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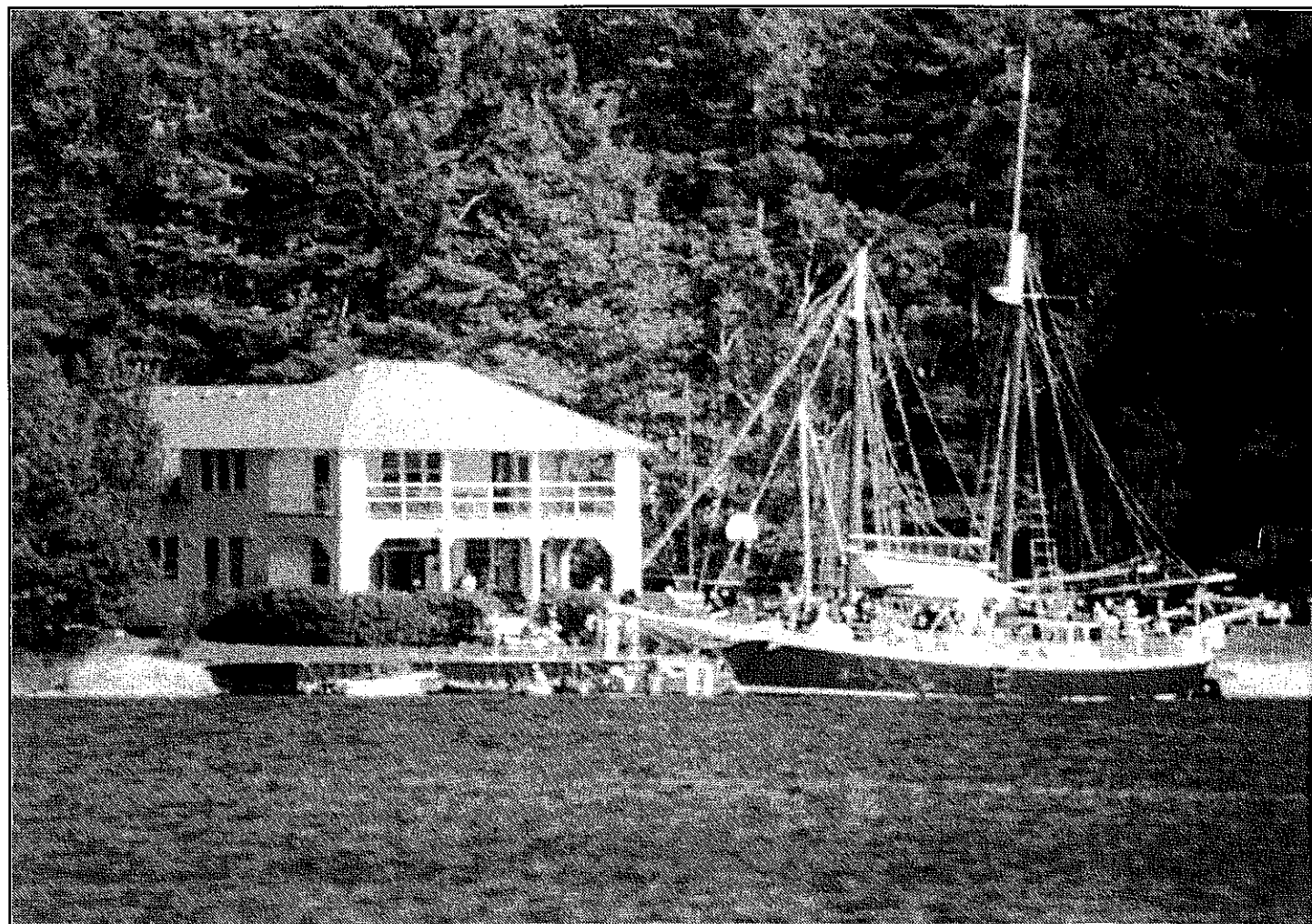
OTYC

December, 1994

OTYC

No. 1

Happy Holidays



A view from across Omena Bay shows the schooner *Inland Seas* anchored at the OTYC dock. On a beautiful Sunday in July, many members and friends toured the Science Ship, gaining knowledge of its purpose and contributing funds to its educational program.

The Commodore's Message

As winter approaches I am sure the warm summer days of Omena are far from your mind. But during some of the cold snowy days that lie ahead think of Omena and the Yacht Club. Remember the good times we have had and will continue to have, the beautiful views, and the warm friendships. I am sure those thoughts make you eager to return to Omena. Now is the time to think about next summer. What changes, if any, would you like to see made at the Club? What new activities would you like to see? During the coming winter days a nucleus of club members are planning ahead to make sure that next summer at Omena meets your expectations. We welcome your input! Here are some of the people you can contact.

