



**Commodore Report** Bryan Bobbett

Set your compasses to the June edition of Yacht Talk as we navigate through exciting updates and upcoming events. Get your calendars ready because we've got some exciting events coming up! Mark your calendars for our annual Margarita party on June 8th at E dock. It's going to be a blast, and I hope to see all of you there. But wait, there's more! June isn't just about cocktails; it's also about celebrating our dads. To honor all the amazing fathers out there, we'll be hosting a special Fathers Day brunch on June 16th. Stay tuned for more details! Now, with the warmer weather upon us, it's essential to keep an eye out for any water or electrical issues around the docks. If you spot something unusual, be sure to report it to our dock captain, Andy Cockrell. Remember, logging your hours can earn you a discount on your Annual membership dues. Don't forget to update the record book, conveniently located to the left of the stove in the top drawer. In other news, if you're in need of a new dock box, Taylor Ivey is your go-to guy. You can reach him at (509)-572-1718. Dock boxes will be available for \$799 this year. And don't forget about our guest parking on F dock! It's the perfect spot for any guests who need to spend the night. Lastly, the fuel tank project is still underway. Stay tuned for updates on that front.

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**Vice Commodore** Allie McGinnis

Welcome to our new Richland Yacht Club members. During the May 2024 General Meeting we brought aboard four new couples. Dale and Mary Cantrel, Justin and Sarah McCalmant, Troy and Shandra Lively and Kirk and Sheila Flieger. All four couples in addition to the Bughi's, who joined in March, completed their orientations, received their welcoming packages and RYC burgees and are looking forward to meeting everyone at the upcoming social events.

**Treasurer** Kathy Higgins

Keep an eye out for electric bill this month. If your usage is over \$50.00 you will see a bill. June is boat registration month, please provide a copy to the club to keep your files updated. Also, if you have renewed your boat insurance please provide a copy. Copies can be sent to RYC-Staff@outlook.com. if you have any questions, please let me know.



## Rental Coordinator Deb Thorington

2024 Reservations are required for events larger than 25 people. For more info regarding policies visit our websites members area bylaws. Text your requested date, member name to Deb Thorington at 509-308-6929 to receive the paperwork and process. You must be a member for at least one year to be eligible to rent the clubhouse exclusively for \$350 per event. Fill out a completed application, you need orientation training (one hour) and written approval required. There are currently rentals that are approved for June 21st -Coral Grad party, Sept 28 Nuxall 90th Bday, Nov23- Pierce B-Day party, Dec22 - Sanders family event . The club will be closed to other members during those days. Please email me at [dthorington@cfmtg.com](mailto:dthorington@cfmtg.com) if you would like to reserve a day for your event.

## Building Coordinator Nancy Hubbard

The weather is finally warm and sunny, so let boating season begin. We have an awesome clubhouse for us to enjoy, but please remember to clean up after yourself. If you use it, clean it, or throw it out. The dumpsters are located on the East & West side of the parking lot. Make sure the BBQs and fire pit are off when you're done and that the BBQs are clean. Check out the upcoming events, all members are encouraged to attend. There are many ways you can volunteer at the events and earn "work credits". Contact Nik (Rear Commodore) to sign up to help. Come join us for Friday Night BBQ (except during private rental). Bring your main dish and side to share. Usually dinner is 5:30-6:00, but you're never too early or too late. If you have any questions or notice a concern around the clubhouse give me a call.

## Corresponding Secretary Rick Anderson

**Action Request,** Please go to RYC website members area and check out current Master Roster information. If any updates are required send them to me so we can keep our database up to date. If we need to contact you in an emergency your contact info needs to be current. Thanks!

