

# C H E S A P E A K E   B R I S T O L   C L U B

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Think Wind! is the admonition on many Annapolis bumper stickers... belonging to sailors, of course, and I guess the Bristol Club members were really doing it! On Sunday afternoon, March 12th, the wind was blasting over Lake Ogleton, making whitecaps and trying its best to blow a few brave boats off their moorings. Inside the Bay Ridge Clubhouse all was warm and toasty, and the members had a fine time catching up with folks they hadn't seen all winter. Elizabeth Canalungo was collecting as many checks as possible as our 2000 dues are due! Those who don't get their membership forms in soon will find they may have major errors in their directory listings.

Cocktail hour was great... and we discovered that some wonderful person had brought in a HUGE wheel of blue cheese or stilton to accompany our drinks.

Our Commodore, Adam, called the meeting to order and as we dutifully settled down (more or less) to hammer out the summer schedule, Joel Gross announced to everyone that he had some tragic news for us: Betty Sherwood, the wife of our good friend John Sherwood, had been killed by an automobile during the last nasty snowstorm. Many of us remember her well and our hearts go out to John at this time of incomprehensible loss.

Irv Furman, gave a presentation to us of the Children's Easter Seal weekend in Baltimore, and asked the club if we would join in the very special event that offers handicapped or ill children a few hours of sailing on The Patapsco, and a terrific picnic supper afterwards, at the Harbor View Marina, which is graciously offering slips to all boats who are participating in the event. There was almost an unanimous vote that the Club would back the event and as many of our boats as could do so would participate.

What a wonderful opportunity to give some kids the thrill of a lifetime. This weekend fits right into our schedule: July 15-17.

The commodore, his crew of officers and trustees, had done some marvelous planning and came up with a terrific schedule of weekend events, rendezvous, and two big cruises..... and with a bit of date shuffling and some serious (and a lot of irreverent) conversation the meeting attendees approved an outstanding summer schedule.

Bill and Anne Sieling were representing the Eastport Yacht Club who sort of got snookered out of the Memorial Day weekend at Wye Island.... but are planning the same historical and hysterical events as last year.. but the weekend before. Be prepared for the "Olympics" and the theatrical event of the year, "Ham on Wye, 2000".

Norm and Sandra Bogarde, our favorite raftmasters, have selected Bodkin Creek for the millennium sunflower... and this year we want *everyone* to attend! There will be extravagant prizes for the contests, and this year we will have press coverage... with pictures! Jack Sherwood has been wanting to do a feature on this event in Soundings. It takes lots of boats to make a really good sunflower, and Norm will be really disappointed if we don't have a really big circle this year.

Bruce Raymond had suggested to our commodore that the club join them in a full moon overnight sail to Solomon's Island on the 16th of June, departing after 1800 hours and finishing by 0800. Tom Finnan distributed copies of instructions for a marvelous sail/motor race he concocted that should be great fun and a bit of a challenge to all. (See the instructions further in this newsletter.)

Marcia Nathans was attending sans spouse Mike, and Dick Boecker, Jr. was the sole representative of the Boecker clan. Andy Lewis and his friend Craig are hoping to record some of our events with Andy's new digital camera... and e-mail the results to this tabloid for publication. Tom Outerbridge joined us for a while, but left before the Chicken appeared. Ned & Fayla Sherrer were there looking fit, and I think Ned is *almost* ready for a bit of samba or an Irish Jig. Marge and Paul Kavanaugh told us of the trip they are planning for this summer.. a junket around the Scandinavian countries... but not on BROAD ARROW.

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PUT ON YOUR BEST BIB & TUCKER...

SPRING DINNER COMING UP.....SATURDAY, APRIL 8, 2000

Bill and Anne Sieling are going to the same area, to Sweden, but with a small group that will be on three sailboats. Sounds like a great adventure! The Kennards, the Arsenaults, and the Adams are skipping a bit of the sailing season for 3 weeks in June to charter a barge in the Anjou region of France. but will be rarin' to go on their return. Al & Helen Powell, Bill and Beryl Flynn, Tom and Peggy Carey, Wendy and Dave Hamnett dug into the great potluck dishes and the hot chicken with gusto and enjoyed dining with new members Judy & Dick Sanders of the good ship AURORA B. Joel Gross introduced his guest, Roberto Alarcon, to our illustrious group. Roberto has given TLC to CHANTEY for many years, and now has opened his own shop and Joel cannot recommend him highly enough. The Burkas whisked him right off with them to take a look at possible work on their new boat!

As the winds began to abate and the white spot in the clouds moved toward the western horizon, lots of folks began rolling up the tablecloths, bagging the trash, stacking chairs, folding tables and sweeping up the floor. It was one of the most impressive acts of straightening up in jig time and soon the clubhouse looked like we hadn't even been there! Everyone went home with a great schedule to put on their calendars, and plans to be there at each event!

