

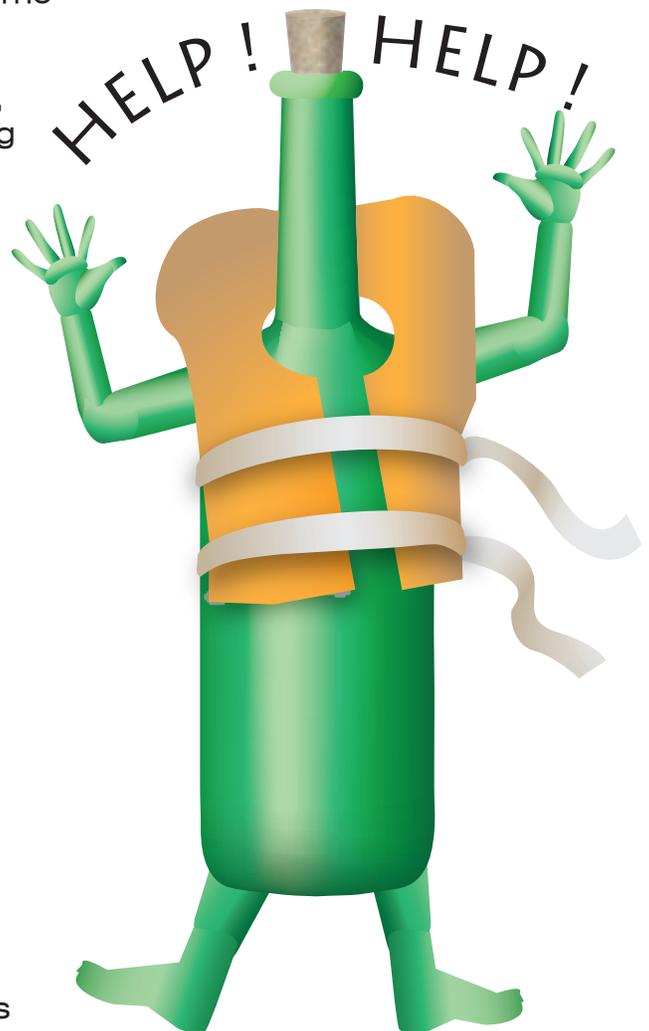
CBC'S ANNUAL CRAB FEAST -- SATURDAY, AUGUST 16, 2014

It's was a beautiful summer day for our annual gathering at the Bay Ridge community center. The table was filled with an assortment of hors d'oeuvres and home baked desserts.(There were brownies to die for!) While we waited for the fresh steamed shrimp, great big crabs, corn and beautiful red lobsters to be delivered, we played The Great Chinese Gift Exchange. Doc Johnson was the introducer and referee of the festivities. This year's exchange prompted more than the usual laughter when one of the gifts was a bottle of white wine protected in its own small orange life preserver. This gift didn't stay long with the first person who selected it. It was traded among several people before a delighted Prue Clopp took it home. A large bottle of hard cider was one of the "snatched" items and a neat picnic blanket that would keep picnic things up top all dry and later fold into a handy cushion. Another popular exchange was a bag containing \$15, the mandated maximum cost of each gift. It was a clever last minute gift idea that was also very popular with the group. It disappeared for a short while 'til it was discovered where it had been sneakily sat upon. After several hilarious trades, Brian Taliaferro took home the prize.

Those in attendance were: Carol and Noel Patterson, Doc and Carol Johnson, Val and Jane Taliaferro along with Brian and Louise and their infant Bryce. Joel Gross and Tom Finnin, Rich and Anne Segermark, Norm and Sandra Bogarde, Rebecca and David Burka, Joyce and Marty Suydam, Frank and Sharon Arsenault, Ted and Carol Reinhold, Shirley Kennard, Mickey and Scott Doran, Tom and Elinor Adensam, Ken and Deb Coons, Mary and Larry Kerr, friends of the Adensams, Dick and Ruth Boecker, Logan and Will Hottle, Prue and Bob Clopp with their friend, Christel Brelochs, and Nancy and Frank McCabe. It was a great group and everyone had a wonderful time.

Special thanks to Noel and Carol Patterson for once again sponsoring us at the Bay Ridge Community Center. Rebecca and David Burka (decked out in matching "crabby" trousers) were our hosts who decorated the room, took charge of the money, and ordered and served up the delicious seafood. A big job beautifully done.

We look forward to seeing everyone at our next land event on Saturday, October 18 at Bob and Prue Clopp's home. Mark your calendar so you don't miss our annual Oktoberfest. Details will follow.



ST. JOHN'S STUDENT SAIL PICNIC AND CARR CREEK RENDEZVOUS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2014

It is amazing that so many of the young folks who are all studying the humanities at St John's College have never been out on the Bay or even on the water.

They are from a terrific and diverse student body, many are from all parts of the planet and fascinating to have as guests on your boat.

