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CHESAPEAKE BRISTOL CLUB

February 2, 1976

\*\*\* ATTENTION EVERYONE \*\*\*

\*\*\* CORRECTION NOTICE \*\*\*

The date of the Spring Dinner is Saturday, March 27, 1976. The wrong date was printed in our previous newsletter, and we apologize for any inconveniences this may have caused. Now you have an extra week to get to the hairdresser or to get your shoes shined. It will still be held at the Maryland Inn in Annapolis, Maryland.

If you have not, as yet, sent in your dues and dinner reservation, PLEASE DO IT TODAY!!

Bill Kirby still needs more color slides for our show. Need we say more? If you've misplaced his address it is: 1131 Mainsail Drive, Annapolis, Md. 21403.

Dr. Robert Salomon (Chemistry Professor at Temple University) will be present at our Spring Dinner to tell us all about his cruise to Bermuda aboard his Bristol 26.

The BRISTOL CRUISING CLUB of NEW JERSEY is planning a cruise to the Chesapeake Bay this summer, and plans are underway to host them at some point along their way. We hope to have their new Commodore with us at our Spring Dinner so further arrangements can be made.

Our new Board of Directors has decided to present individual awards, on a formula basis, to those club members who most frequently attend and support club cruising activities. They also decided to present winners of rotating cruising and racing trophies with permanent plaques commemorating these awards. In both cases the awards will be plaques suitable for bulkhead mounting. Also, the Board gratefully accepted a proposal by Al Jacukiewicz, President of Atlantic Sailing Yachts, to sponsor CBC membership for the first year to each new purchaser of a Bristol yacht. Three cheers for Al - Hip, hip, hooray!

Information regarding potential new members should be brought to the attention of our new Membership Committee Chairperson - Betsy Plitt, 19 Tebbston, Lake Shore Drive, Pasadena, Md. 21122.

-----NOVEMBER DINNER MEETING HUGE SUCCESS-----

Everyone who attended had a fine time in spite of all the business that went on. We held our first full-fledged membership election of officers and they are as follows:

Commodore - Ken Ketcham  
 Vice Commodore - Bill Birely  
 Rear Commodore - Bill Kirby  
 Treasurer - George Arnold  
 Recording Secretary - Jan Birely  
 Trustees - Dick Boecker & Ed Plitt

Past Commodore, Jerry Caswell, was Master of Ceremonies. He installed the new officers and board members. In grateful appreciation for his untiring efforts to found and build CBC, Jerry was presented with a Main Halliard Winch. In making the presentation on behalf of our club, Ken Ketcham pointed out that Jerry's dedication along with his wide contacts within the yachting industry and among sailors everywhere, had enhanced the prestige of our young club far beyond our expectations. Jerry, we salute you!

The 1975 trophies were then awarded. The winners were:

<u>AWARD</u>	<u>WINNER</u>	<u>SPONSOR</u>
Cove Point Race Cup (Overnight Race)	Ed Plitt	Atlantic Sailing Yachts
Commodore's Cup (Around the buoys race)	Jerry Caswell	Jerry Caswell
High Point Cup (Best in 5 races)	Jerry Caswell	Hild Sails, Inc.
Bristol Cruising Cup (Longest cruise requiring Pilotage)	Wayne & Betty Turner	Bristol Sailing Club of N.J.
Blue Water Cup (Longest distance outside 12 mile limit)	Ken Ketcham	Bristol Yacht Corp.

Herb Hild couldn't make the dinner himself, but he sent his regrets along with enough Hild Ditty Bags for all those present. Herb, thanks.

The time remaining was spent in pleasant boat talk - last season's fun next season's hopes - with an undertone of - wish more of our members would join in.

Looking forward to seeing old friends and hopefully meeting lots of new ones at our Spring Dinner on Saturday, March 27, 1976.

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