



Puerto Galera Yacht Club Newsletter

June 2019

Upcoming Events

May 13 - Oct 1

**LOW SEASON Club and
Service boat schedule**

**November 1-3
All Souls Regatta.**

**Every Friday Night
BBQ Night**

**Every Wednesday @
6:30PM
Curry Night Buffet**



PRA Easter Regatta

The 2019 Easter Regatta ran from Good Friday, 19th April to Easter Sunday 21st and attracted over 20 entrants. Competitors enjoyed three full days of racing with 10 to 15-knot easterly winds under clear skies.

Puerto Galera has hosted a regatta for racing yachts, cruising yachts and multihulls every year since the Easter of 1991. In terms of continuity, at least two of the entries, Rags and Aragorn have taken part in every Easter Regatta since 1991. Additional excitement was provided by the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club who made Puerto Galera the finish for their bi-annual race to the Philippines that coincided with the Easter Regatta. First places winners for their respective class are Soniya, Aragorn, and Anthea – WELL DONE!

PGYC's F&B staff did a splendid job catering to the hungry and thirsty crews and Coco Band provided easy listening on Saturday evening.

The PGYC Easter Regatta 2019 was sponsored by the Philippine Retirement Authority. Supporting sponsors were: Broadwater Marine, Chetz Marine Supplies, Arpa Energy (Patrick), Lane Records Management, and Asian Tigers.

2019 Board of Directors

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Small Boat Program

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Sailing Events

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Marine Operations

Mike Chetkowski

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John Mel Smit

EASTER REGATTA 2019											
Yacht Name	Skipper	Class	Rating	Day1	Day2	Day3	Class		Day 3	Overall	Overall
							Total	Place	Combined	Total Points	Place
							0			0	
Soniya	Kareem Magill	Multi	0.995	2	1	1	4	1	1	5	1
Freewheeler	David Wheeler	PYC	1.027	4	3	1	8	2	2	10	2
Aragorn	Gundolf Ahrens	PYC	1.252	1	1	3	5	1	6	11	3
Papaya II	Renie Ticzon	PYC	0.865	5	2	2	9	3	4	13	4
Anthea	John Quirk	RC	0.879	2	5	2	9	1	5	14	5
Rags	Alan	RC	0.863	9	2	1	12	5	3	15	6
Sandaway	Alan Burrell	RC	0.780	3	4	3	10	2	7	17	7
Princess Arieta	Dale Godkin	PYC	1.015	2	4	4	10	4	8	18	8
Magayon II	Miriam Gummert	Multi	1.150	1	2	2	5	2	14	19	9
Irresistable	Kevin Moylan	RC	0.927	1	6	4	11	3	9	20	10
Emocean I	Michael Raeuber	RC	0.682	5	1	5	11	4	10	21	11
Zenity	Darius Garcia	Multi	1.140	3	3	3	9	3	16	25	12
Neptunus III	Mark Petrie	PYC	1.045	3	5	5	13	5	13	26	13
Savage	Peter Waa	RC	0.715	4	3	7	14	6	12	26	14
Emocean	Chris Pooley	RC	0.867	6	7	6	19	7	11	30	15
Amihan	Brian Richardson	PYC	0.935	7	6	6	19	6	15	34	16
Guinevere II	SBP	PYC	1.118	6	7	7	20	7	17	37	17
Santorini		PYC	1.010	9	9	10	28	9	21	37	18
Dany II	Mel Smit	RC	0.872	7	8	9	24	8	21	45	19
Makani Loa	Mike Whittington	PYC	0.870	8	8	10	26	8	21	47	20



As always, we need your help with Newsletter contributions in the form of letters to the editor, photos – old and new, articles on water activities, suggestions, etc. All input is valuable, so drop it off at the club office or email us at communications@pgyc.org. With your help, this newsletter will be far more informative and interesting. The next Newsletter will be September.

Note from the Commodore



After a successful Easter Regatta, we now enter the "low season." The low season is always a challenge for the club financially and we need your support. Come to the Yacht Club to dine, drink, and celebrate. We can organize any event up to 100 people. Thank you for your help and member support.

