

Cove Chronicles

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Seasons Change in The Cove:

As we pass through the end of another summer, we watch the seasons change in Captains Cove. We'll be wrapping up the summer with a Concert / Block Party at The Cove Commons on Saturday August 30th with the band "Lime Green" playing from 4-7p.m. Bring a lawn chair and join your neighbors for an afternoon of camaraderie and entertainment at The Commons. A Chicken BBQ is being done on site by the Greenbackville Volunteer Fire Company.

The first few weeks of September you will see greatly increased activity at The Marina Club as the kitchen is completed and the final push to get the building open is underway. At the writing of this article we are expecting delivery of the kitchen hoods any time. We are awaiting completion of the kitchen and completion of some erosion control work before the building can be called complete. Things look good for a mid to late September completion of the building. We are all looking forward to the use of the new amenities. Stay tuned for the

announcement of a "Grand Opening", but the next big holiday weekend coming up would be Columbus Day, October 11-13.

School will be starting Tuesday September 2nd, so as you head back to work after the holiday, be prepared for small children and school buses traveling in The Cove. Those of you leaving for work in the morning may want to leave a few minutes early because if you're like me, you will be behind the school bus. Please be cautious driving as we haven't seen the buses for several months.

Enjoy the end of summer, and the beginning of fall...

Lance Stitcher CMCA, AMS
General Manager

Pot Luck Committee

ATTENTION ATTENTION

The 1st Pot Luck this fall will be on October 4th, the 1st Saturday in October at the Greenbackville Volunteer Fire Department Banquet Hall at 6:30pm. This is a change from the usual date so please make a note on your calendar.

Please bring your most favorite dish to share at the dinner. Reminder that all

paper products, coffee and iced tea will be provided.

The date for our Thanksgiving Pot Luck is Saturday, November 8th and our Holiday Pot Luck will be Saturday, December 13th. Please make a note of these dates. More information to follow.

Jane French, Chairperson

From the Angler's Corner:

As Labor Day weekend passes by, the boating and fishing season will be ending for many of our residents. Others will just be getting started, as the fall usually provides us with the best fishing and crabbing of the year.

If you fall into the first group and find that your season is ending, spend a little time to make sure that your equipment is put away properly. A little attention to winterization will make life much easier and quite probably less expensive come spring time. With our new blend of E-10 fuels it is even more important to add stabilizer to fuel systems. It may be a good time to consult with a mechanic, as this is the first season that we are dealing with this on the Eastern Shore. The other big issue is water, and the damage that it can cause in freezing weather. Pay attention to maintenance issues now so they don't turn into repair issues later.

Fall fishing is my favorite fishing of the year. As the first cold fronts move through in September, the baitfish will begin schooling up in the bay and later, moving towards the ocean. We usually have a decent flounder bite in late season as the fish feed heavily before the fall migration. Some species migrate offshore while others will move south for the winter. As the fall progresses we will have good fishing for flounder, striped bass, speckled trout, red drum, tautog, and sea bass just to name a few. In closing, it looks like some good structure has formed at the tip of the beach again and holds a good rip line on a moving tide, so we may have some good striper fishing in the inlet this year. Till next tide...

Fair winds & following seas,

Lance Stitcher

From the Golfer's Corner:

The 2008 Captains Cove Club Championship is in the books. Congratulations to the 17 golfers who tested their skills against the golf course as well as each other. And here are the winners for 2008:

Club Champion:	John Dickerson	79-79-158	Runner Up:	Wayne Collins	83-82-165
Senior Champion	Rick Dills	98-92-190	Ladies Champion	Mary Back	43-41-84
First Flight Winner	Tim Getek	91-89-180	Net Champion	Tim Getek	144
Second Flight Winner	Bill Jones	91-102-193			

Captain's Cove Community Yard Sale

Saturday, September 13, 2008 - 8:00 am to 2:00 pm. At the Cove Commons.

Reserve a table now to sell your treasures! \$10.00 per table (deadline 09/10/08), call the Cove Office 824-3465.

If you are not interested in getting a table,



come check out the bargains as a customer.

The Library Committee will have refreshments on sale as

CAPTAIN'S COVE GOLF & YACHT CLUB

3370 Captain's Corridor
Greenbackville, VA 23356

Phone: 757-824-3465
Fax: 757-824-3079
email: club@captscove.com



Tennis Anyone?

Only 4 people responded to the tennis ladder meeting. A good ladder needs 20 - 25 people. A sign-up sheet is posted in the Pro Shop, listing people who are interested in playing tennis. Feel free to add your name to the list and/or give one of them a call to set up a time to play. When the list reaches 20 people, a ladder will again be considered.

"Tailgate/Block Party"

Saturday, August 30th, 3 pm to 7 pm

Greenbackville Volunteer Fire Department will be supplying a Chicken BBQ

1/4 Chicken, Ear of Corn, Baked Beans and Roll—\$7.00 per person (Soft Beverages will be for sale)

Bring your own beverages & snacks as you like.

Music by the band "Lime Green" Classic Rock—4:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Bring your lawn chairs—Enjoy the music/dancing and join your family and neighbors as we celebrate the End of the Summer Season of 2008 !!!

September is a Busy Month in the Library

We will be preparing for the Food tables at the September 13th Yard Sale. There will be hot dogs and all the fixings. We will have coffee, bottled water and sodas too. We also hope to have our popular Baked Goods table. That totally depends on the residents and their generous baking.

A few people have already told us they will bake. If you are interested in helping us with the library fund raiser, please consider baking something for our table. Some of the wonderful items donated have become a tradition. You can call any of us, or sign up in the current library if you can help.

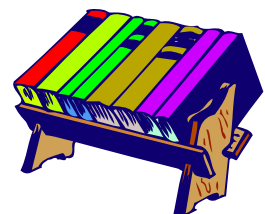
We are also working on expanding the Large Print book selection. We are members of a Large Print Book Club this year. We will have them all together on one book case after we move. This will be easier for locating the books, as they are now filed among all the other hardback books.

Hope to see you at the Cove Yard Sale. Remem-

ber, if you can help the Library Fund Raiser and provide a baked good, sign up in library or call one of the committee members.

Thank you,

Evelyn Lawrence-824-5352, Carole Milcarek-824-0121, Bobbie Moyer-854-0774, Joyce Platterspiel-854-1352, Barbara Tomlinson-824-0409



"Coming up at the Cove"

Upcoming Events at Captain's Cove

As of 09/01/08

Date/Time	Event	Other information
August 30, 2008 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm	End of Summer Tailgate/Block Party Chicken BBQ by GVFD Band- "Lime Green"	<i>Cove Commons—Check this issue and the bulletin boards for more Information</i>
Sept. 13, 2008 8:00 am to 2:00 pm	Cove Yard Sale	<i>Held at Cove Commons Tables go fast, reserve yours now!</i>
Sept. 22, 2008 9:00 am	Board of Directors Meeting	<i>GVFD Banquet Hall</i>
Sept. 28, 2008 9:30 am	GVFD Fun "Fore" Fall Tournament	<i>See bulletin boards or call GVFD 757-824-5251, Pro Shop 757-824- 5478 for more information</i>
October 4, 2008 6:30 pm	Pot Luck Dinner	<i>GVFD Banquet Hall (Bring a dish to share)</i>
October 27, 2008 9:00 am	Board of Directors Meeting	<i>GVFD Banquet Hall</i>
November 1, 2008 10:00 am	Cove Members Annual Meeting	<i>To Be Announced (Check the October Issue for details)</i>