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Hey there PHCOT PHlockers,

Welcome to autumn here in Hampton Roads. We had a cool spell for a little while and now we are back in second summer. However, it is supposed to cool down in time for the "Got to stop wishin', got to go PHishin' trip" on Saturday, October 10 and I hope that it is a good day out on the water. This month will bring some of the PHlock migrating to either Meeting of the Minds or to Trop Rockin' Duval. One thing is for sure, no matter the destination there will be great music and Parrot Head comradery.

We were fortunate to have an impromptu house concert with Erica Sunshine Lee. While the weather limited the number of PHolks that could attend, Erica provided a wonderful evening of music. Next up on the house concert front will be the Sauce Boss at the Jenner residence on November 8th. Information is here in the newsletter.

The Social Committee has been working hard on some more events this fall with more to be announced. For this month, they lined up an evening at Draftcade on Thursday, October 15th. Details are here in the newsletter.

On our community service front, the road clean-up on Saturday, September 19th was a big success. There was a great turn out of twenty-one PHruffies who made short work of the cleanup. Thanks to Joanie and David James for continuing to lead the PHRuffies. From the PHundraising perspective, you guys and gals showed your generosity for the Aloha Party to support the Alzheimer's team on September 12th. Kathy, Juli and Stephanie did a PHintastic job putting together day and Joey Wood entertain us. You guys showed amazing support for this event, \$2,300 was raised to support our team. The Walk to End Alzheimer's is Saturday, October 24th, please join our team.

Just a quick reminder, that our new membership year turns over in October. We will be collecting 2026-2027 dues at the October meeting. \$40/person for renewing members.

*Yeah, and that's why it's still a mystery to me, why some people live like they do
So many nice things happenin' out there, they never even seen the clues.*

*Yeah but we're doing fine, we can travel and rhyme; I know we been doin' our
part.*

Got a Caribbean soul I can barely control!

Skipper

The Board of Directors Meeting Minutes and Treasurer's Reports are available for review at the Secretary's table at each general meeting.

Road Clean Up Recap: Another Road Clean-Up is in the PHCOT history books. We had a Phintastic turnout, 21 PH Ruffies came out on September 19th. A "Big Parrot Head Thank You" to everyone who came. We collected 14 bags and various pieces of debris. Mother Nature blessed us with great weather. We went to Rancho Grande on Eden Way for lunch and social time after the road clean-up. Always great spending time with our Parrot Head Phamily. The City of Chesapeake sent a big "Thanks" for our clean up. We appreciate the great turn out. Thanks again.

Joanie & David James



Thank you Ray and Dennie for hosting the House Concert with Erica Sunshine Lee!!



New Date!!

Fishing Trip
Saturday, October 10
8:00am – noon

This event has been rescheduled due to the weather forecast. The new date is Saturday, October 10. If you are already signed up please let Karen know by Sunday, October 4 if you will be able to attend on the new date.

Where: Dockside Fishing Center – 3311 Shore Drive *board 30 minutes before departure.

Cost is \$48 per adult/\$31 children 3-10. Pay Karen Cagni with cash, check or Venmo: @Karen1Cagni.

Please wear soft soled shoes. No hard soled boots. Don't forget sunscreen, sunglasses and a hat or visor! A snack bar is on board selling snacks and non-alcoholic beverages. You may bring your own beer or wine (no hard liquor) and food.

Deckhands will instruct everyone on proper use of the provided rods and reels. You can bait your own hooks or they will bait them for you. They'll take your fish off the hook and if you choose to keep them, they will bag them up for you. There is usually a fish cleaner at the dock who will clean your catch for an additional charge.

**Tipping – although the fish don't always cooperate, we strive to provide excellent service in a friendly manner. Please that your deckhands are your waitstaff on the water and please tip accordingly.

CLUB SOCIAL
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 6:00-9:00pm



4554 Virginia Beach Blvd (Pembroke, next to Funny Bones)

This is a new venue for the club. They have about 75 games you can play. They have about 45 draft beers, domestics, wine and food! We have reserved 25 seats – come out and join us for an evening of fun and socialization!! The cost is \$10 for a wristband to play all you want.

Check it out at: vbdraftcade.com

Partying with a Purpose!!!

Schedule of events for The Walk on Saturday, October 24, 2026:

Time:

Registration at 8:30 a.m.

Promise Garden Ceremony at 9:40 a.m.

Walk at 10:00 a.m.

Location:

Chesapeake City Park - Bagley Stage

900 City Park Drive

Chesapeake, VA 23320

The Luau to benefit the Alzheimer's Association of Southeastern Virginia on September 12th was a great event!, and we raised over \$2300!

