



From the Quarterdeck
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Jean and I wish everyone a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

The schedule is complete and looks to be one of the more outstanding schedules we have had in many years. The Division Commanders along with their Lt. Commanders and Race Chairs are now looking for volunteers for race chairs, event and or social chairs. Scott Collins, Social Chair, is likewise doing the same. As I said in the December Log, this is a big task, so please volunteer when asked or if you have a preference, give them a call.

The new clubhouse has proven to be a great success. This year, many events such as Alain Vincy's winter programs, the Bermuda High Party and the CBYRA Region 4 Awards Party will be held at the clubhouse. You should see announcements in this and later issues and on the web site. These are great opportunities to see your friends and stay involved in your club over the winter.

The Junior Division will hold a kick off party on February 2 at Strother Scott's home. Ruthanna Jenkins will review the 2003 Junior Expanded Program and expects a large turnout of juniors and parents. One of the new 420's will be on display. If you have not made reservations, please do so.

After one-year absence, MORC Crew Training is back. Mike Karn and Lori Moyer are planning an exciting program. This program sponsored by MORC is open to the public and FBYC members. If you are

new to sailing and want to race, this is an excellent way to improve your skills and crew on a racing boat. FBYC skippers are committed to participate with crew training on their boats for the Opening Day Regatta and the Spring Series. Call Lori if you are interested.

The Board looks forward to providing the membership an exciting year. See you all at the Bermuda High Party.

Happy New Year.