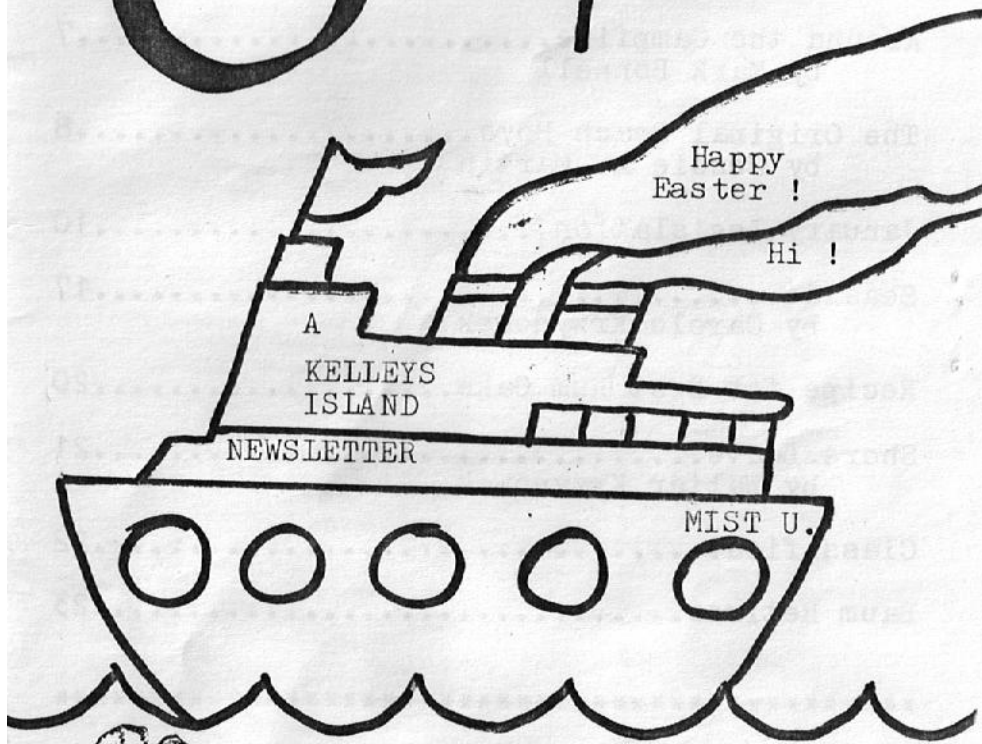


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Time to get your 1990 Fishing Licence!

# **BEACHCOMBINGS**

April 14 - Saturday - Village Pump's Early  
Bird Party

April 14 - Village Peddler - 50% off all left  
over merchandise

April 21 - Saturday - Welcome Back Fish Fry  
Old Town Hall 5:30 - 7:30 PM

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Join The Kelleys Island Historical Association  
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10 AM - 12 Noon

Library open Wednesdays 10:30 AM - 12:30

VFW Bingo on Saturdays - Doors open 8:30 PM



From the desk of CORADINE.....

I ended my last copy with a football jingle & now I shall start this copy on another football note! Lee & I watched the Superbowl game & while there was no love lost on our part for the BRONCOS after what they did to our BROWNS - still we would not have wished them such a crushing defeat, 55 - 10 & so could not help but feel sorry for them!

Did not have room last time to write about Jake & Jessie's new grandson, born Sunday, Nov. 5th to son, Chuckie & daughter-in-law, Joy. He had red hair & blue eyes & they named him Jeremy! Jessie was so excited about that, as Jeremy has a sister named Jenny. & our son, Bob has a Jeremy & a Jenny. So when our Ronnie came to the house with their paper - as he does everyday they are on the Island - she told him she had a Jeremy & Jenny now just like Bob did! Ronnie couldn't quite get that in & came home to tell us that Jeremy & Jenny were coming to Jessie & Jackie's Took a while to straighten him out!

And congratulations are due to newcomers, Tom & Megan Joyce on the birth of a baby girl on Friday, Jan. 12th - Jessica Marie! The Joyce's bought the house that was used for St. Michael's priests & is on the corner of Addison & Chappel Sts.

