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## Commodore's Corner — Greg Hansen

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Happy New Year!! 2012 is upon us. I am really looking forward to being your Commodore. We are planning another great year for the FBYC, the best little boat club in Flagler. I attended the first meeting of the Social Committee at Randy's house and was very impressed with the energy, enthusiasm, and ideas that were flowing. For our on water activities, the Fleet Captains will provide us with a full slate of activities. Let's all make a commitment to another year of SAFE and fun boating.

Unknown to most of you, John Extrom, our Rear Commodore, has had to drop off the Board. I am pleased to announce that Pete Emens has stepped up and volunteered for the position. I am excited about Pete joining our Board. He brings a wealth of boating experience and knowledge.

I cannot say enough about the last year under Rich's leadership. We had an outstanding year! Let's keep it up!

See you out on the water.

Greg

## FBYC - PAST COMMODORES



1992-1993	Tom McBride	2001	Paul Van Buren	2006-2007	Mike Cocchiola
1994	Ed Finney	2002	Howard Graves	2008	Claudia Towne
1995-1996	Tom Johns	2003	Pat Slattery	2009	Jane Gauling
1997-1998	Denis Thornton	2004	George Barnett	2010	Dee Cocchiola
1999-2000	John Darrow	2005	Pete Poole	2011	Rich Franco



## Vice Commodore — Randy Meyer

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### THANKS – GREG

I would like to thank Greg for the smooth transition for myself into the Vice Commodore’s job. I can only hope that the year runs as smoothly. I also want to say thanks for to entire club for the job done by Greg and Linda for the Christmas party. Everyone I have spoken with had a wonderful time and we have some great pictures. Because of the reviews we have again booked the Halifax Club for our party next year on December 1<sup>st</sup> with different entertainment. If anyone has anything they would like to suggest, please contact me at any of our meetings.

### SOCIAL COMMITTEE

The social committee has had their first meeting and has already laid out the blueprint for FBYC’s historical 20<sup>th</sup> year. This club always amazes me. We had seventeen people at the meeting with many others unable to attend. We looked back at last year’s special moments (faces full of ice cream, John Extrom in a wig, and of course Rich in drag). The committee is looking for even a better year in 2012, if that is possible. We will have **something new, something old, something funny, and some thing bold.**

### GENERAL MEETINGS

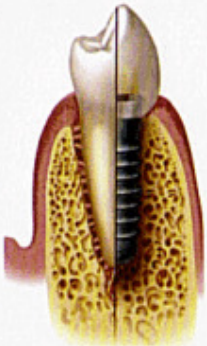
January 19<sup>th</sup> – Mixer with new and old officers – snacks by Social Committee Leads Billie Tooker and Jeanne Meyer

February 16<sup>th</sup> – Bunko Night be ready for something new – Leads Kathie Nadeau and Kate Nelson

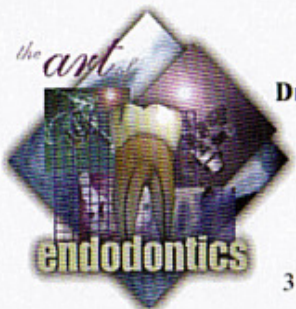
March 15<sup>th</sup> – St. Patrick’s Corn Beef and Cabbage- Leads Milissa Extrom and Jeanne Meyer- Cost will be \$10.00 per member and \$15.00 for guest.

### COMMODORE’S SOCIALS

Again we will do some new and some old places. It has also been suggested to do one on a Saturday night for our members that work during the week. The first social will be in February and will be announced at the January general meeting. We are also going to try different nights to see what may work best for the members. As always we are open to any ideas of places.



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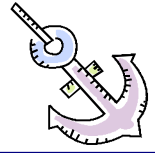
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# Maritime Calendar of Events

Bob Jaeger, FBYC Co-Fleet Captain



Is there anything as heartwarming as seeing the grandchildren around the Christmas tree, the dogs running around not knowing who to go to next, and the ensuing chaos of opening presents?? Although it was great to see family back in Virginia over the holidays, I'll never trade our winter weather for the north's cold & damp. Linda and I want to thank all who attended our impromptu "canal caroling" BBQ, and hope that your holiday season was filled with good times, family and friends (and a few nautical toys to play with during 2012!!).

As we welcome Greg Hansen to the helm of our **FBYC** ship, I want to thank our outgoing Commodore Rich Franco for all the help and direction he has provided us over the years of his stewardship. With the help of the Maritime Committee, Chris Nelson (our new Co-fleet Captain) and I will establish the Spring Calendar of Events early in January. Please join us and help contribute to the activities this year, or email any suggestions to me if you can't make the meeting. All the particulars will be announced at the January meeting (and in next month's calendar column) – so stay tuned! In any case, we will email the latest information to the membership concerning time, location, reservations if needed, etc. for any event. Please join us for these fun filled activities:

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| <b>January 4</b>  | <b>Maritime Committee Meeting</b><br>@ the Jaeger's (7:00 PM) – call if you need directions |
| <b>January 12</b> | <b>St. Augustine Holiday Lights</b><br>Lead: Marsha Barry                                   |
| <b>March 24</b>   | <b>Blessing of the Fleet</b>  |
| <b>May 12</b>     | <b>Commodores Ball</b>  |



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 Type: Stern Drive



## FBYC – Ship’s Store

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We have new bright colored T-shirts, Ladies tank tops, and sleeveless mens shirts available for \$13 each. You may also bring in any shirts, bags or other items you want the logo or boat name embroidered. If you have any new ideas or suggestions for our Ship Store please let me know and we can work together to start the project.

#### Contact:

Jeanne Meyer - 864-7916

Milissa Extrom - 439-6299

### 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Best Design T-Shirt Contest

I would like to thank everyone that participated in our 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary best designed Tshirt contest. Mellisa and I are looking into what the initial cost to print these shirts. We will then bring this up to the board to be voted.

Congratulations to Rosy Urban for the best design.

Honorable mention—Kathy Nadue, Carol and Len Caso

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