The Board members are Kathy Bosco, Vice Commodore; Sam Cone, Treasurer; Joan Kiersey; Carolyn Marbach; Vin Moore, Rear Commodore; Edward Oberndorf; John Storey, Secretary; and Dennis Turner. We have an excellent Board who have a strong concern for the Club.

Our Social committee has a new makeup for next summer. Barb Harris, Joan Roth, and Jonnie Hodgson will co-chair the Potlucks. Marsha Buehler, Kathy Bosco, and Lynn Mason will be in charge of Special Events. It's bound to be an exciting social summer thanks to the above people. Tom Buehler will again chair

The Omena- Traverse Yacht Club Breeze

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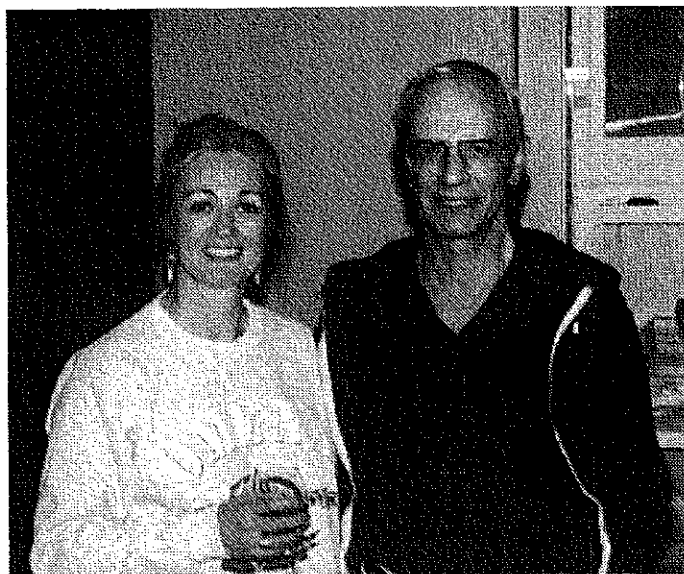
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Nominating. We are very lucky to have Dennis and Kathy Turner as chairs of the Youth committee. They will need volunteers among the parents to be in charge of the weekly trips. The Tennis program is in the capable hands of Jack Bishop. Ole Kiersey will remain as chair of Building and Grounds. Many thanks go to



Jay Grosmark, with his wife Barbara, anticipates the coming year as our new commodore.

Ole and his committee for making sure that the Club remains physically sound. Bob Johnson is once again chair of Waterfront. He keeps a keen eye on the waterfront, making sure it is in tip-top shape. Barb Harris will remain as our vibrant Membership chair. Gil Deibel is the new chair of the Founders Fund. We appointed two new committees this last summer. Kathy Bosco is in charge of Interior Furnishings and Carolyn Marbach is coordinating off season use of the Club. Many thanks go to Margy Lyon and Betsy Ehrhardt for the superb job they are doing in putting out the Breeze. Thanks ladies!

Before next summer some physical improvements will be made to the Club. Randy Gilmore, builder, did an examination of the lower porch floor and found that from 15 to 25% of the boards have rotted. They will be replaced. We are concerned about a possible weakness in the dock. Bob Johnson is working on a preservation plan for the dock that he will recommend to the Board. The upper porch is in excellent shape after the work by Zimmerman Construction. It should have no problems for a long time.

Special thanks go to all our Club members who have made the OTYC a special place to meet friends, have good times, and to enjoy a wonderful place. Have a good winter! Next summer is not that far away.

Jay Grosmark

News From Our Friends

MARY and SAM CONE write that "our trip to Scotland and England in September was more wonderful and exciting than we had anticipated. Our guide and our driver, being Englishmen, found many byways and backroads in the highlands of Scotland. The group consisted of seven couples - a small van capacity (16 including the driver and guide). The Highlands are craggy, with gorse, heather and grazing sheep everywhere; awesome beauty to say the least. We enjoyed our fellow passengers very much; lots of laughter and companionship.

We flew into Glasgow - on to Inverary, Scotland on Loch Linnhe, then to the Isle of Skye and took a ferry to the small island of Rassay off the coast of Skye. We spent two nights there, and toured the Isle of Skye during the day-time. We stopped at crofters cottages; saw Celtic designed silver, linens and many handwoven shawls and sweaters. We went on to Inverness, then to St. Andrews and south to Hadrian's Wall and into Yorkshire. In the city of York we attended Evensong at York Minster, then on to EssWyck, Ambleside, etc. We returned to Glasgow for sightseeing before leaving on the seventeenth. We would highly recommend this trip, as the pastoral scenes in the country-side give an overall contentment that one does not feel in too many places - but, of course, always in Omena."

