

BAY CLUB NEWS

MARCH 2026



With the hope and prayers for warmer weather to be on its way we keep our eyes open for any sign of Spring. We're gearing up for a busy month at The Head of the Bay Club and Our Thursday Night Happy Hours continue to gather momentum.

On Saturday, March 14th, we'll hold in-person sign-ups for all Summer Programs – Camp, Sailing, Swim Team, and Tennis – from 9:00-11:00 AM.

We'll also celebrate St. Patrick's Day on Sunday, March 15th with a menu of Irish favorites, including Corned Beef & Cabbage and traditional Fish & Chips. Come dressed in your green and enjoy a Guinness, a Jameson, or both!

Be on the lookout for our informative flyer on our upcoming Elaborate Brunch Buffet and Saucy Sunday coming to you March 22nd.

Be sure to print out the monthly calendar so you don't miss any of the upcoming Bay Club happenings.

Bay Club East End

The ZBA hearing remains pending as the Village is still unable to assemble a quorum. As a result, the meeting cannot be confirmed at this time. The Village has not provided a new date at this time. Once the hearing is officially scheduled, we strongly encourage all members to attend to send a clear, positive message to the Zoning Board.

More Details will be shared as soon as they become available.



EASTER EGG HUNT &
FAMILY LUNCH BUFFET

SATURDAY, APRIL 4TH

Join the Easter Bunny for some egg hunt fun!
Be sure to bring a basket and a camera.

Egg hunt starts at
11:00am SHARP!
Don't be late!!



SUNDAY, APRIL 5TH

Dinner Seatings at
1:00pm & 4:00pm

Lavish appetizer and Viennese
table with assorted salads and more.

Served entrée of Roasted Leg of Lamb,
Grilled Salmon, Chef's Choice of Chicken
and more.

DRESS CODE

Main Dining Room

Attire *Off- Season*

Lunch

- Dress Jeans are permitted (no rips/not distressed).
- Non-athletic sneakers are permitted
- Clean collared shirts required

Dinner

- Clean Casual*
- Dress jeans are permitted (no rips/not distressed).
- Clean collared shirts and appropriate footwear are required
- Jackets are suggested for men, for Saturday evenings

Clubroom & Patio

Attire *Off- Season*

Lunch

- Dress jeans are permitted
- Racquet sports and bocce attire permitted.
- Casual footwear is permitted

Dinner

- Clean Casual Attire
- Dress jeans are permitted
- Casual footwear is permitted
- Bocce, Paddle, and Pickle Players can be accommodated on Thursday, Friday, and Sunday
- Jackets are suggested for men, for Saturday evenings

EMPLOYMENT



Employment News:

The Bay Club is now accepting applications for summer positions.

**Please use one application for each job applied.
(Camp, Life Guard, Dock, Snack Bar, etc.)**

Lifeguard Applications will not be accepted without a copy of valid lifesaving and CPR certifications attached.

ALL applications must be submitted by April 1st, NO exceptions!

Applications can be found on our website:

www.theheadofthebayclub.com



The Head of the Bay Club is in search of a dynamic **Pool Director and Head Lifeguards** for the 2026 season. Applications must be submitted to the office by **March 15th**.

We are also looking for lifeguards for the upcoming season. All applications must be submitted by **April 1st**. Applications will not be considered without a copy of valid lifesaving and CPR certifications.

Pool Opening is Memorial Day Weekend - Friday May 22, 2026.

Please see the Bay Club Website for lifeguard applications or you may [click here for an application](#).

Summer 2026 Bocce Tournament

Spring has sprung, birds are chirping, flowers are blooming and sign-ups for this summer's bocce tournaments are now **open through Friday, May 8th**!



Women's Doubles Men's Doubles Mixed Doubles



- 2-member teams (open to full and junior Bay Club members only)
- **Double elimination format**
- Brackets will be open for play by Friday, May 15th with **first round matches to be completed no later than Sunday, May 31st**
- As always, the finals for each tournament bracket will be played on Labor Day weekend on **Sunday, September 6th** during the annual Pig Roast

To register your doubles team, please email lecampisi@gmail.com and include the following information:

- Each team member's name
- Each team member's email contact
- Each team member's mobile number

Please make sure to include current contact info for **BOTH** team members as this is how you will receive information about the tournament through the summer...including bracket access, match deadlines and reminders. After registering, you will receive further tournament details and links to brackets via email.

