



# Fair Tides

JUNE 2021

## THE HAVEN YACHT CLUB



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## NEXT THYC MEETING

TBD

On Saturday, June 5th we had a great time officially started the boating season with The Haven Yacht Club's annual Opening Day Party. The weather was incredible, and the company was even better. After many events were cancelled last summer, it was great to see this season start off normally! We were fortunate to have Donna Ferron, Vice Commodore of the Chesapeake Bay Yacht Club Association and her husband John join us for the festivities.

The members and guests provided and dined on delicious food throughout the evening while socializing with good friends and new members of the club. The party would not have been a success without Sigy Capuano, Roseann Giangjordano, and Tony Capuano helping to set up on Saturday afternoon, so I'd like to thank each one of them. I also want to thank Martha Bliss for making the beautiful floral arrangements which added a wonderful touch.

Please look at our 2021 calendar to see what other events are scheduled as this has been updated. Because it was such a success last year, we are again having another pizza party at Haven Harbour South on August 6th. Come hungry and be ready to see a magnificent sunset!

Now that the 2021 boating season is underway, we have several cruises which our Rear Commodore and fleet captain Larry Vernamonti has planned. There are two raft-ups and one weekend cruise so make sure you check out Larry's article for specific details. I'm hoping to see many of you on the Chesapeake Bay this summer on one or all of our cruises!

Our secretary Beth Dunn has worked diligently to arrange our annual crab feast scheduled for July

10th and it looks like it is going to be a success again this year with activities planned for everyone. Make sure you reserve your spot because you don't want to miss this wonderful event!

On Saturday, September 18th THYC will be holding our Silent Auction which supports the Susan H. Scovill Memorial Scholarship. To have a successful auction we rely on the generosity of our members who make contributions such as themed baskets, gift certificates, handmade crafts, and solicitations from local businesses. The volunteering of time and expertise on the day of the event is also welcomed! Please contact me or Robin Henneman if you have any questions as to how you can help. We have many other activities for members to get involved with THYC as well.

I am looking forward to having lots of fun times and a full and a safe season! to The Haven Yacht Club members and welcome to the 2021 boating season!!

## **VICE COMMODORE'S COMMENTS**

*By Sigy Capuano*

I'm excited to announce that as a member of THYC you get a special price for our July 10th crab feast with a full day of food, drink and activities. Haven Harbour Marina has agreed to give our visiting yacht club members a discount of \$.50/foot. This must be mentioned when making your slip reservations.

We are just coming off our highly successful and fun Opening Day ceremonies. We could not have asked for a more beautiful Opening Day for THYC. It was such a pleasure to see so many new faces and old familiar ones. It was so easy without the masks to recognize you all. Thank you all who attended.

I handed out quite a few applications that day, please get them in ASAP. I feel for the price of \$100 for a membership, we have a lot to offer.

1. A full calendar of fun activities
2. Membership to the CBYCA
3. Membership to THE YACHTING CLUBS OF AMERICA

4. THYC provides a \$1000 scholarship for a local Kent County student-for four years of college
5. And the most important thing - the camaraderie and the lasting friendships we build.

We are always looking for ideas and suggestions for Club activities and growth. Feel free to call me at 610-350-6655 or, even better, come visit R26.

## **REAR COMMODORE'S COMMENTS**

*By Larry Vernamonti*

Hoping this issue of Fair Tides finds everyone in good health and spirits. The 2021 boating season is officially open. It is finally time to put away the scrapers and paint and break out the noodles and sunscreen.

We are excited about a new event this year at the THYC crab feast, a dingy poke run. All dinghies, hard or soft, powered or not are welcome. There will be five stations around the basin. Poker hands are five dollars a hand with the winning hand taking fifty percent of the pot and the remaining proceeds going to our Susan Scovill scholarship charity. It will be a lot of fun and water cannons are permitted! We do need volunteers to help with the five stations, so please let me know if you can help.

Our education committee has a fun hands-on learning experience planned. We will meet at the pool, race to put on our inflatable PFD, jump in and see if they inflate and then try swimming with it.

Our 2021 cruising schedule includes: June 26th Cacaway Island raft up on Langford Creek. It is a very scenic island with a swimming beach. July 23rd and 24th Chester River Yacht and Country Club. We already have four of the six guaranteed slips taken. Fees are only \$2 per foot with 30 amps electric for \$10 and 50 amps for \$15. There may be additional slips open and there is also a lot of area to anchor out or dock at the Chestertown municipal docks which are about a mile way by dinghy. CRYCC has a beautiful golf course along with a swimming pool and a fantastic restaurant. More info at CRYCC.org. August 28th we will return to the Magothy (aka the horse farm) for a raft up with our now traditional limoncello toasted

sunset. Please email or text me ASAP if you are planning to join any of the cruises.

