

CHESAPEAKE BRISTOL CLUB
SEPT. 29, 1975
ANNOUNCEMENTS

CRUISING: Due to the boat show being held in Baltimore Harbor, CBC's original plans for an Oct. 4th cruise up the Patapsco were cancelled as stated in the last newsletter. However, requests by several of our members that the cruise be re-scheduled to a different location have prompted the cruising committee to announce plans for a cruise to Langford Creek on the Chester River this coming weekend (Oct. 4 and 5). The rendezvous point will be on the east side of the island which stands at the entrance to the east fork of Langford Creek. As many of you will probably agree, Fall cruising is really the best with good sailing during the day and good sleeping in a snug bunk at night. Throw in the sound of the honking of wild geese and what more could you ask for? Come on out this weekend, Chester River is not too far for most of our members. It was selected for this cruise because it is central to most of our membership and we would like to see another good turn-out like the one we just had in Swan Creek on Sept. 20th. Hope to see you Saturday.

FALL DINNER: Mention was also made in the last newsletter that a site was being sought for the Fall Banquet. We are happy to report that the dinner will be held this year at the Annapolis Hilton Inn located right on the harbor in downtown Annapolis. The date will be Saturday, November 22nd, with the cocktail hour beginning at 6:30 PM and dinner will be served at 8:00 PM. Price will be \$12.50 per person (\$25.00 couple). Applications and any further information for this affair will be forthcoming with the next CBC newsletter.

NOTE: At this dinner, there will be presentations of various trophies and awards. To help in the selection of two of these, please read and comply promptly with the following two pages of this letter.

Bill Burch

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NEWSLETTER
AUG. 22, 1975

LABOR DAY: This is going to be just a short letter about a long weekend. We want to remind everybody of our Club's 3-day Labor Day weekend cruise (Aug. 30, 31, Sept. 1) to the Miles River. If you and your family have been enjoying our weekend get-togethers as much as we have, you will probably agree that their only drawback is that they pass too quickly. On a normal 2-day weekend, it seems that with part of Saturday being spent to get to our destination and part of Sunday spent to get back home, there is never quite enough time in-between to just enjoy being together with the other members or to perhaps do a little local exploring. That is why we hope everyone will try to make this rendezvous. Between the day for coming and the day for going, there will be another whole day to just have fun being there.

The tentative schedule for this weekend is to spend Saturday night (Aug. 30) in Hunting Creek (below St. Michaels on the opposite side of the Miles) and Sunday night (Aug. 31) in Dividing Creek on the Wye River. However, Sunday night can be subject to the will of the group once we all get together. If we want to just stay in Hunting Creek, we can, or we can move on to Dividing Creek or any other place we want. The main idea is to just relax and enjoy.

For anyone who wants to participate, there will be a race from Annapolis to Hunting Creek on Saturday, Aug. 30th.

- Starting time - 11:00 AM
- Starting point - Bell Bouy "77" off Tolly Point
- Course - From starting line, SE to Bloody Pt. leaving Bloody Pt. light and black flashing bell "1" to port, up Eastern Bay to Tilghman Pt. leaving red N "6" to starboard, then down the Miles River to flashing 4 sec. "7" off Long Pt.
- Finish line - The first boat to pass due south (mag.) of flashing 4 sec. "7" will note his time and immediately take up position on a line due south of "7" where he can record the finish times of the other racers.

CONGRATULATIONS: One final and important item, the winning boat in our first annual overnight race to Cove Point and back was the Bristol 29 "Dame Mame" owned and sailed by Ed and Betsy Plitt. Their names will be engraved on the special Cove Point Trophy to be awarded at the Fall Banquet this year. Congratulations Ed and Betsy.

See you Labor Day.

Bill Birrelly