SICK BAY - Maybelle Kekelik had to be placed in a nursing home, as her eyesight had been affected & she was practically blind! And after vowing that he was NOT going to the hospital anymore, Henny Beatty was over-ruled & had to go in for cataract removal! Was staying with daughter, Ila Dick in Sandusky & doing well! Good! But the news on Lou Gigliotti has not been the best to date. After having surgery on her esophagus & stomach & doing well, she developed kidney failure - & also to date - they have not found the cause of the failure & do not wish to put her on

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the dialysis machine until they do. We pray they shall find it soon & that she will improve! And we just heard this past Sunday, Feb. 11th, that Mary Mansell had surgery on her foot & would be in a wheel chair for 2 weeks.

After having several chimney fires in their home on Division St., Pat & Jim had one in their new one on Lake Shore Dr., after only living in it for 2 months! Heard tell that Pat was ready to move out!

It seems that Lee has a built in radar that guides him to where I loose my earrings, for twice now he has found them. The first time I lost just one - & as it was a favorite, we went back the day after we had been to Jane & Bill Campbells' for a Pig Roast & Lee looked around the campfire site, where I'd sat the greater part of a very chilly evening & he found it first thing! The next time was at Hills in Sandusky & this time I lost BOTH earrings - also a favorite & unusual pair of clear lucite with yellow roses imbedded in the centers. I discovered my loss at the checkout & Lee told me to go one way with Ron & he would go the other way & we'd retrace our steps & try to find them. So we did that, & met Lee at the checkout quite a while later & he'd found 1 earring. I had found a golden one of someone else's! Lee decided that Ron & I did not look well enough & started off in the area we had covered & had only gone a short distance, when he headed back to where we were & held out his hand - with the other earring! Two small earrings in that hugh store, unbelievable, but true!

It used to be that after the Island had settled down for the winter, & we sat at our dinette table each morning at breakfast, we could recognize each car & passenger as they drove by, but not anymore. Too many new people on the Island all year round. And one new

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Shore Thing.....by Carole Krzynowek

Cops, again! Made a mistake in reporting Jean Dwelle's address. It's Huron, Ohio 44839 instead of Sandusky.

Village of K.I. was awarded \$100,000 through the Ohio Airport Resurfacing & Improvement Grant Program to widen the runway.

The Ohio Department of Transportation awarded \$45,000 to the Village of K.I. for developing a port master plan to analyze land use & transportation.

K.I. Wine Co's "Glacial White" won one of 41 Bronze Metals in the 1990 Ohio Wine Competition.

A new venture for Jackie Fingers is an Antique & Collectables Gift Shop in the Doctor's House on Division St. It will open week ends in April.

Joanne & Bob Golias became grandparents. Their son, David & his wife, Sharon had a 9 lb. 2 oz. girl on March 7th. They are naming her Emily.

Remember Jim Biel? He & his wife, Elizabeth had a baby girl on October 17th of last year. Her name is Kately Marie. Jim & his family reside at the River Ranch Resort in Florida.

An extra large bouquet from a garden of "Get Well" wishes to Chief Charlie Moore after his recent surgery!

Bernice Terwilliger had a double treat of good news to make her feel proud! Her grand-daughter, Corky made the Dean's list at Ursuline College & Shelly, another grand-daughter, just passed her state boards to be a licenced beautician.

Baseball will outlast all other sports because a diamond is forever.

Around the Campfire....by Mark Bonnell

Spring is close at hand! I'm making this statement without having consulted any ground hogs & without having seen any Red Wing Blackbirds, this is pure positive thinking!!?

Requests for information have really picked up recently & all the park employees want to know when they can come back to work. It appears that everyone from last year will be returning so we should be able to move along smoothly this spring.

Word from Columbus says that the boat ramp & dock will be done by the end of summer. Bids are going out in the next two or three weeks, (early March), & the plans call for completion by late or the end of summer. Let's hope there are no more road blocks ahead & this need is fulfilled.

The family & I managed to slip away for some fun in the sun in mid-February & we saw two old friends while we were in Florida. After a day of hunting shark teeth in Venice, Florida, we drove past the local airport & what should be there but the Tin Goose. No one was home so we didn't talk to anyone about plans for the future. I only flew on her once, but it was exciting. Later that week we were crossing the Skyline Bridge going into St. Petersburg & we happened to look down & there was the "City of Sandusky" passing below. Her flags were flying & she looked pretty good.

