

Campbell

Shoreline

APRIL 2001

KLASSY KLAMBAKE

If it's January, it's Klaus's Klambake! This event is wonderful as you have nothing to do all day but eat, drink, talk, eat, drink, talk. This year Klaus and Ilona Brittinger and favorite assistants Bob and Nanette Swanson from Earp (fits right in with the eating theme) served a seafood extravaganza to well over 100 people.

By 9:45 the marinade was poured on the box of swordfish steaks and Klaus had announced that he was "dying of thirst", so the first bottle of Chivas was produced. For non-cooks there was beer, wine, Bloody Marys and, of course, Rick Howard's party ball of margaritas. And there was food as well: shrimp, mussels, clams, and oysters for starters, followed by steamed salmon and the barbequed swordfish. By around 4 we had recovered

enough to go for the lobsters and drawn butter and maybe a little of Karan's cake. Of course we did exercise-trading poker cards involved some walking from table to table. And there was some other diversion having to do with the upcoming Super Bowl.

In the past years, Klambake participants have thanked Klaus and Ilona with a free trip to the Regatta, but that went to Bob and Nanette for their years of sous-chef-ing and oyster opening. but, having found out that Klaus likes expensive flags, we gave him another one for his collection of \$300 pennants. Thanks, Klaus and Ilona, for another wonderful Klambake with good friends and great food!



Obviously a "before" picture as the apron is clean and the Chivas relatively full.



Ilona, Nanette and John open hundreds of raw oysters



I don't know- I still think oysters are better with horseradish!



If you're part of the Fea family, you're NEVER too young for a Klambake!

¡OLE-A CINCO DE MAYO FIESTA!

After all these years, the 2001 Spring Roundup actually falls on May 5th! Now if that isn't an excuse for a party...So grab your favorite margarita glass, a basket of burritos, and your best amigos and join us for the event that kicks off the boating season. As usual, there will be Bloody Marys at the shop in the morning before we get our boats and meet off the Nautical at 10:30. Then we'll head out on the lake for a bit of a ride before ending up at a beach for some r and r. Come ready to celebrate Mexican style (even though the keg on the LIMO is always Michelob). Hasta la vista!

REGATTA THEME GOES "COMMERCIAL"

Hope you're spending some sleepless nights trying to come up with the perfect boat decorations, costumes, etc. for this year's Regatta Boat Parade theme- COMMERCIALS, there are quite a lot to choose from. And from now until September you'll have the perfect excuse for reading Playboy or non-stop tv watching; you're just doing your research!

REGATTA ROOM INFO

After our post-Regatta meeting with the Nautical management last year, this is the deal with Regatta rooms. The rates are as follows for Sept. 7-9, 2001:

Beach Room	\$ 99.00
Bay	\$139.00
Parlor Suites	\$149.00
Jr. & Deluxe Suites	\$325.00

The rest of the contract with the Nautical reads as follows:

"These rates are net, non-commissionable and do not reflect sales tax or the city occupancy tax, currently totalling 10.78%. Above rates apply to 10 or more rooms per night. If less than 10 are reserved, published rates will apply.

It is our understanding that individuals participating in this event will make their own guest room reservations prior to the cut-off date, August 6, 2001. All reservation requests received after this date will be subject to space availability, and be at published rates. Once an individual reservation has been made, all changes should be made directly through our reservations department at (520) 855-2141.

Reservations being made by individuals that are part of a group block are subject to a 72 hour advance cancellation if on weekends from March 15-November 1. The cancellation is subject to both nights if within 72 hours."

In other words, if you do not reserve by August 6, your room will be subject to availability and at the regular rate. Plan to join us at the Regatta and reserve early!

A NICE STORY

When Fritz and Mary Lee Duda decided to sell their 21' Superwailer ZIPPTY DUDA II, they offered to donate the proceeds to "deserving institutions in Lake Havasu City who need the money." Presented with various choices, they decided to split the proceeds between Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church, which is in the middle of a building expansion campaign, and the new Lake Havasu Museum of History, which is currently building its exhibits. This museum has been a long term project of the Historical Society, of which I am currently vice-president. The boat sold and both the Museum and the Church received a donation of over \$4000 as a gift to Lake Havasu from a family who has always enjoyed their time here.

On a personal note, I thought it was very fitting that the museum, which is located in the London Bridge Shopping Center between the Dairy Queen and the office of the Chamber of Commerce and Visitors and Convention Bureau, is located just across the street from the old Rodeway Inn (now the Holiday). Bob and I were going out to dinner with Fritz and Mary Lee, and had heard that the Duda girls, who were then teenagers, were ordering room service and were under instructions to stay in the hotel. As we pulled up to the hotel after dinner, Fritz saw two girls in the parking lot and erupted from the car, hollering "I told you to stay in your room!" They dutifully scuttled back, even though they had never seen Fritz before!