Registration is open until Friday, May 8th

***** Late registrations cannot be accepted ***** and we kindly ask you to **not wait until the last minute to register**...sooner than later is always better and helps us to organize the brackets accordingly.

Please note that you **MUST be available to play on Sunday, September 6th**. If you are not available on September 6th, we ask you to please not enter the tournament.

Fee is \$65 per person for the 1st tournament entry and \$40 per person for 2nd entry. As in the past, registration fee includes a ticket to the Pig Roast on Sunday, September 6th.

The Adult Rec Committee looks forward to another exciting and fun bocce season – see you all soon!

Pat Scanlon

Lauren Campisi

Joe Pacifico

Bay Club Merchandise



*Thank you for a
great 2025
Season!*



Stop in to see what's new for 2026

Bay Club Cares News

We sincerely would like to thank all of the members and teen volunteers who generously donated to our winter charities! Now, we are ready for SPRINGTIME! We will be collecting Easter baskets once again to donate to St. Patrick's Outreach.

Basket guidelines:

*Wrap basket in clear cellophane and tie with a ribbon

*Baskets can be unisex if possible

*Suggested items - treats, bubbles, coloring books, stuffed animals, bunny ears, stickers, books

Teen volunteers can receive community service hours for participating. Please email a committee member if you would like to donate a basket(s) for those in need in our community! Baskets will be due by the end of March.

Thank you for your support!

Bay Club Cares Committee

Heather Callery hcallery@optonline.net

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Everyone's Irish in March

Come blend your own, homemade
Irish Cream

& play a few rounds of St. Patrick's Day themed
Friendly Feud.

\$15 includes MOST supplies

Participants must bring:

large bowl
spatula
2 cups Irish Whiskey

RSVP by March 9

**to Marjorie Medwed by phone or text
at (631)-404-9838 to reserve a spot.**



homemade
**IRISH
CREAM**

Thursday
March 12
6:30
in Paddle Rm

**Hosted by Ladies' Social Committee
Marjorie Medwed, Mary DiDio, Roseanna Schmitz**



Summer Program Registration

Don't let the cold weather fool you, Summer is once again right around the corner! Our Summer Programming Committees have created a **universal registration form** to make sign-ups a breeze. **One link for all Summer Programs!**

We are once again offering the **Camp Bay Total Experience!** For one price, campers can enjoy Camp, Tennis, Sailing and Swim Team! Please refer to the Bay Club Program Information registration links to learn more about Camp Bay Total Experience and our other Junior Summer offerings from Sailing, Tennis and Swim Team.

Registration is opening soon! Take advantage of our Early Bird Discount. **Register** for Camp Bay Total Experience, Adventure Sailing, Junior Sailing, Tennis Camp and/or Tennis Excellence Club **by March 31st and receive up to \$100 off your program registration fee.** Here's what you need to know for registration:

March 1 - March 31: Early Bird Registration - Up to \$100 off Camp Bay Total Experience, Adventure Sailing, Junior Sailing, Tennis Camp and/or Tennis Excellence Club

Saturday, March 14: In-person registration at the Bay Club from 9am-11am. Come talk to our Committee Chairs, mingle with other parents and try on Swim Team gear before you order.

Please read the following pages for further information for each Summer Program...



SUMMER CAMP



We're looking forward to another summer of fun at **Camp Bay Total Experience!**
For one price, campers can enjoy all summer activities:

- ☆ Junior Development Tennis
- ☆ Recreational Camp Sailing (for grades 2+)
- ☆ Swim Team (for those who qualify) or ☆ Swim Stroke / Swim Lessons for others

*Sign up by March 31st to take advantage of our Early Bird discounts.
Registration forms coming soon!*

 Our 2026 camp season will run for 7 weeks, from June 29th to August 14th. Our camp hours are **9am – 3pm!** The much-anticipated camp show will take place on Wednesday, August 12th.