As a passing thought, I want to offer an open invitation to any & all to stop by the park & talk. The future of our park system really depends on you, the public. Feel free to stop by & if you have any feasible ideas & suggestions for our park, let us know. There are many people on our Island who have many fields of expertise & I as the park manager, must do a lot of things with very little resources & your help will make our park better for everyone.

Patrick Martin  
The Patriarch of K.I. Martins

As St. Patrick's Day is the one holiday occurring in March that many American's observe, I thought it fitting to write of an Irish family (other than the Kelleys) who were early island settlers. Of course, it goes without saying, this family is "very dear to my heart". (please excuse the cliché.)

When the Kelley brothers decided to sell some of Kelleys Island, & Addison Kelley issued deeds to the first property sold, Patrick Martin was among the first to receive a deed. Unfortunately, we don't know much about him or his immediate family after his arrival on Kelleys Island. Old maps show property east of what we refer to as the Estes property on the south shore in Mrs. Patrick Martin's name, & that's about it.

Patrick was born in County Mayo, Castlebar, Ireland. He came to America in 1835. No one knows how he learned about Kelleys Island or why he decided to settle on it. He must have liked the island or must have seen opportunity there, because he later returned to Ireland to bring his brother & family back to the United States with him. This brother was Francis P. Martin, also called Frank & "Shanghai" Martin.

Francis P. had a nine year old son, John Francis, who came to Kelleys Island with him. He had a wife & other children whom he had to leave behind, as his wife was too ill to travel. Passage had been booked for Francis P. & John Francis, & they either had to embark as planned or loose





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their passage. His wife died & was buried in Ireland shortly after they arrived on Kelleys Island. Later his other children came to the New World, settling at first somewhere in Canada & then on to the United States.

Francis P. remarried after the passing on of his wife, this time to a Kelleys Island woman named Bridgette. We know nothing more about her not even her last name. This marriage produced a daughter & a son, both of whom moved from the island. Francis P. moved also, to Fremont, Ohio, where he is buried.

A Charles Martin, born in Ireland, & his wife Alice came to the United States in 1848 & settled on Kelleys Island sometime between 1860 & 1870. We believe that he was one of Patrick Martin's brothers, although we have no definite proof of this. An old store account book in our possession shows purchases of Charles Martin in October 1869. There is also a photograph of some men playing checkers at the Lodge before the turn of the century, & Charles Martin is one of them.

John Francis, the nine-year old who accompanied his father from Ireland, stayed on the island & married Harriet Harwood from England. In 1880, they ran a boarding house for men who worked in the quarry. They had three sons: Frederick, John & Frank.

Frederick married Julia Amanda Erne, & together they had eleven children: Howard, Alfie, "Fritz", Emmett, Charles (my husband's father), Harriet, Eileen, Mary or "Tootie", Catherine, & two other children who died in infancy. He was owner & operator of the Martin Power & Light Company, furnishing electricity to the island for many years before the island's electric co-operative was formed.

From this line of Martins, only two sons, Charles or "Jake" and Emmett's son, William or "Bill" claimed the Martin name for many years. Bill moved from Kelleys Island & was living in Chesterland, Ohio when his only son William Jr.

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Legislation from January 11th Meeting.....

Charles Martin voted in as president pro-tempe of Council.

Mayor's appointment of committees approved:

Finance: Haas, Herndon, Martin  
Streets/Sidewalks: Gruly, Martin, Matso  
Lands/Buildings: Curilla, Gruly, Haas  
Administration/Public Safety: Curilla, Herndon, Matso  
Landfill: Gruly, Haas, Martin

Mayor's appointment of representatives approved:

Zoning Board of Appeals: Haas  
Planning Commission: Herndon  
Excise Tax Board: Gruly, Herndon, Martin

Mayor's appointment to boards & commissions approved:

Zoning Board of Appeals: Don Haas, Ramie Dick, June Campbell  
Planning Commission: Marcie Mielke

Motion passed to hold Council Meetings on the second Thursday of each month at 8 PM October thru May and 7 PM June thru September.

Motion passed to have February's Council Meeting on February 15th.

Committee Reports\*\*\*\*\*

Lands/Buildings - Haas to organize committee to harvest firewood from trees cut at airport. There will be height requirement for remaining stumps.

Administration/Public Safety - illegally airport parked cars will be ticketed & towed.