Looking forward to a great season of everyone enjoying the Bay and our club!

## **SECRETARY'S SALUTATIONS**

*By: Beth Dunn*

Welcome to the Thirty-third year of The Haven Yacht Club! I hope this year is filled with good times on the water and memory making at Haven Harbour. We need to make up for 2020!!

I have updated the email list. If you hear that someone is not receiving Club emails, please let me know at bethdunn417@gmail.com

Once again, I am chairing our Annual Crab Feast/Day of Fun. It will be held on Saturday, July 10th. This is an all-day event with anchor toss, dinghy poker run, picnic lunch, craft time for kids, safety and education seminar, and, of course, THE FEAST! Music will be provided by DJ Prestone, Rock Hall's best! Please refer to flyer for pricing and reservation information attached below.

## **SAFETY & EDUCATION**

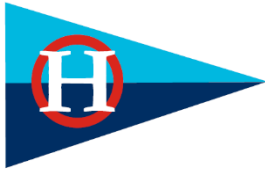
*By Dan Bliss*

We hope you will be joining us for the Crab Feast. If you do please consider taking part in the Safety and Education presentation after lunch. We will be discussing Life Jackets and their proper fit. If things work out, we may also visit the pool for a few minutes to demonstrate the importance of fit.

We'll also spend some time with the annual discussion of knots including practicing (maybe competing). Please meet in the area under Passages near the ice cooler at 1:00 PM.

## **THYC 2021 Cruise & Event Schedule**

June 5	Opening Day Party
June 26	Raft-up on Langford Creek
July 10	Crab Feast
July 23-25	Cruise to Chester River Yacht and Country Club
August 13	Pirates & Wenches Party
August 28	Raft Up at the Magothy River
Sept 18	Silent Auction
October 1	Crock Pot Cook Off (Friday)
October 23	Fall Dinner
Nov 13	Road Rally
Jan 2022	Winter Dinner



# The Haven Yacht Club *Annual Crab Feast/Day of Fun*

Haven Harbour Marina

**July 10, 2021**



## **Schedule of Events – (Members and guests only)**

### **11:00 AM      Anchor Toss Competition**

Come show your prowess at tossing an anchor into Swan Creek. A \$10 donation to the Susan Scovill Memorial Scholarship is required to enter. Prizes for first and second place winners in the men's and women's toss will be given. Plus, bragging rights!!!

### **12:00 Noon      Hamburgers, Hot dogs & fixins**

Included in the price of your dinner and served up by your Governors in the picnic area. Just remember to save room for crabs! The beer truck will be open. Sodas and water available, as well.

### **1:00 PM      Kid's Activities at Gazebo**

"Children's Art Activities will take place at the Gazebo near the playground."

**PLEASE RSVP BY JULY 5- boy or girl and tee shirt size- [capuanot@comcast.net](mailto:capuanot@comcast.net)**

(Members, please see Sigy Capuano if you would like to help. It's always fun!)

### **1:00- 2:00 PM      Educational Session- Under Reception Center**

Knot tying-

Life Jacket Activity- bring your PFD's!!

### **2:00 PM- Registration for Dinghy Poker Run    -new event for 2021**

### **2:30 PM- Start of Poker Run- \$5.00/hand of cards**

### **6:00 PM      THE FEAST**

Appetizer: smoked salmon with cream cheese/crab dip and crackers

Main Dish: Crabs, fried and grilled Italian chicken, steamed shrimp, potato salad,  
macaroni salad, corn on the cob, rolls and butter.

Dessert:      Cake and Brownies

### **6:00 – 10:00 PM - DJ Prestone- Rock Hall's finest DJ!!**

**Past Members - have you paid your 2021 renewal membership dues?**

**Prospective New Members – there is still time to join before this event!**

Please RSVP by July 5th with this form and your check payable to THYC mailed to:

**THYC**  
PO Box 603  
Rock Hall, MD 21661

**Feast -All inclusive. One Price- \$50 adult members/not guests on your boat**

**\$75 non-members and guests**  
**\$50/child/young adult (11-20)**  
**Children 10 and under are free**

All dinners include menu listed above, beer, wine, soft drinks, and bottled water. Hot Dogs and Hamburgers for lunch. All crabs must be consumed in the picnic area.  
**No crabs to be taken back to boats, please.**

<b>Name (first and last)</b>	<b>Age (if child)</b>	<b>Feast</b>	<b>\$Amount</b>
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Total (Includes Lunch, Dinner and Drinks) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Final Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(Enclose Check)

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes! I will participate in the Dinghy Poker Run (please check)

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes! I will participate in the Anchor Toss (please check)

**Questions Call Beth Dunn, PC at (443)282-4383**