At 10:00 you will pick up your guests at the city dock where there are lots of folks to help you alongside and load your "crew" and the great box lunches provided by the college for all of you.

Make sure you have some non-alcoholic beverages aboard and some ice and water.

A homemade goodie for desert I'm sure would be welcomed.

After a lovely morning of sailing all boats will gather to raft up for lunch and party time.

Swim, anyone?

The afternoon will, wind permitting, provide more opportunity to show your mastery of the art of sailing to willing students.

The boats will all return to the city dock at 4:00 p.m.

where you will return your guests to terra firma.

You will have a great time introducing SJC students to sailing on the Bay.

For more information, contact Deb Coons, phone: 443-482-9420,

or email dbcoons@aol.com.

You and your boat have to be registered with St. Johns and Deb can do this for you.

Don't wait too long to sign on to join in this lovely event.

Then you can end your day with supper and an overnight in nearby Carr Creek.-

(see attached map for clear directions to enter this great creek)

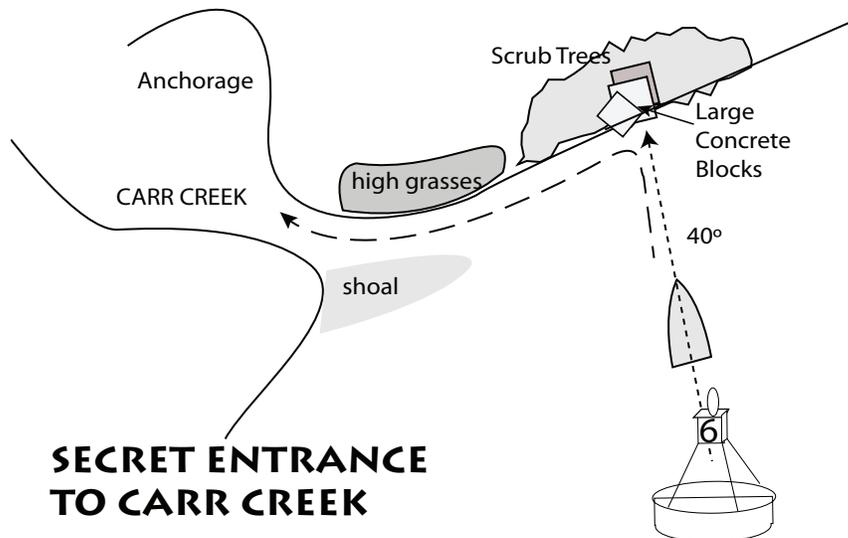
IF YOU CAN'T MAKE THE STUDENT SAIL?

You are welcome to join your fellow CBCers and members of the West River Sailing Association in Carr Creek after 4 p.m.

Homemade soup along with appetizers and dessert will be served.

You bring your favorite beverage(s) and join the Happy Hour & Supper

RSVP for the this Rendezvous by Wednesday, Sept. 17
to Mickey Doran, 443-510-8860; email obispop@comcast.net



- 1- put R6 inside Greenbury Point on your stern
- 2- Head 40 deg. Magnetic to scrub tree patch
- 3- Find and steer toward concrete blocks
- 4- When you get approx. 50' from shoreline turn to port and follow shoreline @ approx. 50' from shore
- 5- Once past the shoal the creek is deep to the anchorage (+ - 1/10 mi.)
- 6- (Plan B) If wind is heavy from the South we will go to Lake Ogleton for a calm anchorage

MINI CRUISE

The weather forecast was not good for a mini cruise starting on Friday, August 1st, which was the original plan. Rain with thunder kept all but the Bogardes ashore. SAVOIR FAIRE went to Crab Creek for the night and experienced 2 TO 3 inches of water in Norm's new dinghy.

In spite of the necessity to bail and pump all was well.

The forecast remained rainy and stormy but nonetheless, seven boats made it to the rendezvous in Aberdeen Creek with ACOMES coming from across the South River (Winchester was an additional guest) and FREEFLIGHT coming from one creek down the river, with the aforementioned Savoir Faire coming from one creek up river. We were the only club in Aberdeen Creek but two other boats came in to spend the night. SEA SCAPE was the anchor boat and was joined by SCUDDER, CHANTEY and ACOMES. SAVOIR FAIRE, FREEFLIGHT and LAST RESORT anchored separately. After a pleasant happy hour, at dusk the raft broke up and all anchored except Will and Logan who took Winchester home.

The next day the winds were light and there was a threat of bad weather but, nonetheless, four boats were interested in continuing and maybe heading across to Tilghman Creek, or heading up the Bay if the wind was light. When the boats got out to the Bay Val and Jane decided to go home leaving SCUDDER, SAVOIR FAIRE and SEA SCAPE to head North and go into Carr's Creek. The three boats rafted up, their captains and crews had cocktails and discussed everything about anything.