"Big news from the BILLS (Feely Cottage) family. We're moving to The Keys! For as long as we can remember, we have driven home from visits to our friends in The Keys wondering why in the heck we don't live there. Well, GREG has accepted a position with TIB (The Island Bank) Bank of The Keys as a Se-



At the Commodore's Reception, Jim & Betty Gregory and friends sample hors d'oeuvres provided by the Social Committee.

nior Vice President and Residential Lending Division Manager. We move on November 5th. (See address list.)

Our new house is a typical three-story Keys House with an illegal "mother-in-law" suite on the ground floor that will soon be ready for all of our friends from Omena. We knew we had found the right place when we looked west and saw a statue of Jesus standing on a small rock at the end of our canal. STEPHANIE is excited about attending The Island Christian School and MATTHEW loves the idea of walking one block to attend the public elementary school. He figures he'll get home before Stephanie so that he can get a head start on finding the best fishing holes.

Now the trip to Omena will take 30 hours instead of 28. We are all sure that the cool fresh water will feel great in June! COME ON DOWN"

ERIC SPITZ-NAGEL has had another article printed in the August/September 1994 issue of The Third World magazine. This article is called "The Rebirth of Bad" and concerns the Chicago Underground Film Festival.

As far as news from the MASON family, we have a ten week old Standard Poodle puppy named Coco. We also plan to spend Christmas week at Omena and will take in some skiing at nearby Sugarloaf Mountain. We look forward to reading The OTYC Breeze.

HOLLY SMITH writes that, "I have been unable to stay away from Omena this year. I had planned on being there for the month of August. However, after that I stayed on for another week in September. Then I flew to Chicago and drove up with Hiedi for another ten days in October. Now I am back in Denver and plan to stay here for awhile.

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News From Our Friends

Our big news since the last Breeze is Preston's marriage to Rebecca Priest, July 15, in St. Louis, MO. We were so pleased to have many of our Omena friends with us. Many have known Preston all his life. For that matter, many have known CRAIG and me for almost all of our lives as well. Preston and Rebecca are living at 613 Breen Dr., Champaign, IL 61820."

JOAN KIERSEY writes, "It's hard to believe we're still here! That lush, green summer look is definitely gone as colors appear, leaves fall and the grass doesn't grow!

I feel that I've entered the human race again - now using a cane (outside only) and reveling in that comparative freedom! The daily therapy exercises continue, plus much walking practice. After our uneven ground and stone booby traps, a city block should be a cinch! The final freedoms (bending, etc.) will be much longer in coming, but it is truly enough now to have no pain and to watch the lost mobility return. I'm positive that all the kindnesses and support from so many OTYC friends got me through everything - as well as OLE.

We'll be journeying back to Kalamazoo shortly after Oct. 24th (last x-ray day). Late in December, we'll leave for three months in Gulf Shores, Ala-

bama. This year I will walk those sugar sand beaches!"

The READS are looking forward to full summers in Omena as CHARLOTTE is retiring from the State Department in December. After 50 too short summers in Omena, Charlotte is looking forward to helping with OTYC activities - give her a call!

ALAN and Charlotte had eleven family members in their one bedroom cottage last August - so it's time to plan an addition to their current Omena home on Ingalls Bay Road.

Last May, Charlotte, with her cousins Barbara and Dave Hildner, went to the wedding of her cousin Dan Bradley in Israel. Dan is the son of the late Dan F. Bradley and grandson of the late Dan T. Bradley of Omena. The wedding was delightful and Barb, Dave and Charlotte were treated to sightseeing in Jerusalem, Nazareth and the Sea of Galilee.

In late October 1993 Charlotte and Alan were in Omena and saw people filming a new Buick on Ingalls Bay Road. This year they sent for the video and brochure — lo and behold, there was a beautiful picture of a '95 Buick Riviera parked on Ingalls Bay Rd., in beautiful fall foliage. Get the brochure and look at page 30.

Alan and Charlotte enjoyed seeing Omena friends again during their late October visit to close the cottage. See you in May.

ALICE GELAKOSKI reports that "the weather is starting to get in the lower 80's now. Just right for sailing. We now have a sailboat that we're really enjoy-

ing here in Tampa. We sail in Tampa Bay near our home.

We brought our Whaler back this year and BRIAN has really been enjoy-



Kathy Bosco shows pictures and describes her exciting experiences in Kenya.

ing himself in that boat. He's been playing tennis some also. He started playing on a tennis league recently.

ANDREA is in a high school program which demands much study, and so that she'll be able to also get her sleep, many other things are cut out. It's called the International Baccalaureate Program or IBP.

BOB has also been doing his usual flying and biking for fun.

