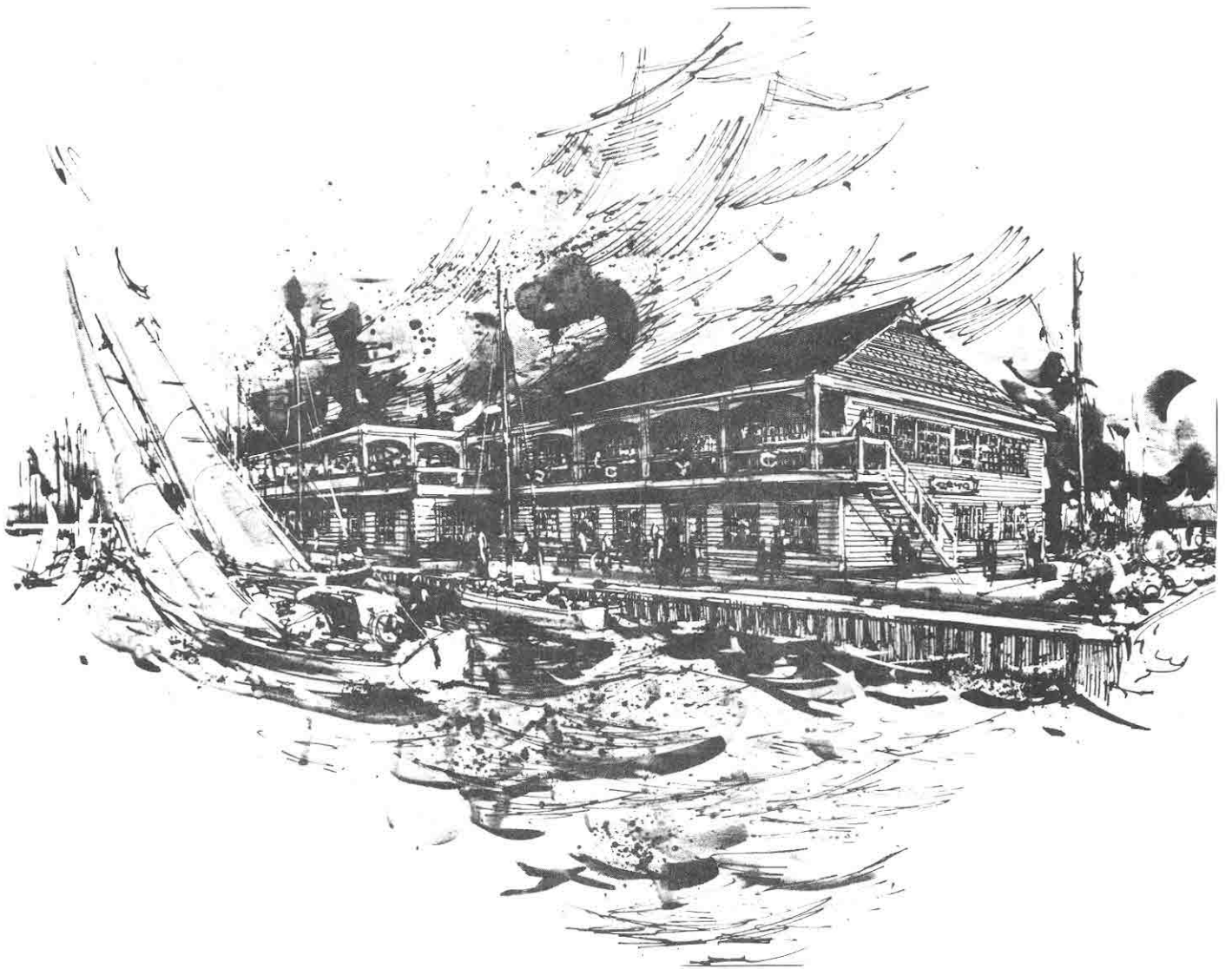


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May 1982



REAR COMMODORE'S REPORT

Getting our new sailing season 'off the ground', we are looking forward to the official opening of the club on

MAY 22, 1982

THE COMMODORE'S SAILPAST

This is a ceremonial occasion for honoring our Commodore Fred Mayerhofer. RUNNING FREE, our commodore's yacht, will be anchored north of the Club House. Five hundred yards northeast of RUNNING FREE, the Rear Commodore's yacht TIME PASSAGE will be anchored to mark the approach line of the sailpast. Five hundred yards northeast of TIME PASSAGE, THISTLE, the Fleet Captain's yacht will mark the assembly area.