A strong storm was scheduled to pass North of Baltimore and, apparently, a bit of wind was felt in the night by The Doran craft and the Bogardes. The Madens continued to sleep soundly and felt nothing. In the morning all headed for home having experienced a short, but most enjoyable mini-cruise.

Alas, everyone had such a good time no one thought to take any pictures!

Kudos
to Prue Clendenning
for being one of two wonderful neighbors of a lady who contracted a rare and prolonged disease. She sang their praises in a letter to the Capital! We are very proud of you, Prue!

For the taking !
A two piece suit of sheer black Mosquito netting that covers your head as well. I know it is late in the season, but someone might want to put it aside for next season.

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THERE IS A NICE SLIP AVAILABLE ON RIDOUT CREEK. 9 FEET OF WATER AT THE END OF THE DOCK. SLIP IS 15' WIDE AND APPROX. 35' LONG. ELECT. AND POTABLE WATER AT THE DOCK. SMALL SHED TO STOW EXTRA GEAR ETC. HOIST AT BULKHEAD & MOTORIZED WAGON TO MOVE LOADS UP & DOWN FROM BOAT. CBC PLEASE GIVE A CALL TO 443-603-6788

THE FASCINATING LATEST NEWS FROM CAPE DOCTOR.



This was from an e-mail from Tom Trump that arrived on August 30th, 2014 with an update today from Tom to Ted Reinhold.

This picture is from the Mylor Yacht Harbor just outside Falmouth, England. Look closely and you will see the CBC burgee flying just below Cape doctor's spreader.

"Look for us to start moving again in the next 24 hours. the boat's ready. We may stop in Falmouth (we are in Mylor now, about two miles up the river) for a while, but we need to start South. A quick trip to Brest, then on across the Bay of Biscay. I'll turn the tracker on, if I don't forget."

"We did have a bit of a rough passage across Biscay, with one honest, but short gale and most winds on the nose. That was the first time we used the 3rd mainsail reef for real, although I had put it up for crew training before I left the states."

"We stopped briefly in Brest, but arrived after customs closed for the weekend on Friday and left Sunday morning, so we never cleared Cus-

toms. We were headed for Finisterre or Porto, on the west coast, but after the gale shook up all the sludge in our fuel tank, we had to make for a nearest port without engine. That was Viveiro, and it turned out to be a pleasant surprise, a modern marina whose management towed us the last couple of miles and had a mechanic aboard twenty minutes after we docked. They will clean it up Monday (and possibly Tuesday), and we will leave."

"Since my crew of one has to be back in Berlin on the 6th, he will leave either from here or we can probably make it to Coruña, about 45 miles west and on the corner. After that I will be alone until I pick up my return transatlantic crew in Gibraltar on Oct 25 or so."

This picture is of the marina in Spain . A really lovely and protected harbor on the northern shore of Spain before you round the orner down toward Portugal. This cme from the Tracker website I posted in the last newsletter. Take a look at the website. It is fascinating.



THE SCHEDULE FOR THE FALL CRUISE, AUGUST 29 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 13

DATE	DAY	LOCATION	ACTIVITY/CONTACTS
29-Aug	FRI	OXFORD MEARS MARINA	410-226-5450
30-Aug	SAT	CAMBRIDGE MUNICIPAL MARINA	cell 410-330-8016
31-Aug	SUN	PM <u>CRABFEST</u> WITH EYC	
1-Sep	MON	LEAVE FOR <u>SOLOMONS</u> SPRING COVE	410-326-2161
		COCKTAILS YACHT CLUB <u>solomons</u>	
2-Sep	TUES	POTLUCK McCABES	
3-Sep	WED	<u>REEDVILLE</u>	804-453-6789
4-Sep	THURS	TIDES INN	804-438-5000
5-Sep	FRI	TIDES INN	
6-Sep	SAT	TIDES INN	
7-Sep	SUN	TANGIERS/ <u>CHRISFIELDS</u> optional	Possible return from here
8-Sep	MON	TANGIERS/ <u>CHRISFIELDS</u> optional	work our way North (captains choi
9-Sep	TUES	TANGIERS/ <u>CHRISFIELDS</u> optional	
10-Sep	WED	<u>SOLOMONS</u>	
11-Sep	THURS	LITTLE <u>CHOPTANK</u>	
12-Sep	FRI	<u>HERRINGTON SOUTH</u>	
13-Sep	SAT	HOME	

CONTACT BOB CLOPP 703-623-1068 CELL

The Cruise got off to a good start and had a nice gathering in Oxford. Tonight (Sunday) they are enjoying a Crab Feast with the Eastport Yacht Club in Cambridge. They are right on schedule and very early Monday morning they are headed down to Solomon's and plan to gather for cocktails at the Yacht Club there. Keep tabs with the cruisers on the Flash Messages. If you don;t know what these are give Ted Reinhold a call and get involved!

Look at the schedule above and check in with the cruise director and plan to join in somewhere along the way by land or sea with the cruisers if you can.

DON'T FORGET TO FLY YOUR BURGEEES !