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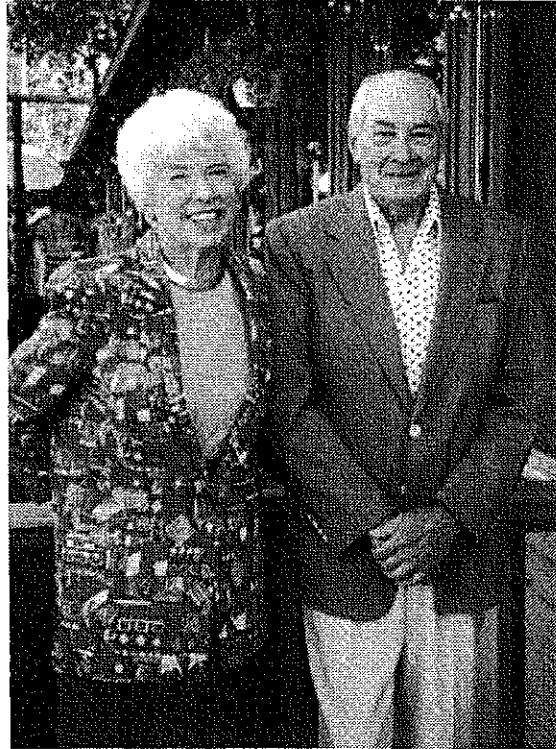
The big event in the EHRHARDT-LYON family was the wedding of LIBBY EHRHARDT to Mike Mustaine in St. Louis, MO on October 8, 1994. PEGGY was her sister's Maid of Honor, MARTHA was one of the four bridesmaids, and BOB was a groomsman. It was a wonderful time for the family as all the Ehrhardts and Lyons were present. We were especially pleased to have some of our Omena friends with us too. Libby and Mike are now living in Orlando, FL where Libby is an assistant professor of Sociology at the University of Central Florida, and Mike is working for Harrington Group, a computer software development company specializing in quality control applications.

DORIS and DON ROTHANG write that, "it wasn't easy, but we made it - fifty years of wedded bliss. They have been wonderful years and we are greatly blessed - we have traveled the world and have made lasting friendships. We have much to be thankful for.

In June we celebrated this special occasion with a delightful trip to Alaska. Later, our neighbors (including Sam and Mary Cone) hosted cocktails and dinner at the Leland Lodge in our honor. Then on our day, July 29th, we entertained forty-eight guests at our home

Now we are on our way to Florida having said our good-byes to members of the Omena Yacht Club at a cocktail party after the apple-picking party at Tom and Mary Smith's."

RAT RENZ writes that, "We feel like we've been doing nothing but running since Labor Day. Here's what we've been up to since summer. In early September we went back for my 40th reunion from ETHS (Evanston Township High



Doris and Don Rothang are ready to leave for their 50th wedding anniversary dinner.

School). First time back since I graduated. We had a tour of the high school and found many new features, including a fabulous computer lab with 200 computers. Also, there were two new auditoriums, a natatorium, and some lovely courtyards. Of course the court yards were there when I was, but they look fantastic now. I saw several good old friends and also ran into a bunch of classmates I

had totally forgotten, but somehow their names and/or faces were familiar. We were glad we went.

Later in September, MH & John came down for Cincinnati's Oktoberfest. We all stuffed ourselves that weekend, and also took part in the huge Chicken Dance Saturday evening.

October found us in Grosse Pointe for the weekend where we attended a Wedding Shower for Billy & Tish, hosted by, among others, Dee and Martin Oetting. Small world department! One of the guests was Jed Mooney's mother, who, it turns out, is a good friend of Tish's parents.

Last week Bill and I went to Houston, Texas for a short visit with Bill's cousin and family, then on to New Orleans for the "Paint Show." We were lucky to have just been a few days ahead of the awful rains around Houston. On our way to New Orleans, we saw the Acadian village, where the Cajuns originally settled, and went through one of the old southern plantations on the Mississippi. Walking down Bourbon Street one evening, who did we run into? Debby & Les Disch! Truly a small world."