Hopefully the Lake Havasu Museum of History ("a work in progress") will bring back memories, as well as educate and inform, both visitors and residents alike about the very unusual town that is Lake Havasu City. Thank you, Fritz and Mary Lee, for your kindness to both the Church and the Museum. What generous Campbell owners!

And the other nice thing about this story is that two new owners have joined the Campbell Family. Next time you're enjoying dinner at the Frigate, say hello to Russ and Nancy Delk, new owners of both the restaurant and the 21' Superwailer.

Bob Meets The Grim Reaper (and lives to tell about it)

As part of his new stressful job as Co-Chairman of the Lake Havasu City Shoreline Acquisition and Preservation Commission, Bob was invited to attend a conference put on by the southwest Deserts Gateway Communities Workshop in Joshua Tree, Ca. No problem, except the last day of the conference fell on his birthday. If you've ever dropped by on a birthday celebration day, you know that Campbell takes these occasions very seriously. No wonder-Karan bakes a mean cake and this is washed down with free beer. So there was considerable agitation about how to (I believe the phrase was "get" Bob). Thanks to knowledgeable people in the area (Kathy Lee and Steve Sipes). I was able to find a gal in the area who agreed to appear during the lunch break. I gave her all the particulars and sent her money and a disposable camera along with another conference participant from Havasu. Somehow in all my conversations with this gentleman, I had always referred to the surprise as "the gal" and never mentioned how she would be costumed. For some unknown reason, this gentleman jumped to the conclusion that I had hired a stripper, and was horrified to find that the other people on the college campus where the workshop was held, were small children at a Dr. Seuss reading. He apparently mystified Bob by continually jumping up from the lunch table and rushing outside to intercept this hired "gal". Imagine his relief at finding her quite modestly attired as the Grim Reaper. At 5'2" she must have made a nice contrast with 6'10" Bob who blurted out, "But I'm not ready to go yet!" Steve Sipes arrived with his camera as well, so the situation was well documented. But no one captured the relief on the face of my gentleman co-conspirator when he found he was dealing only with death, not a stripper. But then there's always next year.....



It takes somebody special to get the Grim Reaper to crack a smile!



"Hope I don't see her again for a LONG time..."



When Marcia Kellison sells you 50/50 raffle tickets at an arm's length for \$5, like Mayor Melanie Grinstead-Hanak and her husband Don, you use Bob's arm.



Looking at Bob and Mary Blair's PRETTY PENNY as it gets into formation, those with sharp eyes can spot this year's improvement to our entry:

TWO reindeer mounted on each boat. The result was half the hassle and twice the fun!



WEBSITES

A couple of our owners have put up websites that are of interest to Campbell boat enthusiasts and anyone interested in boating information or projects. The address are given below.

Steve Sipes: <http://community-2.webtv.net/SSCOLLECTABLES/CAMPBELL24TWIN/page6.html>
Rick Howard: <http://www.oursummerlove.com>

Steve has done a great job with his digital camera and you've got to check out Rick's hula-hula palm tree! Let us know if any of you have a website that would be of interest to fellow Campbell owners!

NAME THAT CAMPBELL!

Most boat owners get new boats, but Campbell boats just get new owners! Going through our files of over 600 Campbell owners, I pulled out a few boats who had several owners in their history. Match the current name of the boats belonging to the following owners:

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| 1. ___ Don Montiel, Ed Ramsden | A. Sangria |
| 2. ___ Dr. Gary Boling, Carl Bradshaw | B. Turn It Loose |
| 3. ___ Bill Ragan, Dick Tracy | C. Splash of Class |
| 4. ___ Norm Brown, Tim Kinzer | D. Triple Sec |
| 5. ___ Bill Coryell, Brattain, Cliff Lee | E. Snoopy |
| 6. ___ Vern Hayes, Reg Vitek | F. The Rat Roaster |
| 7. ___ Mary Breunig, Butch Wood | G. (no name as yet) |
| 8. ___ Robert Williams, Tom Askland, Carl F. Colley | H. Electric Blue |
| 9. ___ Richard Anderson, Rick Howard | I. La Roja Granda |
| 10. ___ John Coelho, Clay Bartholomew | J. Bubbles |
| 11. ___ Bill Brown, Michael Ward, Walt Briggs | K. Cavallino Rampante |
| 12. ___ Dean Peterson, John Moran, Bob Whelan | L. Playful |
| 13. ___ Vaughn Barnes, Dan McPeak, Martin Frosini | M. Joint Venture II |
| 14. ___ Jim Dickson, Stu Hensen, Jack Moran | N. Beefeater |
| 15. ___ Jim Sutton, Dr. Marc Zimmerman, Steve Parker | O. Defiant |
| 16. ___ B. Campbell, J. Bruner, B. Beeler, Eric Tollefson and Mark Shufeldt | P. Summer Love |
| 17. ___ Robert Keeran, Gary Elder | Q. Fortune Cookie |