 We offer programs for children in Pre-K through 8th grade. **For our youngest campers, Tadpoles, children must be 3 years old by December 1, 2025 and fully potty trained.** All grandchildren, nieces and nephews are welcome!

 For rising 9th graders, we have our CIT (Counselor in Training) program, where participants will work closely with an assigned camp group, gaining valuable skills and leadership experience.

 Online registration starts March 1st. We are holding in-person registration on March 14th from 9am-11am so please come down to learn more about our new camp.

 Join Our Team - Apply to be a Counselor! We are currently accepting applications for Counselors. Additionally, we have an Art position available.

We are looking forward to another amazing summer, full of fun, growth, and memories! Please reach out to the camp committee with any questions at bayclubcamp@gmail.com



From Snow Days to Summer Days...Bay Club Sailing is right around the corner! Come join the fun!!! Children and Youth aged 6-17 can participate in the Bay Club's Sailing Programs. We offer many different levels and schedules for sailing. It's a unique summer experience you can only get at The Bay Club!

Registration: Begins March 1 (online); March 14 (in-person 9am-11am)
\$100 OFF IF YOU REGISTER BY MARCH 31

Summer Sailing Programs (Program Dates: June 29-August 14 / Sailing Awards & Dinner: August 13)

Adventure Sailing: This program is great for campers/CITs who want to spend a few of hours each week on the water. As requested, we have extended the program a half-hour, campers will leave camp an hour early (2:30-5PM T/TH). Learn how to rig a boat, tie basic knots and have fun on the water. Children (ages 6+) must be able to swim on their own and pass our safety swim test.

Youth Sailing: For our 8+ year old beginner, intermediate, social sailors and racers, Bay Club sailing offers a great summer program for every level. Sailors will learn to rig a boat, capsize, sail a racecourse and cruise to Sand City. Come celebrate 7-11 Day, Pirate Day, Superhero Day, and sail in local regattas! Youth sailing is offered as a half-day or full-day camp.

Junior Instructor: For sailors aged 15 and older who have sailing experience and want to teach our younger sailors. This full-day, full summer program prepares our older sailors to be sailing instructors. The JI program includes a half-day of sailing (as a Youth Sailor) and a half-day of instructing.



REMINDER!

We need summer hosts for our instructors!!!
If you are willing to house, please contact
bayclubsailing@gmail.com

Please feel free to email the Sailing Committee with any questions that you may have at bayclubsailing@gmail.com.

Bay Club Swim Team

Hello Bay Club Swimmers!

The 2026 swim season is quickly approaching and the Swim Team Committee is lining up a fun and memorable summer for our team.

Join us for in-person registration on Saturday, March 14th from 9:00–11:00 AM to learn more about the season, meet members of the committee and get all your questions answered. We will also be hosting swimsuit try-ons during registration.

We welcome all swimmers ages 5 to 17, including members' grandchildren and nieces/nephews, to participate this year. Swim team is more than just practice and meets; it is about building confidence, staying active, forming friendships, and enjoying extended summer days at the Bay Club. The combination of exercise, camaraderie, and good old-fashioned summer fun makes this one of the highlights of the season.

Weekday afternoon practices will kick off on Monday, June 22nd and will run through the end of camp on Friday, August 14th. We can't wait to dive into another fantastic year together!

If you have any questions, please reach out to the Swim Team Committee via email at suegesell@yahoo.com. We're looking forward to seeing everyone on March 14th and making 2026 our best season yet! Bonsai!



Bay Club Tennis News



Happy March!!! I hope this email finds everyone happy, healthy, and looking forward to the spring tennis season!

Opening

We are less than two months away from the opening of our tennis courts for the 2026 season, tentatively set for **Monday, April 20th!** We'll keep everyone updated through the Bay Club Facebook page and email. We'll use the *CourtReserve* app again this year to book courts and sign up for events.

Our Women's League Teams

We have women's teams for all levels at the club. If you have not played before and **would like to join a team, have any questions, or would like advice on which team would be the best fit for you, feel free to email or call me** any time at bayclubtennis@gmail.com OR (631) 742- 4425. Early season team clinics and lessons will begin as soon as the courts open.

Looking Ahead...