All yachts should assemble at about 14:45 hours in the area as outlined in the map. The fleet will be split into four divisions. Starting with the Vice Commodore Tom Tomblin on REVERIE, followed by Past Commodores Herb Pitcher on SIMAARON, Gord Proctor on GAY GORDON and Len Canham on SASSY -

Division I	Boats over 30ft. in length
Division II	Boats 26ft. to 30ft. in length
Division III	Keel boats under 26ft. in length
Division IV	Centreboards

All yachts will sail past the Commodore's yacht, maintaining a distance of three boatlengths from the boat ahead. Skippers and crew should sit facing the Commodore, but should not salute. Yachts may dip or furl their ensign or luff their jib.

There will be a skippers' meeting in front of the club at 13:30 hours.

Before and after our sailpast, all yachts should stay clear of the RCYC sailpast area as outlined in our map.

After sailpast all yachts should return to their moorings and dress ship. The evening programme will be as follows:

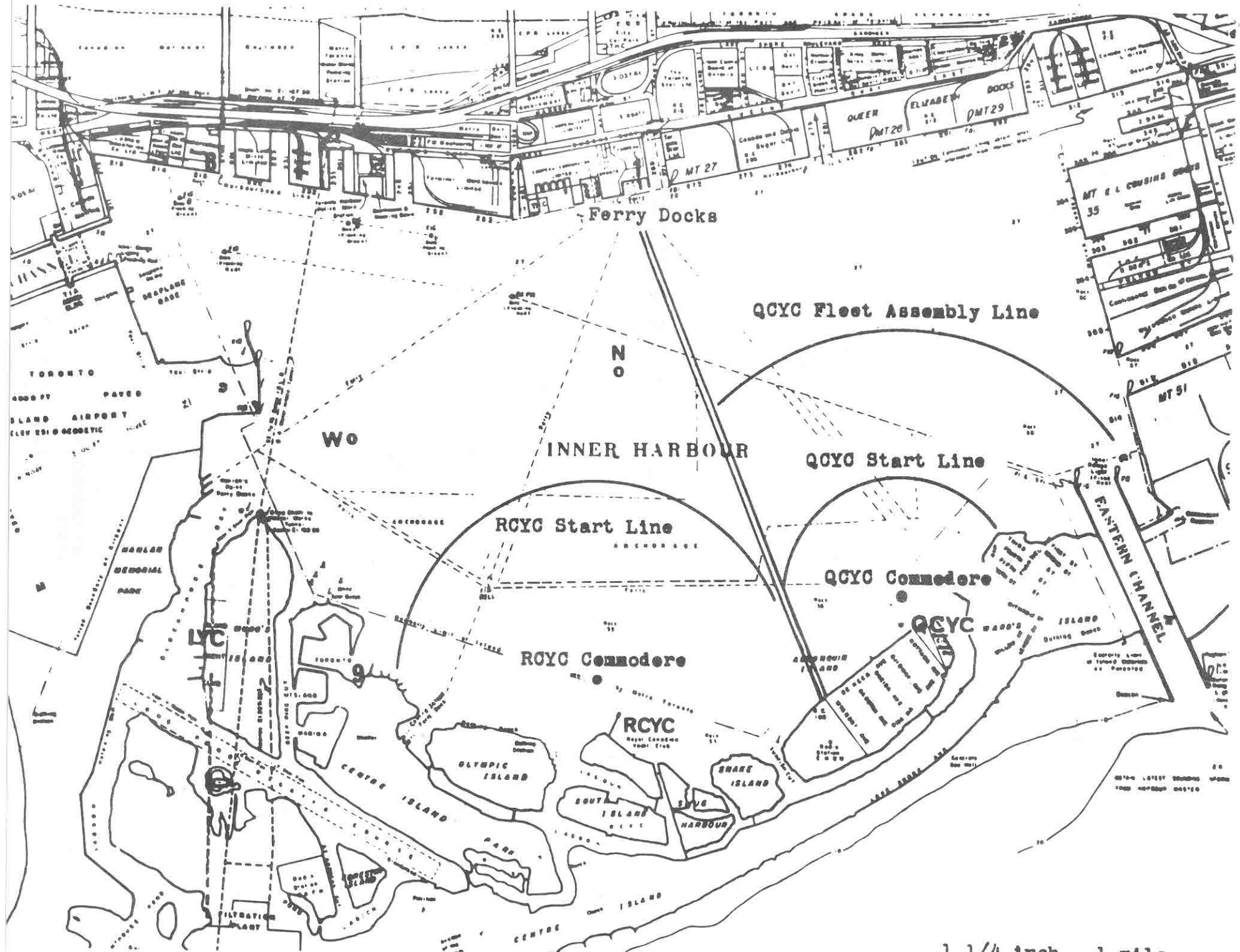
17:00 hours	Commodore's Punchbowl
18:30 hours	Dinner
21:00 hours	Dancing

Tickets for the dinner will be available at the office. RESERVE EARLY!

