

Treasure Island Yacht Club

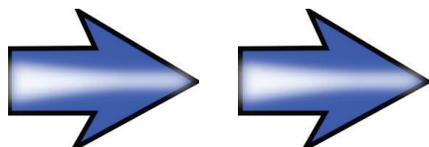
Cruise Out to



Benicia Yacht Club



August 16th and 17th, 2019



BY BOAT OR CAR



If you come by boat, please call the Harbormaster for a slip: 707-745 2628

Please mention that you are from the Treasure Island Yacht Club.

If we have three or more boats, we will receive a 10% discount on the slip fee, (which is \$1.00 per foot per night).

Friday, August 16th at 1700 to 1730:

Arrive at the Benicia Yacht Club for drinks and socializing.
Address: 400 East Second St., Benicia (Latitude 38 degrees; 02.510 N. Longitude 122 degrees; 09.400 W) 707-746-0739.

1830 Dinner at the Yacht Club (upstairs, order off menu). Bring your TIYC name tag or your PICYA card.

Optional activity: 2000 (8 P.M.) Go to see the “Movie Under the Stars” (free popcorn and free admission) at Benicia’s City Park Gazebo on 1st Street (at 1st and Military St). The movie will be “Coco” (family film G rated).

An approximate 7 block walk, or take Uber to get there, or hitch a ride. Take blanket, or chairs to sit on and a warm jacket for the cooler weather at night.

Saturday, August 17

Find a delightful restaurant for breakfast and/or lunch – An easy walk to the 1st Street restaurants, coffee houses, and shops.



Possible Activities after Breakfast/Brunch:

Benicia Historical Museum at 2060 Camel Rd., open from 1300 – 1600 (1 P.M. to 4 P.M.) This is an unusual museum with exhibits highlighting the history of Benicia and the military presence there. (Since they have no air conditioning, they may close in very hot weather.) There is a small entrance fee (less than \$10.00). Phone is 707 745 5435.

Benicia Capital State Historic Park, 115 West G St., Open 1000 to 1700 This is the site of California's third seat of government from 1853 – 54. It is the only pre-Sacramento capitol that survives today. Entrance fee is \$3.00 cash for both the Capital and the Fischer-Hanlon House.

Next door is the Fischer-Hanlon House, 135 West G St. It was previously a fire damaged, gold rush-era hotel, which was converted to a home in 1858 by Joseph Fischer. Or for a few leisure hours, go to Alvarez Ninth St. Park, 904 West 9th St. This is a grassy park with a children's play structure, beach with views of the Carquinez Strait, boat launch for small boats or paddle boards, 2 tables, bathrooms and a fishing pier.

Or walk, bike or drive along Carquinez Strait in the "Benicia State Recreation Area". From highway 780, take the Columbus Parkway exit. It is 1.5 miles west of the outskirts of Benicia. It is made of marsh, grassy hillsides, and rocky beaches along the narrowest part of the Carquinez Strait. The park is 2.5 miles of road and bike paths. It is a good place for birdwatching and enjoying the views along the way. The marshland area on Dillon's Point is a particularly favorite place for fishing. A parking fee is required.

Saturday, 1700

Cocktails and dinner at Fred and Susan Gibson's house, 195 East F Street (corner of 2nd Street), Benicia, 94510, cell: 408 836 6519 (Fred) or 408 230 5063 (Susan). Come to meet and greet your fellow TIYC friends over drinks and dinner (dessert, too!).

Please let Fred know when you will arrive and what events you will attend. If you wish overnight accommodations, please let Fred know:fredw@gibson-design.com

***Sunday: For those who came by boat:
May fair seas be with you on your way back to your home ports.***