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OTYC Social Season

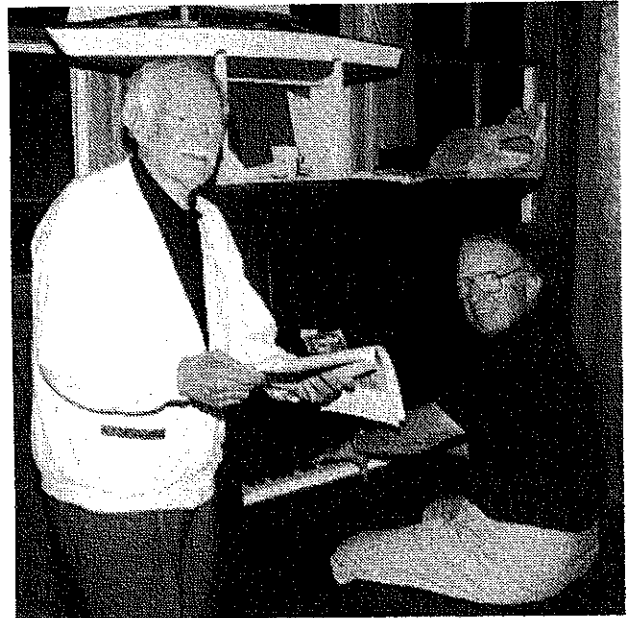
The OTYC social season began on Saturday, June 25th with an informal open house at the Club. Members gathered to greet the Commodore, see friends and share hors d'oeuvres. The official opening of the Club was the Annual Opening Dinner on July 2nd. The chairmen MARSHA BUEHLER, MARCIA BISKUPSKI, MARTY BILLS and CONNIE MARTINEAU arranged a fine dinner. TOM BUEHLER and his committee grilled marinated chicken breasts and hot dogs. Scalloped potatoes were served, and members brought salads which were placed on the individual tables. Strawberries and other "goodies" brought by members topped off the meal. Afterwards we renewed friendships, caught up on "the news" and met new members and guests.

The Social Committee Chairman was MARSHA BUEHLER. BARB HARRIS and JOAN KIERSEY served as Potluck Chairmen and JONNIE HODGSON as Program Chairman.

The first Potluck was July 6th. The speaker was Sandra Carden, the illustrator of the book, *Ageless Exercise* written by a MS patient, Joan Laird. Sandra is a certified Yoga therapist who, with her friend, Larry, demonstrated a type of Yoga that integrates and exercises the mind and body. The audience then participated in a few exercises. This program led to Yoga classes twice a week at the Club.

July 13th was Bingo night! Some of the children took turns helping JONNIE HODGSON and BARB HARRIS call the numbers. The winner of the big game was MARY HELEN RAY. A good time was had by all!

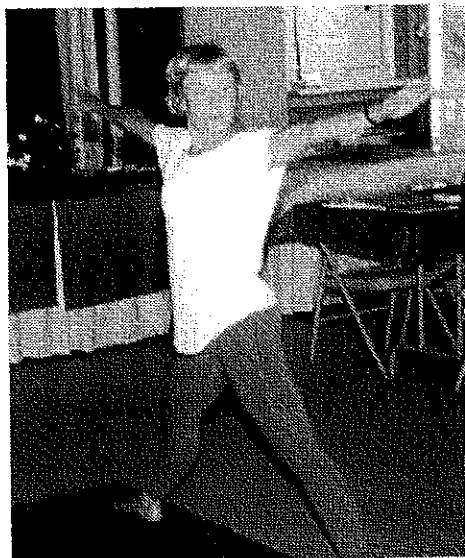
We had two slide presentations that were well attended. One was by Marsha Jungsman who spoke about "Barns of Leelanau County" and the other by Mary Ellen Hadjisky who gave an "Oral History of Leelanau County."



Henry Schneidewind and John Ray lead a rousing sing-a-long following potluck.

A musical program featured DREW EHRHARDT on ukulele and JOHN RAY on the piano. Henry Schneidewind sang and led the audience in a sing-a-long of many familiar songs.

The August 10th Potluck featured KATHY BOSCO. Kathy gave a wonderful talk and showed a video of her trip and experiences in "the Bush" in Kenya, Africa where she had gone in June as a medical missionary and teacher. She also had many maps, charts, snapshots, etc. to show us.



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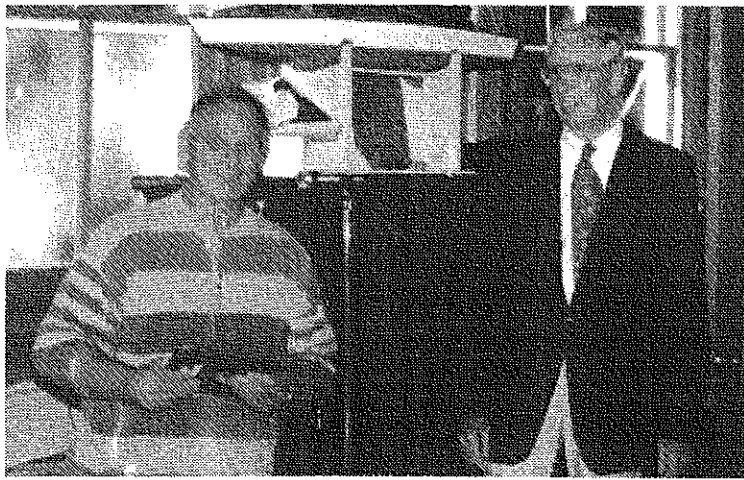
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One of the highlights of the season was the Commodore's Reception chaired by MARGY LYON and BETSY EHRHARDT. PING ABOT arranged beautiful flowers for the table, members shared their hors d'oeuvres, JOHN RAY played the keyboard and the Commodore, VIN MOORE, and past Commodores were honored. OLE KIERSEY was given a special award, honoring him for his years of service to the Club. The plaque read:



Ole Kiersey accepts his plaque from Vin Moore for many years of dedicated service to OTYC.