**** Jr. Tennis Summer sign-ups begin March 1st!**

**** More information coming soon about *Spring Tennis*, beginning in late April!!!**

**** If you are not a part of our tennis email list and would like to be, please email me at bayclubtennis@gmail.com.**

**** Some new and exciting tennis events, lesson options, and other opportunities coming up for the Summer!**

**** *Tennis uniforms* for our juniors will be available to order at summer sign-ups and online soon. Other tennis clothing will be available for all!!!**

Looking forward to seeing everyone soon!

Craig

bayclubtennis@gmail.com

631-742-4425 (text)

Dock & Boating News

Think warm weather, calm water, and boating on Huntington Bay - it may help us through the snow storm and bleakness of February! Boating is not too far in our future.

With that in mind, please submit your MOORING APPLICATION ASAP. We have an impending deadline with our installer and a delay would mean increased fees.

You may have seen the ice damage to the pilings. We have been encouraged to hear that our pilings are to be replaced and the docks installed prior to the start of our boating season.

Also, we will be hiring LAUNCH OPERATORS. Please refer anyone you know who would be interested to visit the HBC website or office for an application.

The committee is dedicated to making this boating season fabulous. Thank you for your cooperation in getting the applications in timely and please contact us with any questions or concerns.

The Dock Committee,

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WELCOME TO THE 2026 PICKLEBALL SEASON!!!

Looking forward to seeing everyone on the Court soon.

New this year: THERE WILL BE NO FEE TO JOIN PICKLEBALL THIS YEAR! MEMBERSHIP WILL PROVIDE PLAYERS WITH 2 FREE CLINICS (DATES TBD), PLUS THE OPENING SEASON SOCIAL.

HOWEVER, Please Register to facilitate planning for the season.

We have many things in the works including socials, tournaments (pay to play) and inter-club league play so it is important to stay connected with our emails!!

SAVE THE DATES (subject to change):

4/17/26: Opening Social
5/23/26: Memorial Day Scramble
6/14/26: Mixed Tournament
7/5/26: Mixed Tournament
7/26/26: Men's Tournament/Ladies Tournament
9/7/26: Labor Day Scramble
TBD: Year End Party

Pickleball registration is ongoing...Please be sure to complete the registration form:

[2026 Pickleball Registration](#)

so you can be added to the Pickleball email distribution list. Emails about all things Pickleball are sent to the registered players on a regular basis

COMING SOON:

MIXED OPEN PLAY: SUNDAYS 10:00am-12:00PM **ALL LEVELS WELCOME!**

LADIES OPEN PLAY: Tuesdays 5:00-6:30

MENS OPEN PLAY: Tuesdays 6:30-8:00

*** REMINDER: ALWAYS sign up on CourtReserve if you are planning to use a court.

*** GUEST FEE is \$8/guest

Feel free to reach out to any member of the Pickle Committee with questions, concerns and ideas. Our hope is to add a Member/Guest Tournament in August as well!

Kate Morrisroe
Rose Burton
Jamie St John
Liz Hahm
Mike Schnitzer

Bay Club

March Calendar

2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						Lunch Dinner
1 Lunch – Brunch Specials. Dinner	2 CCP	3	4	5 No Lunch. Dinner	6 Lunch. Dinner	7 Lunch – No Club Room, Private Party. Dinner
8 Daylight Saving Time Begins Lunch – Brunch Specials. Dinner	9	10	11	12  No Lunch. Dinner	13 Lunch Dinner	14 Program Sign Ups 9am – 11am Lunch Dinner
15 Lunch – Brunch Specials Dinner - Irish Specials	16	17 	18	19 No Lunch. Dinner	20 Lunch Dinner	21 Lunch. Dinner
22 Elaborate Brunch Buffet. Followed by: Saucy Sunday Dinner	23	24	25	26 No Lunch. Dinner	27 Lunch Dinner	28 Lunch – No Club Room, Private Party. Dinner
29 Lunch – Brunch Specials - No Club Room Private Party. Dinner	30 BOG	31			<u>Lunch Hours</u> 12pm – 2:30pm, Friday, Saturday & Sunday	<u>Dinner Hours</u> Thursday, Saturday & Sunday 5:30pm – 8:30pm Friday 5:30pm - 9pm