Board Meeting and Committee Updates

Moorings

To prepare for the upcoming typhoon season Leo and Marco Petrie inspected the mooring ropes on each boat the week of May 13th. Most of the yachts were secured adequately, but a few were in need to work and yacht owners will be contacted by office to schedule work.

Many challenges exist in the mooring field such as FSL anchor lines throughout the mooring field, the wake from Genesis boats, and local bangka traffic. These issues are long standing and

Lead Staff

The staff work tirelessly every day without fanfare, so if you have any comments, suggestions, or **glowing reviews** – please let them know!

Club Manager: Alma
Service Boat: Leo
Maintenance: Primo
Kitchen: Noriel
Sailing Instructor: Rosal

change is slow to non-existent. Good news lately however; the FSL anchor line issue is slowly being resolved as they are being moved out of Muelle. Thus far, about ½ have been moved and the remaining are pending.

Communications and Membership

As mentioned in the last newsletter, the data usage is very high and we could use your help in limiting high bandwidth use (downloads, etc). For the last year or so, we typically run out of data around the 12-14th of every month. We are currently reviewing options; increase data to meet current demand, curb current use to meet data budget, or continue on as we have historically.

Marine Operations

As you may have noticed, the outboards on the service boats were making a lot of noise the last couple months. We are pleased to report that all outboard parts needed for repairs have been received and fitted. The Commodore along with Director Mike tried an electric outboard on a donor dinghy as an initial test and they are pleased. We are now heading to next phase, which will be to try a larger electric outboard with a larger battery on one of the service boats. We hope to have one of the service boats operating with an electric outboard on solar power in the not too distant future!

Resto

The new oven is installed with adequate ventilation and fully functional. Hopefully we will bake bread and other goodies soon.

Please note that the low season menu is in effect. There are actually 3 menus depending on the day of the week, so please ask staff for a menu next time you visit the club.



PUERTO GALERA YACHT CLUB, INC
LOW SEASON SCHEDULE
STARTS on Monday May 13, 2019

Office:

Monday closed but you can contact the Club Manager at +639175205874 for any inquiry from 8am to 5pm.
Tuesday-Friday 8am-5pm
Saturday 8am-12noon

Bar and Restaurant:

Monday closed
Tuesday-Thursday 12noon-8pm (Flexible at 9pm)
Friday-Sunday 8am-9pm (Friday flexible until 11pm)

Service boat:

Monday - Thursday 8am-9am, 12noon - 10pm
Friday-Sunday 8am-10pm (Friday flexible until 11pm)
(Every 15mins but can be flexible during Friday)

For your inquiry please contact us at clubhouse@pgyc.org
Contact no. 09175205874 / 043 287-3401

**FYI - International
Maritime Bureau Safety
Notice**

The ICC - International Maritime Bureau (IMB) was established in 1981 to act as a focal point in the fight against all types of maritime fraud, malpractice and piracy. ALL INFORMATION RECEIVED WILL BE TREATED IN STRICT CONFIDENCE. THE MARITIME SECURITY HOTLINE CAN BE CONTACTED 24 HOURS A DAY, EVERY DAY AT: EMAIL: IMBSECURITY@ICC-CCS.ORG OR TEL: +603 2031 0014; FAX: +603 2078 5769.

Small Boat Program (SBP)

We are pleased to welcome Danielle Patricia Booth (Daughter of the Blue Resort owner in Sabang) and Saraj Kuxhausen to the ranks of sailors!



Yacht Resources

If you know of a person for a given service – email me (communications@pgyc.org) with the name, mobile #, and service offered and I'll include it. As always, do your own due diligence.