To Ole Kiersey

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offer this memento in
sincere appreciation
August 1994*

Following the reception there was a lovely dinner arranged by MARSHA BUEHLER and cooked and served by her daughter.

The crowds at all the functions were larger than ever! A big thank you to all the Chairmen and Committees that made this such a successful summer!

Margy Lyon

Carolyn Marbach

AN APPEAL FROM THE SOCIAL COMMITTEE

We need a couple of folks to organize the Opening Dinner for the 1995 summer season. The dinner will be on Saturday, July 1, and can be any format its planners choose (catered, potluck or a combination). You will get all the help you need from the Committee - PROMISE!

Please drop me a line or call if you can help. Many thanks. Marsha Buehler.

OTYC's Extended Season

The Club house doors didn't close August 15 as usual. Several events launched an extended OTYC season, modest in its beginning. Barb Harris extended the potlucks, with the last one on August 31, attended by 25 people. All agreed it was one of the best, with tasty and ample food and good fellowship.

Annette and Gil Deibel were hosts on Sunday, Sept. 4 (Labor Day weekend) when about 40 people, members and guests, attended the family picnic. Warm sunshine and sparkling water were the setting, with games on the lawn, and picnic tables on the porch, for summer's finale.

Rain and cool weather, the only "bad" weather weekend in an otherwise warm and sunny fall, dampened the apple - picking party, but not spirits, on Saturday, October 8. Tom and Mary Smith hosted an afternoon of apple picking in their orchard, which was enjoyed by several families. A final cocktail party, at the Club house that Saturday evening, was attended by over thirty people. Some were faces that had been missing at the hectic summer potlucks. Many had returned to Omena for the quiet of a fall weekend. For several it was the last fling before heading south. All agreed these should become annual events.

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The Science Ship

OTYC had another first on Sunday afternoon, July 24, when the new education classroom, a 61 foot, two-masted schooner called *Inland Seas*, came into Omena Bay under full sail and docked at OTYC for on board tours and a wine and cheese fund raiser.

A perfect summer afternoon brought out a crowd of 170 persons and over \$1750 was raised to further the education programs offered by ISEA. Inland Seas Education Association is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to provide first-hand training and experience in the Great Lakes ecosystem to people of all ages. The hope is that knowledge gained through these on-board experiences will provide leadership, understanding and commitment needed for the long term stewardship of the Great Lakes.

Over 10,000 students have already participated in ISEA's ship board programs, which are taught by one-hundred-



Annette Deibel welcomes the large crowd who visited the Inland Seas.

fifty trained volunteer instructors and ISEA's professional staff. Grand Traverse Bay will be The Science Ship's home, but each year The Science Ship will embark

on a regional cruise, with students meeting the vessel along the way.

Annette A. Deibel
Board member of ISEA



In Memory
Thomas John Sova

Thomas John Sova, 23, died April 21, 1994. He was born November 15, 1970. He is survived by his parents, Gary and Vicki, and his brother, Tony. Tommy graduated from Alma College, April 23, 1994. He earned a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Music. His instrument was classical guitar. He planned to attend Wayne State University's Graduate School of Music Theory. Tommy was a kind, sensitive person and a gifted musician. We miss his gentle smile, his sense of humor and the beautiful music from his guitars. "His absence is like the sky, it spreads over everything." (C.S. Lewis)
Vicki Sova

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Youth Group Report

Twenty-three children participated in the program over the course of the summer and our instructors, Laurie Wiess and Jeff Miner, did a terrific job. We hope they will return next summer.

Once again the weather cooperated. The rain seemed to come at night, which required a vigorous program of puddle elimination and tennis with damp balls, but rarely was it necessary to cancel either sailing or tennis lessons. The T-shirt tie-dyeing we had as a rainy day backup was eventually substituted for a Friday activity. The expertise of Lynn and Bill Mason insured the artistic quality of the finished product.

The group's Thursday trips included Putt-Putt, water-sliding and bowling. There was also horseback riding at Camp Rudolf with OTYC's incomparable horsewoman, Marty Bills, leading the posse. Kate and Joe Varley led an expedition to the wilds of South Manitou Island without loss of a single intrepid explorer. The canoe trip on the Platte River was a pleasant drift or a strenuous race depending on the canoe one happened to be in. The trip ended at Lake Michigan where Michael Turner took on most of the youth group in a dunking contest.