**HERE IS THE WONDERFUL RACE CONCOCTED BY  
TOM FINNAN FOR THE NIGHT OF THE FULL MOON  
AND THE ISLE OF SOLOMON.**

The intent of making the first leg of the annual cruise a race is to up the fun and interest quotient. A cruise/race in the light of a full moon should add interest and, hopefully, attract some additional participants.

Engines may be used for propulsion. Time under engine propulsion will be added to the elapsed time of the boats trip. An accurate record of engine use must be kept.

Start line is "1AH" buoy at mouth of the Severn. Racers will note their start time when buoy is abeam of helm.

Finish is red daymark "4" at entrance to Solomons harbor. Racers will note their finish time when mark is abeam of helm.

Racers may not start prior to 1800 hrs. and must cross the finish line by 0800 hrs on Saturday the 17th.

All participants must use a single accurate time piece and maintain a written log of start, engine, and finish times.

Classes of boats/divisions will be determined after the participants are identified. Extravagant and valuable prizes will be awarded. (sure they will)


This is an excellent opportunity to practice your seamanship in the areas of:  
sailing; weather/wind prediction; tides & currents; piloting; arithmetic ( there is a point, different for each boat, where using your engine does not penalize you).

# SPRING IS HERE ! IT IS TIME FOR THE CHESAPEAKE BRISTOL CLUB SPRING DINNER

SATURDAY, APRIL 8, 2000, AT "FRED'S"  
COCKTAILS AT 6:00 p.m.  
DINNER AT 7:00 p.m.



Cash bar  
accompanied by  
Hors d'Oeuvres  
of  
Crab Dip  
Zucchini Strips  
and  
Potato Skins



R.S.V.P.  
before March 29  
with your choice of  
entree to  
Elizabeth Canalungo  
410-360-0911  
or e-mail to  
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## MENU

\$25.00/person

- 1 Chicken Florentine with Noodles Alfredo and Salad
- 2 London Broil au Jus with Mushrooms, with Stuffed Baked Potato and Salad
- 3 Petite Flounder Maitre d' with Rice and Salad
- 4 Veal Parmigiana with Spaghetti and Salad
- 5 Single broiled Crab Cake with Red Potato and Vegetable
- 6 Broiled Single Shrimp stuffed with Crabmeat, with Red potato and Vegetable

All served with a delectable dessert of  
Cheese Cake with Strawberries.



**DON'T MISS THIS  
TERRIFIC PARTY !**

FRED'S is just South of West Street on the right off Route 2 (Solomon's Island Road) in Parole. Look for the big white "sails" at the bank. Fred's is just before you reach the bank. There is plenty of parking.

Joel Gross has a new dinghy & motor so he has a little-used (less than 10 hours) Honda Four Stroke 2 horsepower short shaft motor for sale.

It is in immaculate condition and Joel is asking \$600.00  
This sounds terrific!




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(A.K.A. Bill & Beryl)  
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and feel very strongly that all  
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**TO ELIZABETH CANALUNGO**  
**A.S.A.P. SO YOU WILL BE**  
**INCLUDED PROPERLY IN OUR NEW**  
**DIRECTORY FOR 2006.**  
**NEW MEMBERS PLEASE FILL OUT**  
**THE ENTIRE FORM.**  
**IF YOU ARE NOW A MEMBER**  
**PLEASE FILL OUT ONLY THE TOP**  
**PORTION OF THE MEMBERSHIP**  
**FORM AND PUT NOTHING IN THE**  
**BOTTOM HALF EXCEPT CHANGES**

Our shake-down cruise to the first rendezvous of the year will be on the weekend of May 6-7 and all early-birds should plan to meet in Clement Creek off the Severn River.

This early spring should bring out lots of boats.



