

I have taken a brief hiatus this volume from writing my regular column. Chasing Lady Bisque around the country and the golf course has sapped my creative juices and given me "writer's block!" I have included (see page three) an entry from our Journal that shares some of the excitement we experienced over the Summer.

I will be back in action next issue, which will be our 15th Anniversary Commemorative Edition. In the meantime, enjoy what Long John, Coral Kim and Barnacle Bob have set down for you in this issue. We are so thankful for them as Crew Leaders and editorial advisors at the Chowder House.

We do wish you all a bountiful Thanksgiving, a blessed Christmas and Godspeed for 2011.

Chowder, Cap'n Clawed Lobster



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