



Ocean City

Power Squadron



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Keep up to date by checking our site. All pictures from recent events will appear there.

Check our OCPS website or the printable calendar on page 4 for all OCPS upcoming activities. Sandra Glassman will continue to keep us informed as well, via her column or e-mails as needed.



Commander's Message

Cdr. Ken Wolf, S

Finally the boating season is upon us after a cold and wet Spring . We enjoyed our raft up last week despite the somewhat cooler temperatures and a breeze. Thanks to Ray Calandra setting it up and Tony Curro who Captained it. We're really starting to get back in the swing of things. We had great turnout for our June happy hour at the Sterling Tavern. We've already had our annual clean-up of Pintail Park (thanks Jack Tellman for running it) , we followed that with the well-attended C.O.W., and earlier this month celebrated the yearly "Blessing of the Fleet" . And the pig roast sold out . We are adding some additional capacity so some others can hopefully enjoy this event too.

We look forward to you attending our General Membership Meeting which will begin at 1:30 p.m. immediately before the Pig Roast on July 10th which begins at 2pm . Through the good work done by Dale in fundraising , we now have some interesting options to improve and extend our education efforts. As always Fred is lining up ads for this year's Roster , please commemorate your boat or yourselves with a \$10(or more) ad.

The bridge is looking for some help in that we need to bring on board a new Secretary to replace Marie. We would appreciate if someone would step up and help us in this regard. Please get a hold of Tony Curro who is coordinating our efforts on this .

Hope to see you all soon.



Exec. Commander's Message

Jerry Leuters, S

Well, it looks like summer is finally upon us. The weather is warming up and it is time to get out and enjoy the summer activities. Happy Hour's and Raft Up's are being scheduled and now that everyone has had their shots, we can all enjoy the summer.

I would like to take this opportunity to highlight some upcoming activities. On July 10th , the Squadron will be having a Pig Roast at the White Horse Park Pavilion in Ocean Pines. The event is scheduled to run from 2:00 to 6:00 pm. We will have music provided by Mike Luciani. He has also hinted at some spontaneous musical musings. We will also have a 50/50 and some small door prizes. I hope to see you there.

The Power Squadron is participating in a program with Maryland Coastal Bays (MCBP) to remove the Ghost Crab Pots that are scattered throughout our navigable waters surrounding Ocean City and extending to the Virginia line behind Assateague. They will be scheduling multiple events this summer and fall to remove these hazards. They have been responsible for many turtle, fish and crab deaths that become trapped. If you have time and would like to help please give me a call.

The EXComm is working on expanding our educational and membership goals, we have some money in the bank and now is the time to make those needed investments. To this end we will start holding meetings with the Strategic Planning Committee to develop a plan for going forward. More to come on this.



Administrative Officer's Message
Lt/C Sandra Glassman, S



Education Officer's Message
Lt/C Dick Michael, S

Happy Summer All! I hope you are enjoying the beautiful weather and are looking for some OCPS activities now that we are returning to pre-covid normal. I know I am so here is a list of our upcoming events and meetings:

July 10th 1:30 there will be a short general meeting at White Horse Park prior to the Pig Roast. Jerry Leuters will be our speaker.

July 10th 2-6pm Pig Roast at White Horse Park
 July 13th 6pm ExCom Meeting. Assateague Room

July 15th HH 4:30-6:30 at The Angler. Thank you, Tony Smith.

July 22nd Raft Up at 5:30. Thank You, Captain Jack Tellman.

August 19th 6pm ExCom Meeting. Assateague Room.

August 26th Raft Up at 5:30. Thank you, Captain Fred Stiehl.

September 10th 9:30am(back to regular time!) ExCom Meeting. Assateague Room

September 12-13 Chincoteague Trip. Thank you, Claude Lewis.

September 16th Raft Up at 5pm. Captain TBA
 September HH?...any volunteers?

Upcoming...

December 10th Holiday Party at the Dunes. Get your dancing shoes ready!!!

Sandy Glassman
 Administrative Officer

Our first ABC3 boating class since COVID, was held the first two weeks of June at the library. While we didn't have the turn out we had hoped for it was good to get started again. All of the students passed with flying colors thanks to the excellent instructor team of Fred Stiehl, Patti Lookner, Jerry Leuters. Bela Gulyas and Ray Calandra. This was Jerry's first class as an instructor and we are glad to have him aboard.

Future plans include another ABC3 class in the fall, a student class at the Berlin Intermediate School next school year and post Boat Show class.

A special thanks to Mort Brown for making this transition so easy and his continuing support to the Education Team.

If anyone is interested in joining the Education Team please contact me, it's a great way to share your boating expertise.

Education Officer
 Dick Michael



Good and Welfare Message

Jeanne Stiehl

Dale and Marie Christensen are moving to Kent Island. Although they only joined our ranks a few years ago, they have both been active, involved members and have left their mark. They will be missed. We wish them both the best as they embark on this new adventure.

Doris Lloyd has moved to Utah to be closer to family. She and her late husband, Dave, were long-time active members of the Squadron. Her new address is: 1662 S. Wiltshire Lane, Saratoga Springs, UT 84045.

Claude Lewis has undergone successful hip surgery. We wish him a full and swift recovery.

P/C Joan Watt was hospitalized for six days recently with a heart issue. She is at home now with restrictions and is following up with a specialist in Baltimore. Best wishes, Joanie.

Hopefully, everyone who is reading this has gotten fully vaccinated and is still following CDC guidelines. Enjoy the Summer!

Upcoming Events

JULY

10– General Meeting 1:30PM

Pig Roast 2-6PM @ White Horse Park

13– ExCom Meeting 6PM @ Assateague Rm.

15– Happy Hour 4:30– 6:30PM @ Angler Restaurant

22– Raft Up 5:30PM Capt. Jack Tillman

AUGUST

19– ExCom Meeting 6PM @ Assateague Rm

26– Raft Up 5:30 Capt. Fred Stiehl

SEPTEMBER

10– ExCom Meeting 9:30 AM @ Assateague Rm

12-13– Chincoteague Trip

16– Raft Up 5:30PM Capt. TBD

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