ANSWERS: 1. T 2. O 3. O 4. H 5. K 6. N 7. I 8. M 9. P 10. A
11. C 12. E 13. B 14. D 15. F 16. G 17. L



March 15-Campbell Boats hosts the monthly Chamber Mixer where 300 guests enjoyed (what else!) burgers, boats and beer.

Campbell Entry Parade of Lights Winner

Unlike last year, the weather really cooperated for the annual Boat Parade of Lights in early December. Over 30 boats participated with lights blazing and generators buzzing. As usual, the Campbell entry of Santa's sleigh pulled by eight reindeer and led by Rudolph, was the grand finale, and it was great to hear the cheers as we cruised through Bridgewater channel. The most popular way to view the parade was in lawn chairs around a roaring bonfire on the beach, although others enjoyed sitting in the splendor of their motor homes parked along the upper road. This was the "18th Annual", but only the 7th annual for Campbell Boats, yet we are always referred to as "the traditional Campbell boat entry" and were delighted to win the Commodore's Award.

If you haven't enjoyed winter boating on Lake Havasu, you are missing a wonderful time of year. The days are usually windless and the sunsets spectacular. Consider spending the first weekend in December enjoying the boating and the Parade of Lights!



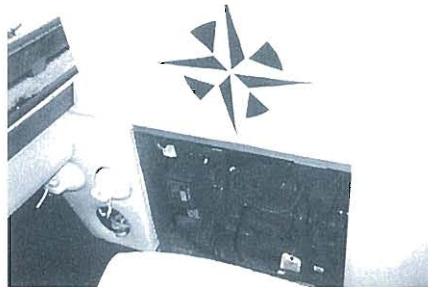
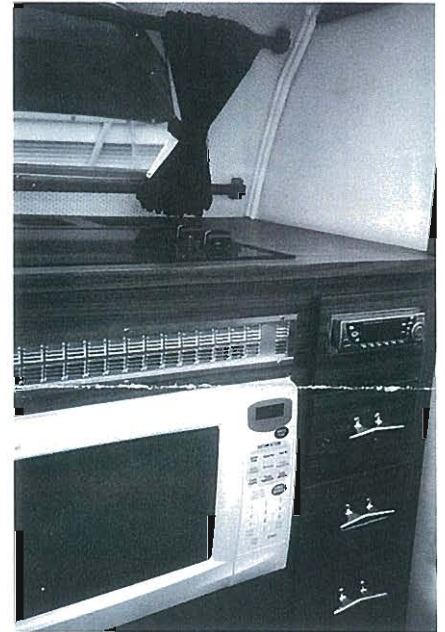
LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT


It's already 90 degrees here in late March, so we're anticipating a great (and early) boating season.

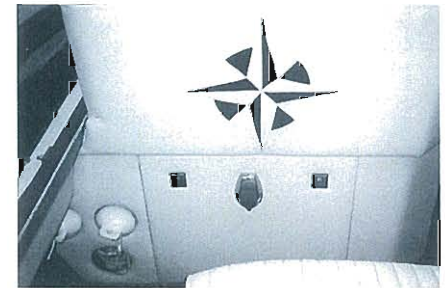
Judy and I have completed the restoration of our 1977 Campbell 28 "Snoopy," and are giving it sea trials in preparation for use on Lake Powell this summer. We will be roughing it with the generator, air conditioning and heating, microwave, ceramic cook top, hot and cold water, etc. We even have four crystal decanters for a classy selection of drinks. Snoopy will be available for viewing at the Spring Roundup.

The Lake Havasu City Council's Shoreline Acquisition and Preservation Commission, of which I am co-chairman, has completed its first report, which included an inventory of all ownership parcels on the island and on the mainland from the wildlife refuge on the north to the mainland marina site south of Contact Point on the south. Our goal is to protect public access to all the shoreline by protecting that which is now undeveloped, and by securing access on parcels that have been developed. I believe that we have a very good chance of being successful in the five year target time frame. As you know, Havasu is growing and the city realized the need to plan ahead.

I look forward to seeing you all at the Spring Roundup and/or boating here at Havasu this season!




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