Police - Chief Moore reported 4 minor comp-

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liants, & a request for another EMT class as 6 people are interested. (State pays for most of the expense). Every 3 yrs. an EMT has to be re-certified. Council approved funds to send the Chief to be re-certified.

Recommended land splits contingent that they present Surveyor's drawing with seal by April 15th: Bill Fingers, Charles Brown & Wayne Fingers.

Neuman Boat Line has State permit to build a new building on their dock.

No reports from Finance, Landfill nor B.P.A.

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Motion to declare Ordinance 522 (Transfer/Landfill) an emergency, set aside rules & advance to its third & final reading made & passed.

Motion to declare Ordinance 523 (Renew/Sidewalks) an emergency, set aside rules & advance to its third & final reading made & passed. Note will be due every January for the next 10 years.

Motion to table third & final reading of amendment to Zoning Ordinance 303 & discuss it at next Planning Commission meeting made & passed. (Fresch's Island House)

Motion to declare Resolution 202 (pertaining to Village Zoning Inspector/Building Permit rates) an emergency, set aside rules & advance to its third & final reading made & passed. Motion passed to compensate Village Zoning Inspector, L.J. Greek & Village Clerk, Sharon Bianchi according to Resolution 202. Motion passed to further compensate Mr. Greek an additional \$500.00, bringing him up to his previous con't on page 78

Chamber Event...

WELCOME BACK FISH FRY!!!

Saturday, April 21st

5:30 - 7:30 PM

Old Town Hall





PHOTOS FROM FIREMAN'S BALL (February 17th)





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one we call our "BIKER"! Everyday - come rain, wind, sun or snow, he would go by on his bicycle. We still do not know his name, but do know he is the chef for the Port Hole & he bikes all the way in from his home down off Harbor Lane.

By the way - forgot to mention that Lee & I became great-grandparents for the second time last month - January - a girl named Amanda. Her parents are our oldest son, Bill's youngest daughter, Jill & her husband Brad.

Congratulations & best wishes to John Kilko & Sandy Spayde who announced their engagement. Their wedding will take place in Sandusky on October 20th, 1990.

Hearty congratulations are in order to all the Volunteer Firemen (& Fireladies?) who worked hard to make the Fireman's Ball such a huge success! The food was abundant & unusual - with an appetizer bar set up at the very beginning. The decorations were unusual also, with lawn tables with umbrellas here & there & the usual balloons & hearts! And according to Lee, the music sounded well, but was much too amplified, as I myself could tell from the strong vibrations coming thru the floor & tables. And my one complaint was too few SLOW pieces being played for those of us no longer so young in years. The "youngsters" can dance the slow ones, but we "oldsters" can't go hopping & jitter bugging like they do! A word to the wise? And for once, the crowd was very orderly!

Joann Wilson took time out from her duties at the Ball, to sit & talk to me. The first thing she said was, "My, your hair looks nice!" I just looked at her & she looked at me & then started to laugh! I had just been to her house the day before & she had given me the full treatment! I was slow on the uptake, tho, I should have asked if

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she would like the name of my hair dresser!  
For those of you who may not know, Joann is  
our Island's hair stylist.

Till next time,

*Coradine*

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Rest in Peace by Grace Easley

"Rest in peace", how much this says,  
Be free of pain no more to weep.  
Find joy that never ends, possess  
New life that here you could not keep.  
"Rest in peace", and though we grieve,  
Reaching for your hand in vain,  
Our faith is such that we believe  
That all of us shall meet again.



Lou Gigliotti died on March 6th at the Cleve.  
Clinic. Picture of her with Father Ross taken  
in Toledo this past Nov. 11th.

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was born. He has no children. Our only son Charles Edward, "Chuck", was born while we lived on Kelleys Island, making six generations of Ireland's Martins to inhabit the place. He now has two sons, but, unfortunately, they can't yet claim Kelleys Island their home.

The original Martin settlers may have been interested in the "waring o' the green", the shamrock & the claddagh on St. Patrick's Day. They are no longer here to let us know & they've left no records that we've found. Although the present Martins have inherited the right to follow tradition, none seem interested in doing so. They're more in tune with "Has the ice left the lake for good until next winter?" & "When will the ferry make its first trip?" Then there's no longer a feeling of isolation.

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Finally winter turned to spring!  
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Seaside.....

