

MBYC Newsletter October 2009



Club Manager's update

We would like to thank wholeheartedly the Doctors Cave Committee and members for their continued support in funding the Yacht Club's upgrading. With the tennis court and parking lot, now completed, they leave us on a high note. Going forward the Yacht Club will fund its next project, upgrading of the dock facilities.

The tennis court is now in use FOR MEMBERS ONLY. Please make reservations at the office. It is free of charge for use in the daytime however after sundown a charge of J\$500.00 per hr applies. Pay the security at the gate and collect your receipt.

We have been trying for some time to introduce a Movie Night, please give us your feedback whether you think it is a good idea.

Our annual General Meeting on Sun, October 22nd went well. We are delighted to have Richard Hamilton returned as Commodore and Frank May was elected Vice Commodore. The names and positions of the new committee members will be posted on the notice board.

The Mike Lyons fundraising dinner is set for December 5, 2009. Please call to make reservations. You are all encouraged to give generously to the fund for Mike Lyons. Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

We regret the passing of Mrs. Dorothy Charley, who was an outstanding lady. Our heartfelt condolences go out to her family.

Beverley Russell (Club Manager)

What do you think of our new concessionaire? Send your comments to us! Don't forget to ask for your 20% discount on F&B

New Members

The Club welcomes the following new members:

Cecil Greaves – Reinstated, Steven Ventura. Marcus Snead

Dinner to Mr. Michael “Mr. Mike” Lyons

In further celebration of “Mr. Mike” and his 50 years of employment, MBYC is holding a dinner on December 5, 2009.

Members and friends who recognize his effort are encouraged to donate funds to JMMB a/c # 2916473 Montego Bay Yacht Club Michael Lyons Fund.

Annual General Meeting

It was great to see so many people turn out for the AGM on Sunday October 24. Minutes will be available shortly.

The process for recording suggestions and raising concerns for day to day issues at the club does not seem to be well understood. The new committee will continue to meet regularly and discuss and resolve issues that are brought to their attention. Issues are brought to the attention of the committee through the ‘suggestion’ book that is kept in the foyer of the club. Please feel free to voice all your cares and concerns so that we may better the club.

2009 - 2010 Committee members

MBYC Flag Officers

Commodore	Richard Hamilton
Vice Commodore	Frank May
1st rear Commodore	Dr. Simon Clarke
2nd rear Commodore	Sascha Hossmann

Doctor's Cave Bathing Club committee members remain as previous.

Weekly events at MBYC

Every day	Lunch and Dinner at Seahorse Grill
Tuesday	7.00 pm Ladies night out including Canasta & Kalooki
Wednesday	Lobster 2 for 1
Friday	6.30 to 7.30 pm Happy Hour Live music and buffet follows

Future events at MBYC

Nov 8	J22 Racing – JAMIN' qualifying series A (note that start delayed until 12.30 pm)
Nov 22	J22 Racing – JAMIN' qualifying series B & boat draw
Dec 3-5	J22 Racing – JAMIN' international invitational regatta