On the sailing front, a parent & kid regatta was held on Omena Bay which not only required the sailing of a tricky course and a foot race, but the chewing of very bad tasting bubble-gum and the blowing of respectable bubbles. Comic relief was provided at the end of the regatta by OTYC's consummate actor, Mike



Ashton Abbot, Chelsea Mason, Suzanne Mason, Jackie Jordan, Shelby Woolford, Catherine Bucholz, Nicole Owen, Kathy Turner and Caroline Turner show their creativity while tie dyeing.

Biskupski, when he fell backward off a Sunfish while trying to sail it onto the beach. Our sailors also participated in a Sunfish race at Northport Point. The approach of a severe thunderstorm cleared the course after one race, but the first race was won by OTYC's team of Caroline Turner, Allison Biskupski and Allison's cousin, Nicole Biskupski.

It was a good summer, but over too soon.

Dennis Turner

New Board Policies

The OTYC Board will not allow anyone to do any repairs, refurbishing, alteration, decoration or additions to the building or facilities without prior approval by the Board.

Any member of the OTYC who has questions about the behavior or performance of any people hired by the OTYC must NEVER question, order, or criticize an employee directly. Any problems should be taken up with a Board member or the appropriate committee chairperson. All our employees are highly valued, competent workers whose continued presence is essential to the operation of the OTYC.



Parents and children begin the footrace at the start of a sailboat race.

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ANNUAL MEETING MINUTES

JULY 23, 1994

The annual meeting of the Omena Traverse Yacht Club was call to order at 10:03 a.m. by Commodore Vin Moore. Thirty four members were present with four represented by proxy.

Members present:

Waldo Abbot	Vincent Moore	Carolyn Marbach	Sam Cone
Kay Harris	Barbara Grosmark	Mary Helen Ray	Ellie Stephenson
Jo Ann Bishop	Caroline Oberndorf	Bob Harper	Jane Saxton
Ole Kiersey	Jim Gregory	Nancy Sandt	Dennis Turner
Tom Buehler	Connie Martineau	Bob Gelakoski	Mary Cone
Bill Marbach	Jay Grosmark	Caroline Renz	Jack Stephenson
John Ray	Mary Louise Vail	Guenther Mueller	Vera Harper
Joan Kiersey	Jonnie Hodgson	Betty Gregory	Betsy Ehrhardt
Mike Biskupski	Marsha Buehler		

Proxies:

Robert Martineau	Michael Bosco	Suzie Mulligan	Kathy Bosco
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Treasurer's Report:

Treasurer Bob Gelakoski gave the Treasurer's Report for the period from January 1, 1994 through July 13, 1994. (See page 12)

Secretary's Report:

Motion made by Vin Moore and seconded by Bill Marbach to approve the minutes of the 1993 Annual Meeting as printed in the December 1993 Breeze. Motion carried.

Youth Committee Report:

Chairman Dennis Turner presented the Youth Committee report. To date 23 children have participated in this summer's program, with an average attendance of 9-10 per week. Five participants were non-members who responded to the advertisement in the Leelaneau Enterprise. The tennis instructor this year is Mr. Jeff Minor and the sailing instructor is Ms. Laurie Wiess. Both instructors are very experienced and we are pleased to have them. (Additional information can be found in the "Youth Group Report")

Membership Committee Report:

Chairman Connie Martineau presented the Membership committee report. New members for 1994 include: Loren and Joan Bensley and Walter and Judy Suhre. Guest members for 1994 include: Dr. Jeff and Cindy Standley, Clark and Terri Saxton, Peter and Betty Mann and Michael J. Spezia. An honorary Membership was awarded to Mr. Walter J. Gardner.

As of this date OTYC membership includes 109 families, 220 total members and 27 youth memberships.

Waterfront Committee Report:

The Waterfront Committee Report was given by Vin Moore in the absence of Chairman Bob Johnson. (There was no additional information available at Breeze press time.)

Breeze Report:

Editors Betsy Ehrhardt and Margy Lyon presented the Breeze report. Two copies of the Breeze were published this year. The quality of the paper has been improved along with the quality of the photographs over the past three years. Members are encouraged to write news and send pictures in order to keep the paper interesting, the Editors would like to hear from everyone. They are also seeking any historical information and pictures. Bob Harper is now handling the advertising and has been successful in selling new ads.

Founders Fund Report:

Caroline Renz presented the Founders Fun Report.

Balance on January 1, 1993	Savings	\$2,076.21
	CD	<u>7,542.77</u>
	Balance	\$9,618.98
Balance on December 31, 1993	Savings	\$312.82
	CD	3,071.89
	CD	<u>3,308.08</u>
	Balance	\$6,692.79

Building and Grounds Committee Report:

Chairman Ole Kiersey presented the committee report.