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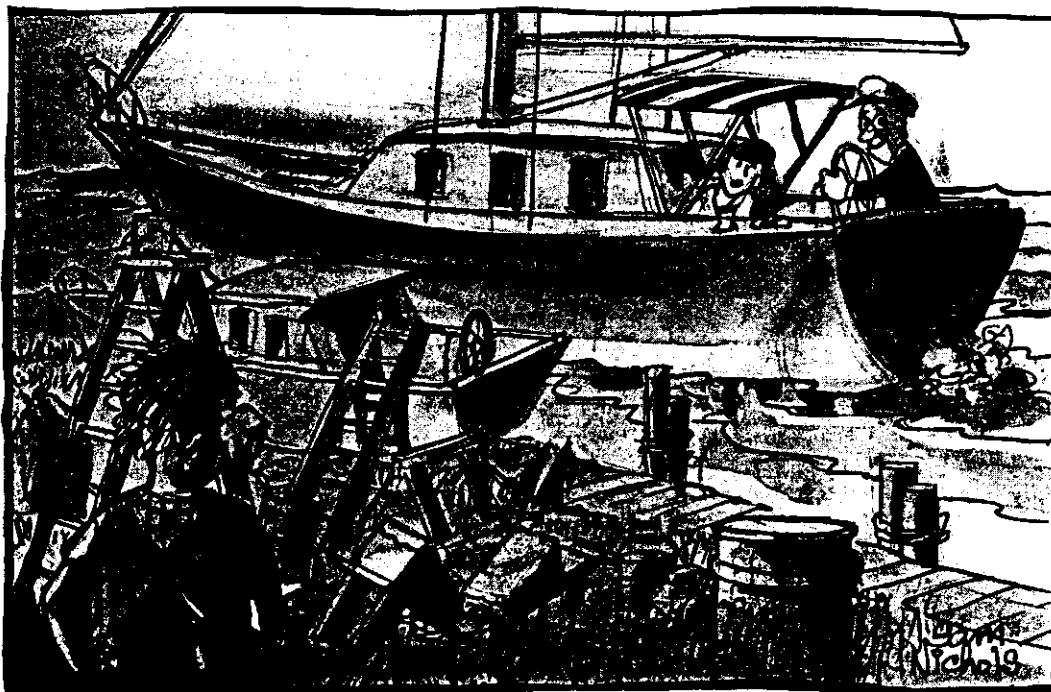
**HERE ARE THE GREAT PLANNED EVENTS FOR 2000  
PUT THEM ON YOUR CALENDAR NOW, AND DON'T MISS ONE !**

April 8	<b>SPRING DINNER</b> The Canalungos	Fred's Restaurant Parole (Annapolis)
May 6-7	<b>SHAKEDOWN CRUISE</b>	Clement Creek, off the Severn River
May 19-21	<b>WYE RIVER CARNIVAL</b> John Hills, Coordinator	Granary Creek, with the Eastport Yacht Club
May 27-28-29	<b>MEMORIAL DAY WKND.</b> Ned & Fayla Sherrer	Chestertown Tea Party Anchor off Devil's Cliff
June 10-11	<b>SUNFLOWER RAFTUP</b> Norm & Sandra Bogarde	Bodkin Creek
June 16-17-18	<b>MOONLIGHT CRUISE/RACE</b> Bruce Raymond, Coordinator	Solomon's Island
June 19-25	<b>SUMMER CRUISE</b> Joel Gross & Tim Finnan	South Tall ships on the Bay
July 15-16	<b>CHILDRENS' EASTER SEAL</b> Cruise & Party, Irv. Furman	Harbor View Marina Baltimore Harbor
July 29-30	<b>WINE TASTING CONTEST</b> Tom & Peggy Carey	Tilghman Creek off Eastern Bay
Aug 12-13	<b>CRAB FEAST</b> Art & Fran Bertapelle	Bay Ridge Clubhouse Lake Ogleton
Aug. 26-27	<b>RENDEZVOUS &amp; visit</b> Adam Canalungo	Church Creek off South R. Londontown Public House
Sept. 2-4	<b>LABOR DAY CRUISE</b> Andy Lewis, Coordinator	Leeds Creek off the Miles St. Michaels Big Band Night
Sept. 16-17	<b>SHORE PARTY</b> Ted & Carol Reinhold	Magothy River
Sept. 29, Oct. 6	<b>FALL CRUISE</b> Adam Canalungo	North, as the wind blows
Oct. 7-8	<b>CHAMPAGNE BKFST.</b> Marge & Paul Kavanaugh	Marina, to be determined Patapsco River
Oct. 21-22	<b>OCTOBERFEST</b> Joel Gross	West River Steamboat Landing
Nov. 4-5	<b>LOBSTERS &amp; Flea Market</b> <u>Volunteers needed</u>	Bay Ridge Clubhouse Lake Ogleton
Nov. 18	<b>FALL DINNER &amp; Slide Show</b> Bruce Raymond	Fergies Restaurant 2840 Solomon's Island Rd.

Note: We have many volunteers to help with these events but we can always use more ! If you can assist the hosts for any of these, please call them or Adam Canalungo

Now is the time for the mops and buckets and sandpaper and wax and paint and teak cleaner and varnish and cetol and grease and oil and new lines and time to put on sails and dodgers and biminis and all that good food stuff and beverages, to flush out and fill the water tanks, get that engine up and running, put on the new year's sticker, check the rigging, etc.,etc.,etc., . . . . .

What labor we do to get ourselves out on the Bay again !



In the spring there are two kinds of boaters:

1. The Clean and Nautically Natty
2. The Incredibly Filthy

**Teak does not age gracefully; it ages immediately!**

The cartoon is from "Chapwoman's Boating Wit & Wisdom" by Anne Lorimer Sirna.