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Hey there PHCOT Phlockers!

I sit here writing this column in anxious anticipation of starting the drive early Saturday morning to get to the end of the road in Key West. the Order of the Sleepless Knights are once again putting on Trop Rock'N Duval. We have ten PHolks headed down there for that. So much PHUN to be had. I just finished printing off the music schedule and I feel like a kid in a candy store.

I have also enjoyed seeing all of the photos on Facebook of the kick-off of the Meeting of the Minds in Gulfport, AL. Herbie is leading our contingent of six folks for all the awesome music and frivolity there.

Over the last couple of months, we have been fortunate to have our membership grow as new PHolks come to check us out and as some PHolks from days past have come out to play with us again. Welcome, welcome, welcome one and all. We are so happy to have you as part of the PHlock. We had a lot of our current members do their renewals in October, so thank you and I just want to include a reminder here to pay your dues if you haven't already.

Thanks to the eleven hearty PHRuffies that came out on Saturday, October 12 for the Road Clean-up and the lunch gathering at Recovery Sports Grille. Thank you to Joanie and David James for heading this up!

Please check out information here in the newsletter on upcoming social events. Continued thanks to Karen, Lynn, Paul and Phil for organizing PHun things for us to get together and do.

A quick note on Toys for Tots, we will have Marines at the December meeting doing the toy collection. Many thanks to Kathy and Graham Hallowes for setting this up.

Remember that as the weather is changing our favorite Hampton Roads musicians' schedules are changing as well. Please check out our favorite local musicians Robbie Meade, Joey Wood, Mike Proffitt, the Tiki Bar Band, Brad Brewer and others on their webpages and Facebook pages. There are so many resources to find out the musician schedules. Look them up on Facebook, Veer magazine, <u>www.vbnightlife.com</u>, and <u>www.hrscene.com</u>.

Well, this is a short column for me this month. Next month's column will be longer with reports from MOTM and Top Rock'n Duval.

Happy Thanksgiving everyone, we are thankful that you are part of the PHLOCK!

And I want to be there, I want to go back down and die beside the sea there. With a tin cup for a chalice, fill it up with good red wine, And I'm-a chewin' on a honeysuckle vine.

Skipper

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

MISSION STATEMENT: Our not for profit organization is formed of people who realize they are blessed with abundant life and want to return to the community and environment in some small way, the gifts we share as well as provide a variety of social activities for people who share an enjoyment of Jimmy Buffett's Music.

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We want to send out a "Big Parrot Head Thank You" to everyone who came out to the Road Clean Up on Saturday October 12th. Mother Nature blessed us with a great morning and 11 PH Ruffies performed phabulously as always. We collected 12 bags of trash along with other items you shouldn't find on the roadside. After the clean-up we headed to Recovery Sports Grill for some much appreciated social time. We want to thank Sally, Bill, Joe, Patrice, Bobby. John, Beverly, Penny and Joey for coming out.

Joanie and David





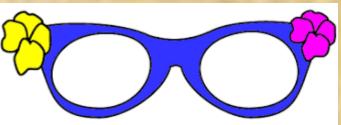


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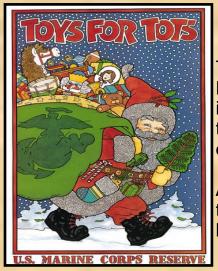
Only a few left!! Get yours now for only \$10. Contact Tom Cannon to purchase or for more information.

Lion's Clubs can offer the gift of sight or sound to those in need through the kindness of others.

PHCoT is collecting eyeglasses, hearing aids, cellphones and keys at our meetings to support those in need. Please bring any of these items to a club meeting and see Colleen Cannon.



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TOYS FOR TOTS

The mission of the U. S. Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots Program is to collect new, non-violent unwrapped toys during October, November and December each year, and distribute those toys as Christmas gifts to less fortunate children in the community.

Again this year, we will be collecting non-violent, unwrapped toys at the **December club meeting**. Help us make the holidays magic for some special children this season!!!



Thank you for your support

PHC of Tidewater:



On behalf of The Lone Palm Foundation's Board of Directors, thank you for your donation to support The Parrot Head Emergency Phund. It is only through donations like yours that we are able to continue our mission of supporting Parrot Heads.

Thankyou so much for your generous donation!

From The Lone Palm Board

• SAVE THE DATE!!! HOLIDAY SOCIAL and GIFT EXCHANGE DECEMBER 14th

6:30 pm Holiday Gift Exchange (\$20 minimum) RSVP to Karen Cagni and provide your \$10 commitment fee. KPCagni@aol.com or 757-803-7150 Deadline is December 3rd club meeting More details to come!!

"Keeping the Party Going Happenings"



Mark your Calendars! Midwinter Meltdown 2025 A celebration of Lynley Tolls life January 24-26, 2025 at the Wyndham Garden Manassas. More details to follow. The hotel is NOT ready for reservations and we are not ready for registrations at this time.