Other upcoming events in this year's sailing season include fun and competitive races like the REPROBATES RACE, a race that has keel boat skippers compete against each other in dinghies.....the LADY SKIPPERS RACE, the LAST CHANCE CUP RACE around the island, a leisurely cruise to WILSON, and a fun race to PORT DALHOUSIE.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT CLUB RACES will start with a skippers' meeting at the club on Wednesday, May 12 at 19:30 hours, with the first race taking place the following Wednesday. For details and more, see the Sailing Programme Booklet available in the lobby.

Klaus Noack



1 1/4 inch - 1 mile

FLEET CAPTAIN'S REPORT

For all of you wishing to get your harbour licence, the test will be held at the Club on **May 25th at 1700 hrs.**

You must go to the Harbour Commission and obtain a temporary licence first; they are located at Pier 27 on the second floor; there will be a fee of \$4.00 and you will receive a book to study. Age limit for a licence is 14 yrs & over.

Both boats are now running so take note of **Freight Runs.**

Many people have made an overpayment for their tender passes, if you are one of them, please notify me in **writing** and you will be reimbursed. Don't forget **May 1** we will be looking for cards or money on the tender.

P.M. BOUDREAU.

MEMBERSHIP

Propose for Senior Membership:

Mike Lewis
35 Strathearn Blvd.
Toronto - M5P 1S9

Ken Garrett
Toronto, Ontario

Roy Graves
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Toronto, Ontario

Marsha Pesonen
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#2312
Willowdale, Ontario, M2N 5X7

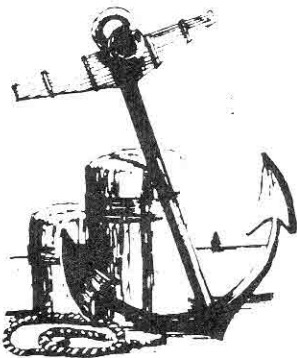
Gerry Jones
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Thronhill, Ontario

Propose for Crewing Membership:

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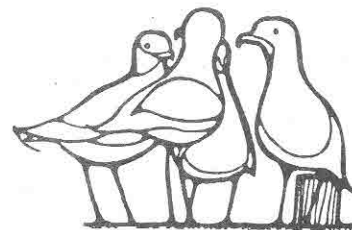
Donald Maher
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Toronto, Ontario M5J 2E4

Billy Janetos
161 Oakwood Ave.
#1103
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It was so cold and windy when we brought the good ship PROXMIRE into the club Thursday, April 15th, from F&N Yachts, it was only a two beer run.....and when she was tucked away in her mooring, we had one more drink...a bottle of rum. BRIAN CASE was acting First Mate and navigator. He can get a boat ready to sail faster than anyone I know. Case launched his boat that weekend and we believe he's ready to go cruising right now!..... That particular weekend, seven boats were launched from the club's marine yard. This 'unofficial' was with the Yard Chairman's blessing as it opened up space for cradles for the start of the regular launch. It was also a test of the railway's condition after the long icy winter and a chance for the winch operators to hone their skills..... We've heard from GEORGE ANNAND and he and BETTY will be back this summer. New members to Queen City should make a point of meeting George. He's one of our living legends, respected far and wide around the racing circles. Get George to tell you the story about the snakes in India....HARRY and CATHY ALTMAN's daughter is off to New Guinea and will be living there. What's good about good'byes? At least their son BARRY is back in the country again..... While we're on travel, BARRY HITCHINS and LEN CANHAM are off to Arizona this month for a week. Hitchins comes back but Len and wifie JUNE are then going to British Columbia and then Calgary for a little vacation. And talk about long range plans...DON and JANE MARTIN have booked their vacation for the school break in '83! The heavy traveller though is our commodore. FRED seems to be coming back from one end of the country or the other from business trips every week... Speaking of the commodore.....by now you must have seen what he's done with RUNNING FREE. The new teak deck is beautiful. No golf shoes puleez.....

Some members will remember that one time Queen City membership was made up in large part by Island residents. Over the last ten years that group has dwindled as people moved off the islands. We are now enjoying a resurgence of Island members. We understand that as many as six to eight have joined or are joining this year. This is a real plus. These people, going and coming year round will be keeping their eyes on the boats and club grounds as have the few Islanders we've had with us. People such as Herb Pitcher, Peter Brocher, Marshall Perdue just to mention a few.....



IN MEMORIAM

HAROLD S. ROBBINS

Our sympathies go out to Mrs. Margaret Robbins on the loss of her husband Harold on March 27, 1982.

Mr. Robbins was Honorary Commodore of Queen City.

