour at Point Breeze is scheduled to begin mid-February, with completion anticipated by June 01. The original lighthouse was built in 1891 on the harbour's west side on a pier almost 1,000 feet from the shore. It was abandoned by the Federal Government in 1905. It rapidly fell into disrepair, and by 1916, was swept away in as December squall. The tower light, though not Coast Guard-regulated, will approximate the intensity of a streetlight and, at 32 feet tall, the historic replica will stand as a monument to help guide lake travelers to safe harbour.

Bob McCaw
Club Web Master

Photo Gallery