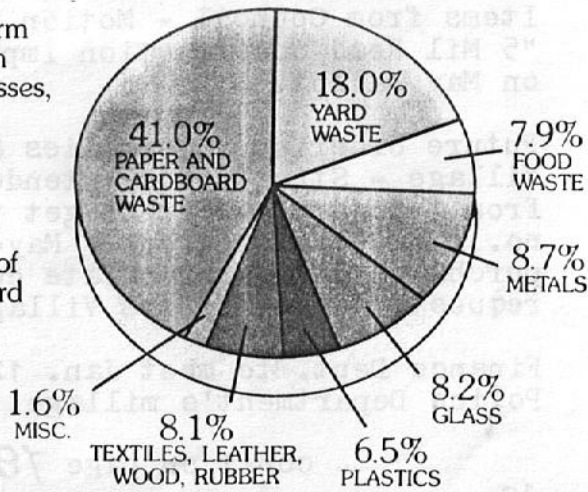
Wild birds are more than just beautiful to watch & listen to. They are valuable allies of the gardeners, since most wild bird species would rather eat insects than seeds if given the choice. Cardinals enjoy eating Japanese beetles, while chickadees prefer a diet of insect eggs. You can entice desirable birds to your garden with feeders stocked with fresh sunflower & thistle seed. It's a mistake to think that the birds won't eat insects if bird feeders are kept filled in summer.

Planting basil among tomato plants helps protect tomatoes from tomato hornworms.

If you use aerosol deodorants in the kitchen or bathroom, you might want to try something more natural. A "scented geranium" (Pelargonium) has delightful aromatic leaves that help mask unpleasant household odors. There are many species offering a variety of fragrances, such as lemon, mint, rose, ginger & apricot. Scented geraniums are easy to grow, but should not be too far from a window.

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Solid waste is the general term given to all trash and rubbish discarded by homes, businesses, and factories. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has found the make up of solid waste to be comprised of the materials in the following chart. Most of solid waste is made up of yard waste, like leaves and grass clippings (18%), food wastes (8%), and paper and cardboard (41%).



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standards.

Motion to declare Resolution 203 (pertaining to certain lands underlying Lake Erie) an emergency, set aside rules & advance to its third & final reading made & passed.

New Business\*\*\*\*\*

Motion passed to use old Town Hall for K.I. Fire Dept.'s annual Fireman's Ball, Feb. 17.

Citizens Participation - suggestion to prohibit smoking during meeting - several voiced concern if one acre lots aren't considered in amendment to Zoning Ord. 303, one problem would be the need of a sewer system - on need basis, there's no difference between permanent & summer residents, they all need water - some feel  $\frac{1}{2}$  acre sufficient for summer residence.

Regarding proposed ordinance for part-time Village Sick Leave, they receive less wages than regular help & get no benefits so  $\frac{1}{2}$  day of wages per month seems small price to pay.

Items from Council - Motion passed to put "5 Mil Road Construction Improvement Levy" on May ballot.

Future ordering of supplies & materials for Village - Street Superintendent get approval from 1 Councilman, then get purchase order no. from Village clerk. Mayor will clear purchases with appropriate committees from a request voucher by the Village employees.

Finance Dept. to meet Jan. 12th to discuss Police Department's millage.

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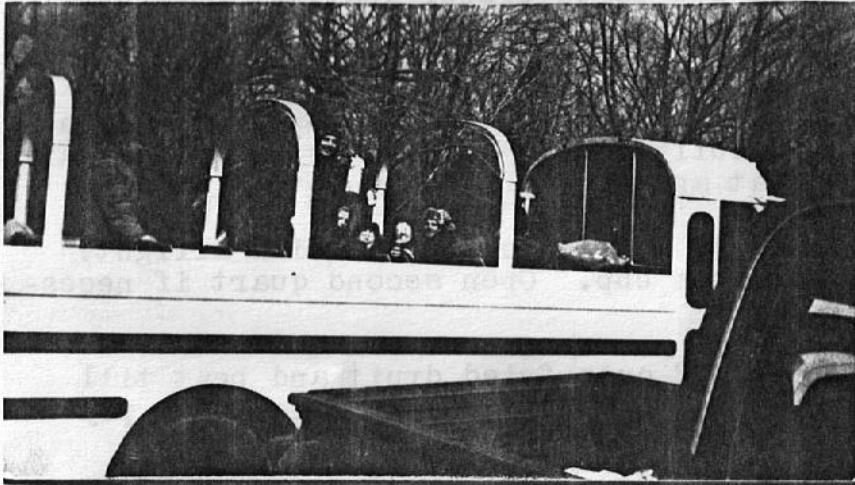
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Motion to rescind Conditional Zoning permit for the Monarch Winery because special meeting was improperly posted, thus any action taken was null & void.

