

# Tolly Ho!

## January 2023

### Commodore's Corner - Richard Rich

#### A Big Thanks!

I wanted to take this opportunity to say thank you one more time to Lavonne Hamilton for her support and guidance as Commodore for 2022. Also, a big thanks to Robin for sharing boat tips in our monthly newsletter. The other two folks that I would like to mention is Bruce Chambers and Doug Romjue. Bruce was TNW's representative at all of the CRYA meetings last year and has volunteered to be our rep this year. The other person I would like to give a shout out to is our member, Doug Romjue who had been the President of the CRYA for a couple of years! Thanks to both of you for putting in the extra time to serve the boating community!

#### My Promise to You

As your new Commodore. I will try my best to inform you of important information related to boating. To get the newsletter out (with the help of Sue Cory) in a timely manner with not to many misspelled words or names. To have the roster out no later than the April cruise and to encourage everyone to have fun! I hope to see all TNW members attend at least one cruise this year – it would be great to see some old familiar faces. Also, if you have any suggestions on topics that you would like to see in the newsletter going forward, please let me know.



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#### 2022 TNW Bridge/Board

**Commodore**  
Richard Rich

**Tolly Ho Editor/First Mate**  
Sue Cory

**Vice Commodore**  
Bruce Chambers

**Secretary/Treasurer**  
Susan Hoffman

**Immediate Past  
Commodore/Membership**  
Lavonne Hamilton

**3rd Year Board Member**  
Robin Hamilton

**2nd Year Board Member**  
Marv Peterson

**2nd Year Board Member**  
Gary Simmons

**CRYA LIAISON**  
Bruce Chambers

## **Upcoming Events:**

Need something for the boat? Or, just want to look....

### **Portland Boat Show**

Wednesday, January 11th - Sunday, January 15th, 2023

#### **Portland Expo Center Hours**

Wednesday through Friday 11 a.m.-9 p.m.

Saturday 10 a.m.-8 p.m.

Sunday 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

#### **Admission**

\$15 General Admission

Children 12 & Under are FREE

#### **Parking/Directions**

Parking is \$12 per space, per entry for Attendees

## **Seattle Boat Show**

Friday, February 3rd - Saturday, February 11th, 2023

### **Lumen Field Event Center Hours**

Monday through Thursday 11 a.m.-6p.m.

Friday 11 a.m.-9:00 p.m.

Saturday 10 a.m.-8 p.m.

Sunday 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

### **Bell Harbor Marina Hours**

Weekdays 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

Weekends 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

### **Admission**

\$20 General Admission (Includes both locations)

Children 17 & Under are FREE



## **Inaugural International Tollycraft Club Summit (ITCS)**

**In conjunction with Scott Fultz, the Canadian Tollycruisers, Tollycrafters Northwest and the Tollycraft Boating Club, I am pleased to announce the inaugural International Tollycraft Club Summit (ITCS).**

**Taking place in Astoria, Oregon from January 27-29, 2023, the ITCS brings together the three Tollycraft clubs to celebrate the birthday of Mr. Tollefson as well the vision for a Tollycraft Museum.**

**For full details, click on link: (<http://www.tollyclub.com/http://www.tollyclub.com/tolly100>)**

## CRYA Notes from Bruce Chambers

For December '22 CRYA, the general meeting was December 6, 2022. Prior to this meeting was the -- Columbia River Yachting Association - Annual Awards Opening Day Banquet held at Portland Yacht Club on December 1st.

On this clear night from the PYC parking lot, you would first see the sailing vessels at docks with masts and stays decorated in Christmas lights. The inside of PYC club house was decorated for Christmas time lighting. For me it was great to see CRYA people that we hadn't met in person for some time. We were seated at a table with Doug Balkema and his wife Eva, from TYEE and CRYA and Robin & Lavonne Hamilton (TNW). We had "cruis' in " conversation over dinner: roast beef or chicken with vegetable and a desert.

When dinner was nearly over, Doug Romjue from CRYC and (TNW), the CRYA president opened the Awards presentation for the 2022 Opening Day parade of boats. Also, everyone who attended the Banquet received two clear glass cups with the CRYA burgee since 1933 printed on them to take home.

Doug Balkema, retiring from CRYA, was the person of honor. From the front, he spoke of some new safety procedures the Coast Guard has for Seaplanes landing and takeoff from waters in Washington State when boats and paddle boards, kayak, fishing are using the same waters. Doug Romjue introduced the 2023 in coming CRYA president: Alicia Robinson (DYC). The CRYA general meeting for January 2023 will be on Jan.17th (3rd Tuesday of each month)/

## 2023 CRUISE SCHEDULE

Schwitter's Landing	3/10-12	Simmons
Commodore's Cove	4/14-16	<b>Need Host</b>
Coon Island - East Hamilton	5/12-14	Peterson/
Bartlett's Landing	6/9-11	Chambers/ <b>Bruce would like an experienced Co-Host</b>
Schwitter's Landing	7/7-9	Hoffman
St. Helens City Dock (With/UPPS)	8/4-6	McGee
Beacon Rock	9/15-17	<b>Need Host</b>
Camas/Washougal	10/20-22	Hawken
Commodore's Brunch	<b>TBD</b>	