### June General Membership Meeting Tuesday, June 4, 2024

Pledge of Allegiance	7:00 pm
Call to Order	Bryan Bobbett
Membership Actions	Allie McGinnis
Minutes of Previous Meeting	Bob Gray
Commodore's Message	Bryan Bobbett
Officers' Reports	
* Treasurer	Kathy Higgins
* Vice Commodore	Allie McGinnis
* Rear Commodore	Nik Qafoku
* Dock Captain	Andy Cockrell
* Past Commodore	Obie Amacker
* Recording Secretary	Bob Gray
* Corresponding Secretary	Rick Anderson
* Building Coordinator	Nancy Hubbard
* Rental Coordinator	Deb Thorington
Old Business	Bryan Bobbett
New Business	Obie Amacker

## GET YOUR SPECIAL DAY ON THE LIST!

Send your Birthday Month/Day and Anniversary Month/Day/# years to be included to [ragolfer@charter.net](mailto:ragolfer@charter.net)

### Lets Celebrate!

June Birthdays	June Anniversaries
Bobbie Anderson– 6/22	Rick & Bobbie Anderson– 6/18-41 years Lee & Betty Celski– 6/18-47 years Si & LeAnn Stephens– 6/7-54 years

## Past Commodore Obie Amacker

### MARGARITAVILLE 2024

It is the start of the boating season and that means it is time for Margaritaville on E Dock. This event on the docks has been a tradition for many years and has grown/expanded onto F Dock as well. Margaritaville 2024 is scheduled for Saturday, June 8, starting at 1:00pm.

*Margaritaville is open to RYC members & guests, and our friends from the Clover Island Yacht Club.*

In preparation for the event, decorating and set up will begin Saturday morning at 10:00am. Extra hands are always welcomed. We will be setting up bars, umbrellas, and decorations. Ice and drinks, etc., also need to be hauled down from the clubhouse. You will still have time to run home and don your party outfit before the fun begins.

If you are wondering what you can bring: add a bottle of Tequila and freeze a bucket of Margarita Mix; bring the fixings for your favorite "on the rocks" Margarita; or an appetizer to share.

# MARGARITAVILLE



## On E Dock



**Add tequila and mix up a bucket of frozen margaritas or bring the fixings for your favorite "on the rocks" margaritas, a snack to share, and join the fun.**

**1:00p.m. Saturday, June 8**



## Dock Captain Andy Cockrell

Keeping your boats and slips clean helps keep out the spiders. A spray bottle of approved Tempo bug spray is kept at the Dock Ice Machine area. Spraying your boat lines will help prevent spiders getting into your boat.

Rear Commodore Nik Qafoku

**Richland Yacht Club**  
**FATHER'S DAY BRUNCH**

Sunday June 16<sup>th</sup> from 10am – 1pm

**For Richland Yacht Club Members  
& their Families**

**Come join us to celebrate the dads!  
Enjoy a delicious brunch,  
Including drinks & desserts**

**Cost:**

RYC Dads – no charge  
Kids aged 12 & under – no charge.  
Alcohol wristband/brunch \$10  
Adults (non alcohol) \$5 per person



Volunteers Needed  
Saturday 9am – noon Set-up  
Sunday Cleanup after event

Questions: Call Sandy Sanders 509-948-8832

**Please RSVP Nik Qafoku at 509-528-6178  
with number of attendees. Thanks!**

# June at the Clubhouse

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	4 General Membership Meeting	5	6	7	8 Margaritaville
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16 Fathers Day Brunch	17	18 Executive Board Meeting	19	20	21 Private Event	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
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## 2024 Events

Date	Event	Host
Saturday, June 8, 2024	Margaritaville	Obie Amacker
Sunday, June 16, 2024	Father's Day Brunch	Nik Qafoku
Friday, June 21, 2024	Private Event	Coral
Saturday, July 13, 2024	RYC Beach Party	Nik Qafoku
Saturday, September 14, 2024	Block Party	Nik Qafoku
Saturday, September 28, 2024	Private Event	Nuxall
Saturday, November 9, 2024	Chili & Soup Feed	Nancy Hubbard
Saturday, November 23, 2024	Private Event	Pierce
Friday & Saturday, December 6-7, 2024	Lighted Boat Parade	Nik Qafoku
Sunday, December 22, 2024	Private Event	Sanders

## Richland Yacht Club Officers

Office	Officer	Cell/Home	Email
Commodore	Bryan Bobbett	509-531-5658	brbobbett@yahoo.com
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