

Pacific Coast Yachting Association Burgee of Merit

The Pacific Coast Yachting Association (PCYA) does hereby provide this award, represented by a trophy to be known as the PCYA Burgee of Merit. It is presented to an individual who has significantly furthered PCYA in its service to the yachting community.

Purpose:

The Trophy shall be awarded to an individual that is not a current Bridge Officer; on an annual basis that has best supported the mission and promoted the image of the Pacific Coast Yachting Association. The trophy shall be conferred no more frequently than once in each calendar year but need not be conferred each year.

Qualifications:

A candidate need not be a delegate of the PCYA Board of Directors but must be affiliated with a yacht club that belongs to an association that is a member of the Pacific Coast Yachting Association.

Nomination and selection process:

Each year the Commodore of PCYA shall consider a candidate that most exemplifies the purpose and qualifications of this deed of gift. The candidate will be brought to a vote by the PCYA Bridge officers.

Trophy:

The PCYA Burgee of Merit is a perpetual trophy which shall be displayed at the yacht club of the winner of this award. The trophy remains the property of the Pacific Coast Yachting Association which shall have the sole right to determine its disposition. Each recipient of the Trophy shall also receive an appropriate take-home award.

Presentation:

This award is to be presented at the annual PCYA Annual Installation Dinner.

Amendments:

This deed of Gift may be amended at any time by a majority vote of the delegates at a meeting of the Pacific Coast Yachting Association. Written notice of the proposed amendment must be delivered or mailed to each Member at least one week prior to the meeting at which the amendment is to be considered.

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Commodore: _____

Secretary: _____