Motion passed to pay Ordinance 844.

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1 tsp. soda	1 cup butter
2 eggs, large	baking powder
lemon juice	nuts

Before starting, sample rum to check quality. Good, isn't it? Now proceed.

Select large mixing bowl, measuring cup, etc. Check rum again. It must be just right. To be sure rum is of proper quality, pour one level cup of rum into glass and drink it as fast as you can. Repeat.

With electric mixer, beat 1 cup butter in a large fluffy bowl. Add 1 seaspoon of thugar and beat again.

Meanwhile, make sure rum is still alright. Try another cup. Open second quart if necessary.

Add eggs, 2 cups fried druit and beat till high. If druit gets stuck in beaters, pry loose with drewscriber.

Sample rum again, checking for tonscisticity.

Nest, sift 3 cups pepper or salt (really does not matter). Sample rum.

Sift  $\frac{1}{2}$  pint lemon juice. Fold in chopped butter and strained nut. Add 1 bablespoon of brown thugar or whatever color you can find. Wix mell.

Grease oven. Turn cake pan to 350 degrees. Pour mess into boven and ake. Check rum again and bo to ged.

Shore Leave.....by Granpa Walleye

This is my first article for SeaScape & hopefully, not my last - plans are to keep fishermen informed as to "what's happenin' fishin'-wise" around everyone's favorite island, KELLEYS!

The island area has always been my favorite - beautiful & plentiful - fish for all seasons. Hopefully I will be able to pass on a few fishin' tips, given to me by such great fishermen as Del Ehbar (probably one of the best ever on the island) Capt. Elton Ensplaugh, Capt. Larry Mullot & Capt. Merle Bickle, all who have summer places on the island, are charter boat captains & know the islands like the proverbial "back of their hand".

Nuff said - let's go fishin'! This time of the year, as the water starts to head for 40° plus, the Seaway Marina should start producing some excellent catches of Crappie, Steelhead & Coho. If you're real lucky, maybe even a Northern Pike - couple of these in the 6 to 8 lb. class have been taken around the marina in early spring the last couple of years. You really don't specifically fish for these, they are caught fishin' for some other fish - & you wind up with a "surprise".

Crappies are taken around the marina docks on light tackle with minnows & bobbers or small Crappie Jigs tipped with maggots or minnows. One could even wind up with a Steelhead this way. Kids (from 6 to 60) could really get into bobber fishin'.

Steelhead & Coho are around the marina "fingers" - use small to medium spinner baits, such as Shyster (black/white or silver/black) or minnow bobber set could be effective. These fish have muscles in their "you know what" & really put up a tussle, one won't soon forget!

Have to go fishin' now - however, please share any tips, pictures or fish recipes. Til next issue - as Pat Paterson used to say on the radio - "tight lines everyone".

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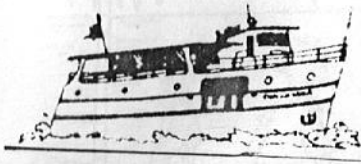


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Seems we didn't have to wait too  
long,  
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sweet song.

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Boat  
Line



Honors  
Retiring  
Employee

When Robert M. Baum was hired in 1953, he worked in a one room office, had to wear boots during high water, & a coat during the winter. Since there was not yet a Marblehead ferry route, all the traffic to Kelleys Island left from the downtown Sandusky dock.

On March 31, Robert Baum will retire from Neuman Boat Line. For 37 years, he has been office manager for the company. Baum graduated from Fenn College, now known as Cleveland State University, with a Bachelor's Degree in Business. Following his graduation in 1953, Baum began his career at Neuman Boat Line. To celebrate his many years of loyal service, the entire crew & Baum's family honored him with a dinner party at the Bay Harbor Inn.

According to company president, John A. Neuman, Baum's loyalty, dedication to detail, & precision in record keeping have been major factors in the company's continued growth.

Baum is married & has two adult children.

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Send in your news & comments. It helps to know what you are interested in.

At dockside & holding,

*Carole*



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