Stephanie, Juli and Jamie worked really hard to create the event and work out all of the details. And Trader Chicks, for the first time being experienced at PHCoT, did very well, raising \$191 alone. Joey Wood was as entertaining as ever, providing our tunes for the afternoon!

Thanks to everyone for a job well done, and to the many club members who helped this event run as smoothly as possible.

Alzheimer's Team Co-Captains:

Kathy Jamerson

Stephanie Gobel

Juli Shipp

Jamie Ozembaugh



Upcoming House Concert

Sunday, November 8

The Sauce Boss

At the home of Glenn and Denyse Jenner

**more details coming soon!*

October Birthdays

Madison Osborne	10/01
Beverly McLain	10/01
Maggie Lowery	10/02
David Osborne	10/04
John Stankiewicz	10/06
Sue Williams	10/07
Jim McCormack	10/08
Barbara Garcia	10/11
David Rosedale	10/31



October Anniversaries

Jacob Warner	10/01/2024
Patrick Watkins	10/01/2024
Brent Lewis	10/01/2024
Neil Gerke	10/03/2023
Joan Bowen	10/03/2021
Cecy Ebaugh	10/02/2021
Ginny Pappas	10/05/2021
Theresa Espeth	10/05/2021
Ray Cross	10/06/2009
Dennie Evans	10/07/2025
Virginia Roberts	10/23/2004



Important Dates:

Tuesday, October 4	Monthly Meeting
Saturday, October 10	Fishing Trip
Thursday, October 15	Social at Draftcade
Saturday, October 24	Walk to End Alzheimer's
Tuesday, November 3	Monthly Meeting
Sunday, November 8	House Concert with The Sauce Boss
Tuesday, December 1	Monthly Meeting

Communication Corner

PHCOT.com

Parrot Head Club of Tidewater

PHLOCKERSMAGAZINE.com

Official publication of the PHIP

PHIP.com

Parrot Heads in Paradise, Inc.
Official website of the PHIP

TROPROCKIN.com

A wealth of information about
happenings in the Trop Rock world



it's time to
**RENEW YOUR
MEMBERSHIP**

It is now time for "everyone" to renew their membership dues. Our club by-laws require dues be renewed by the October meeting each year to remain a "Member in Good Standing". Membership includes a club T-shirt and a monthly newsletter (online and at meetings).

- Go to: PHCOT.com – On the "Come Visit Us" page -- Click "Membership Renewal" or "New Member Application"
- Fill out the entire renewal form; make check payable to Parrot Head Club of Tidewater, Inc. for \$40.00 per person
- Bring form and check to the Membership Chairperson at the October 6 meeting or mail the form and check to: Parrot Head Club Of Tidewater, Inc. P.O. Box 16078 Chesapeake, VA 23328-6078

Please Renew now!!

Wastin' Away Again

July 10-17, 2027

No Shoes

No Shirt

No Problem

It's 5 o'Clock
Somewhere



PARROT HEAD CLUB

of RICHMOND

MARGARITAVILLE AT SEA • BEACHCOMBER

July 10 - 17, 2027

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GROUP EVENTS



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CONTESTS



GROUP
EXCURSIONS

CONTACT PHIL HINES TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT ON BOARD



TheTravelersCaddy@gmail.com



757-994-9448

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We've got space for you!!

See your mug here!

Advertise in the Beakon – just \$75 per year
for a business card sized ad.

Contact Scott Pitz for details – crabphin@aol.com

We are collecting non-perishable food items for the Crossway Church Food Pantry! On your next grocery trip, pick up some canned goods, pasta, rice, beans, cereal, peanut butter or other healthy, shelf-stable food items and help out your neighbors. See Graham and Kathy Hallows with your donations.



Lions Clubs can offer the gift of sight or sound to those in need through the kindness of others. PHCoT is collecting eyeglasses, hearing aids, cell phones and keys at our meetings to support those in need. Please bring any of these items to a club meeting and see Colleen Cannon.

Everyone Needs A Little Sunshine!

Occasions arise in everyone's lives where they might need some good old fashioned Parrot Head love. Please let Maryglenn Huffman (757) 574-4067 or 2fruitcakes@cox.net know about weddings, births, hospital stays, etc. so that we can reach out to our members in need of some sunshine!



Help out our phurry and pheathered phriends! At every meeting we will be collecting items for the SPCA. Items needed include food, litter, birdseed, biscuits, old newspapers and old towels. Items collected will be sent to the Virginia Beach SPCA

PHCOT Membership—Note Dues are now \$40 per year

Membership includes a club T-shirt and this monthly newsletter. Annual dues are now **\$40.00 per person per year**. Membership renewal dues are required to be paid in full by the October meeting to remain a "Member in Good Standing" and are not pro-rated. However, new membership dues are prorated. You will find more information and a membership form at www.phcot.com. Click on "Visit Us"! Come join the phlock.