1. All necessary work for closing the club for the fall of 1993, and opening the club for 1994 have been accomplished by Carroll's Service.
2. Richard Colling did the mowing and trimming for the opening, and continues the necessary ground work during the summer.
3. John Bunek drained the water in the fall of 1993, and re-connected the water for 1994.
4. Walt Kalchik continues to do the weekly garbage pick-up.
5. Eighteen (18) chairs and three (3) tables were purchased for the dining area.
6. Four (4) signal flags and one OTYC flag were purchased from the Spartan Flag Company

Nominating Committee Report:

Chairman Tom Buehler presented the report as printed in the May 1994 issue of the Breeze. Names were placed in nomination by Tom Buehler. Vin Moore moved for acceptance and election. Motion carried.

Social Committee Report:

Chairman Marsha Buehler presented the report.

The OTYC social season opened with a cocktail party on June 25, followed by a well attended opening dinner on July 2.

At the July social committee meeting it was suggested that the clubhouse open earlier in June. Potluck chairmen are Joan Kiersey and Barb Harris, and programs are arranged by Jonnie Hodgson.

Concerns for the Club were that the Club needed a more complete opening cleaning, refurbishing the balcony, and problems with the stove.

Old Business:

None

New Business:

Carolyn Marbach read a resolution from the Board of Directors to inspect and repair the kitchen stove. If the existing stove cannot be brought up to proper standards then a new one will be purchased for a cost not to exceed \$350.00. Ole Kiersey reported that the existing stove is too old to repair economically, therefore, he will purchase a new one immediately.

Commodore Vin Moore reported a resolution from the Board of Directors regarding moorings.

The Board resolved to allow moorings in front of the Omena Traverse Yacht Club with boat owners to be responsible for all expenses in return for a five year lease on the moorings at the end of which the lease would be subject to renewal by the Board of Directors of OTYC.

Acting secretary Carolyn Marbach reported from the Board of Directors on a resolution.

The Board resolved to support and encourage a committee to evaluate the programs of the club in view of the needs of the expanding membership. It could explore activities beyond our current summer potluck season into fall and spring activities and some off site programs. Since many of our members are in Omena beyond the current summer season it may be desirable to have some events in the "off season," utilizing club facilities from early May through the middle of October. This committee would report directly to the Board of Directors. Discussion followed.

Motion made by Commodore Vin Moore and seconded by Bob Gelakoski to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 10:55 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,
J.W. Storey
Secretary

OMENA TRAVERSE YACHT CLUB TREASURER'S REPORT - BOB GELAKOSKI, TREASURER

BALANCE ON HAND—January 1, 1994 to July 13, 1994

Checking Account

5,307.25

Accounts Payable (State of Michigan)

(191.13)

5,116.12

RECEIPTS

DUES & FEES	Adult Membership Dues	9,420.00		
	Youth Membership Dues	324.00		
	Guest Memberships	300.00		
	Initiation Fees	<u>750.00</u>	10,794.00	
BREEZE	Ads	115.00		
	Subscriptions	<u>880.00</u>	995.00	
ACTIVITIES	Special Parties/Dinners	479.00		
	Potlucks	0.00		
	Dock Fees	1725.00		
	Sailing/Tennis Classes	<u>240.00</u>	2,444.00	
MISC.	Check Book Interest	66.78		
	Club Rental	0.00		
	Prepayments made (applied)	0.00		
	Road Repair Sharing	0.00		
	Sweatshirt, pendant, etc. sales	<u>50.00</u>	<u>116.78</u>	<u>14,349.78</u>
			19,465.90	

EXPENSES

BREEZE			1,101.70	
ACTIVITIES	Potlucks	0.00		
	Special Parties/Dinners	0.00		
	Tennis/Sailing	91.89		
	Dues - Lake Michigan Yachting Association	<u>100.00</u>	191.89	
MAINT.	Disposal Service	295.00		
	Electricity	107.55		
	House/Grounds Maintenance	631.03		
	Insurance	0.00		
	Real Estate Taxes	2,821.57		
	Telephone	125.49		
	Dock/Waterfront	<u>85.09</u>	4,065.73	
ADMIN.	Annual report	0.00		
	Bank charges	51.00		
	Clerical	652.50		
	Office Supplies	194.97		
	Petty Cash	100.00		
	Safe Deposit Box	<u>12.00</u>	1,010.47	
MISC.	Bottom lease and bond	0.00		
	Chairs	153.07		
	Check porch safety	0.00		
	Flags	<u>120.04</u>	<u>273.11</u>	<u>6,642.90</u>
			12,823.00	

BALANCE ON HAND - July 13, 1994

Checking Account

12,823.00