

Sailing Buckeyes Yacht Club

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SBYC Corn Roast



The SBYC Corn Roast is on August 4th, 5pm at the West Marina pavilion. **Please email Jay Bair (jaybairsdn@aol.com)** whether or not you will be able to attend. Also, please bring a covered side dish; corn and hot dogs will be provided

Atwood Cup Results

The Atwood Cup and Dinner were held June 16th. Congratulations to *HeatWave* on winning this years race! Proceeds went to support the junior sailing program at AYC; a program that takes the time and effort of many volunteers, including members of SBYC.

Total money raised for Junior Sailing	\$1034.00
<i>HeatWave</i> raised most for a single boat	\$350.00

Upcoming Events

SBYC 2nd Wednesday Series continues through August 15th
SBYC Fall Wednesday Series starts August 22 through Oct 3rd
AYC Harvest Moon Regatta September 8th and 9th
SBYC Fall Regatta September 22nd and 23rd

Benefit Swim and AYC Champagne Breakfast August 18th

Details about the swim are on next page and the attached flyer. Champagne breakfast is a public event open to all; AYC will provide details

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AYC Junior Sailing Benefit Swim

This year's Junior Sailing Camps have been completed with 62 kids in attendance. It was a very good year with 23 new kids learning to sail for the first time.

John Hoopingarner started swimming from the West Marine to the Atwood Yacht Club on the same morning as the Champagne Breakfast many years ago and turned the event into a fund raiser for the Junior Sailing Program.

One of the years that John swam, he was joined by Jake Morgan whose daughter has attended the program and his parents sail on Atwood Lake. Last year he volunteered to do the swim alone and will swim again this year.

The money raised goes to the Tom Hudson/Junior Sailing Fund. The contributions are tax deductible and part of the Muskingum Watershed Conservancy Foundation (MWCF). The MWCF supports many programs at the lakes and parks that are part of the Conservancy. Junior Sailing can request grants from the fund and use the money to build a Pavilion, buy floating docks, purchase additional boats, or general supplies to conduct the camp.

You can learn more about the MWCF at www.muskingumfoundation.org

Your contributions and the many people that volunteer at our camps have created a lot of happy kids who will never forget their times at camp. They love the experience so much that they come back when they are too old to attend camp to be volunteers. This year we had 8 graduates of our program come as Junior Volunteers.

Something else for us to be proud of is Merrill Cline, a long time student and Junior Volunteer realized her dream and was sworn into the Coast Guard Academy last week. She always told us that Junior Sailing camp was her favorite thing to do each year and her motivation to be on the water. Together we help make a difference.

This year's swim will be on August 18th and starts at the West Marina at 7am.

Gary Lenhart and the Junior Sailing Committee