Retail - Chandlery

Broadwater Marine, Subic Bay Freeport – Extensive Chandlery and Catalogue
www.broadwatermarine.com, mobile : 09178323447, sales@broadwatermarine.com

Chetz Marine, Puerto Galera – Bangka Pro Inflatables, kayaks, Rule/Jabsco Marine, Mares Scuba. Mike is a club member and if he can't help you, he can often point you in the right direction. <https://www.facebook.com/CHETZMarineSupplies/>, mobile: 09153796455

Als Marine, Manila – Yamaha Outboard Agent
mobile: 09178725688

Hyde Sails, Lapu-lapu City, Cebu, Philippines (pictured above)
orders@hydesails.com.ph, +63 (0)3234 14611

YHI (Philippines), Trojan Battery, Manila. Trojan Battery *DISTRIBUTOR*. Telephone: +63 46 5129256, Email: jason@yhi.com.ph, Web Site: www.yhi.com.sg

Arpa Energy (Patrick), Puerto Galera, Victron authorized dealer and solar panels. Has worked on many local yachts here and excellent resource!
mobile: 09162919594, <http://www.facebook.com/ArpaEnergy>

Boat yards/Haul Out

Watercraft Marine, Subic Bay Freeport
Sales Manager: Tony Mariano Mobile: 0917 835 2239, Fax: +6347 252 1738,
tonymariano@watercraftventure.com
Asst Sales Manager: Thea Go Mobile: +63932 865 6857, Fax: +6347 252 1738,
theago@watercraftventure.com

Papaya Cove, Nasugbu,
Mobile: 0920 925-9023

Holiday Oceanview Marina, Samal Island, Davao. Has a lift and reportedly good service and value if in that area. Holidaygroup.oceanviewmarina@gmail.com, mobile: 09173262003,
Manager: Ruth, mobile: 09435079051

For catamarans:

Translift Port Equipment Services, Subic Bay Freeport Translift cannot currently provide haul out for catamarans, but hopefully will resume operations soon. Mobile: 0918 366-4663 or 0908 894-0622

Asia Pacific Marine - Subic can haul catamarans.

Ph: +63917 316 8705 Ph: +63939 638 6162 Email: admin@apm.ph

Services

Yacht surveyors

There are only two accredited local surveyors for pleasure sailing yachts; Steve Warren and Ray Wolfe, both based in Subic Bay. Ray is excellent, but he is not allowed on the premises of Watercraft, but can survey elsewhere if available. Steve has a very good working relationship with Watercraft and both can provide project oversight service when having work done in Subic.

Steve Warren: shoremarinesurveyors@gmail.com, mobile: 09175222971

Ray Wolfe: kmwwolfe@yahoo.com, mobile: 09175123889

Marine Mechanics

Bhong, Baletero, Diesel mechanic and generators, mobile: 09072301537.

Note: Any significant repairs or repairs requiring haul out, I would consider heading to Subic where parts availability is far better. Both Broadwater and Watercraft have mechanics on staff. For any work beyond routine maintenance, I would make sure to provide direct oversight either by yourself or an experienced project manager (e.g., Steve Warren, Subic).

Leo, PGYC, Small engine/outboard repair, just inquire directly or with the service boat operator.

Stainless steel work

Rene, Puerto Galera, mobile: 09173696571. While there are several local shops in town, Rene is the only one with experience working on yacht related small projects. Keep in mind 316 is not available locally. Rene (and anyone else here) uses 304, which is **18% chromium and 8% nickel** (vs 316 w/ 16% chromium, 10% nickel and 2% molybdenum). The molybdenum is added to help resist corrosion to chlorides (like sea water).

Carpentry and Fiberglass

Luming, Puerto Galera, go-to local resource for all carpentry and fiberglass needs. Has worked on many of the Club yachts and I consider him a trusted advisor, which is a rarity. **Mobile: 0919-735 2472**

Arnold Santos: Carpentry and general repairs. Based in Subic, but can travel. Also works as a contractor for Broadwater. **Mobile: 0915-317-2487**

Broadwater based in Subic can also quote the project if repairs are to be performed in Subic or work on a time and material basis if sending staff to Puerto Galera to perform work.

Electrical

Richmond, Puerto Galera, can assist with all kinds of electrical project ranging from wiring, alternators, icemakers, mobile: 09159001171.

Bottom Cleaning and Boatman related services: ad-hoc requests can usually be accommodated by Club boatmen in their off time.

A few images from the Easter Regatta and congratulations to all the participants! For a lot more pictures, please visit the Club's Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/Puerto-Galera-Yacht-Club-194420453932912/>