A follow-up notice will be out soon with more details and when everyone





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6-Day Cruise leaving from Norfolk on May 25, 2025

Rates as low as \$807.00 per person/double occupancy

PHCOT IS PROUD TO ANNOUNCE A PHLOATING ON THE CARNIVAL SUNSHINE





Cruise Package Includes

\$100.00 onboard credit

Champagne and Chocolates on Embarkation

Shared 1 hour cocktail party



Nassau

Bimini

Freeport





Phil Hines, Cruise consultant PhilHines@TheTravelersCaddy.com

November PHlocker Birthdays!

Jim Levick November 2 Reva O'Hallarn November 8 Floyd Whitehurst November 8 Maryglenn Huffman November 11 Patricia Slayton November 13 Michelle West November 17 Billy Goodson November 19 Mary Teeters November 21

Communication Corner

(or where can I find information????)

PHIP.com - Parrot Heads In Paradise, Inc. *Official Website Check out the PHIP Tradewind Times Quarterly Newsletter under Chapters PHIP You Tube—https://www.youtube.com/c/ ParrotHeadsinParadiseinc

PHCOT.com - Parrot Head Club of Tidewater *Information about us!

PHLOCKERS MAGAZINE.com - a wealth of information. Phlocking parties all over the country and great articles.

TROPROCKIN.com - a wealth of information about happenings in the Trop Rock world.

November Phlocker Anniversaries!

Robert Diedetich 11-07-2017 Jeff Hoffman 11-7-2023 Mary Teeters 11-7-2023 Barbara Dutcher 11-7-2023 Robbie Meade 11-08-1997 Cindy Hammitt 11-9-2021 Glenn Jenner 11-11-2003 Denyse Jenner 11-11-2003 Bob Haugland 11-18-2019

UPCOMING PHLOCKINGS -January 24-26, 2025 Midwinter Meltdown, Manassas, VA

February 26-March 2, 2025 Music on the Bay—Tampa, FL

April 24-27, 2025 Panama City Rendezvous

"TROP ROCK" ON THE RADIO -<u>WWW.RADIOMARGARITAVILLE.COM</u> <u>WWW.RADIOA1A.COM</u> <u>WWW.BEACHFRONTRADIO.COM</u> <u>WWW.RADIOTROPROCK.COM</u> <u>WWW.RADIOTROPROCK.COM</u> <u>WWW.RADIOTROPROCK.COM</u> <u>WWW.SONGWRITERSISLAND.COM</u> <u>WWW.SUMMERWINDRADIO.COM</u> <u>WWW.SHORELIFERADIO.COM</u>

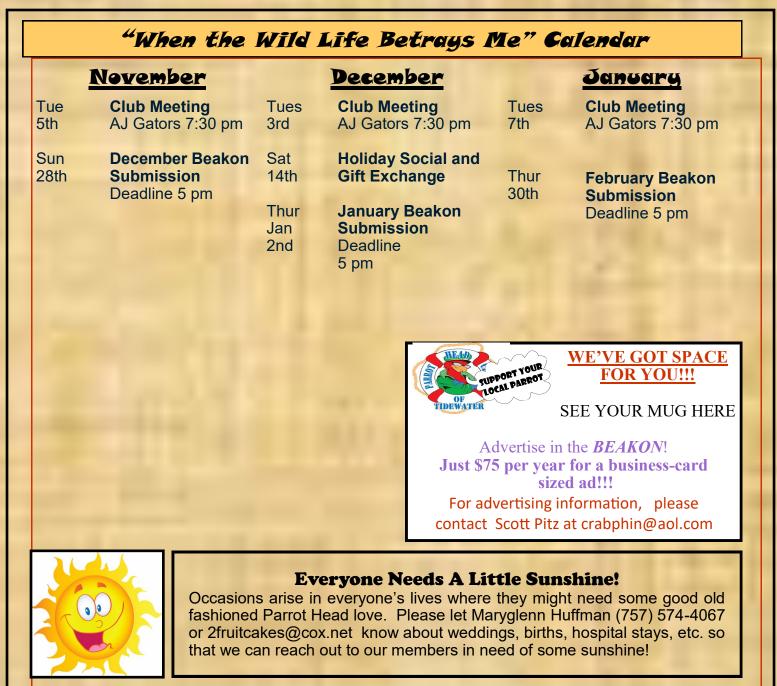
We are collecting non-perishable food items for the Atlantic Shores Baptist Church Food Pantry! So on your next grocery trip, pick up some canned goods, pasta, rice, beans, cereal, peanut butter, or other healthy, shelf-stable food items and help out your neighbors. See Graham and Kathy Hallowes with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



Food Pantry

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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 <u>\$40.00 per person per year.</u> Membership renewal dues are required to be <u>paid in full by the October meeting</u> 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.

