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PARROT HEAD CLUB OF TIDEWATER



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Hey there PHCOT Phlockers!

Welcome to June and the beginning of summer. I want to start out by celebrating one of our parakeets, well now a wonderful young lady. Congratulations to Emilee Stankiewicz for graduating recently with not only her high school diploma, but also her associate's degree. That is awesome, and best wishes as you start your bachelor's program at ODU!

Our Social Committee has been busy getting some PHun activities put together for us over the summer months. This month, we will be doing Music Bingo again, this time at Sloppy Seconds on June 19th. They are also working on a pool party, so save the date for Saturday, August 17th, more information to follow. We also have some house concerts coming up. June 15th will be Donny Brewer down at Ohana Farm in Currituck (Diana & John Stankiewicz' place). July 7th will be Will Kimbrough at the Trost residence and August 3rd will be Crawdaddy Jones at Norfolk Collegiate. Information is here in the newsletter.

Coming up on July 13th will be the next Road Clean-Up. David and Joanie have put information in the newsletter on the meet-up time and post clean up social opportunity. A little history lesson about our nickname. Patricia Garcia found a license plate at one of our previous road clean-ups. It had "PHRUFFY" on it. In her honor we took the name Parrot Head Ruffies. One more save the date for your calendars. Kathy Jamerson will once again heading up our Walk to End Alzheimer's team with the walk on Saturday, September 21st.

A reminder that Phil Hines is organizing the PHCOT PHloat on the Carnival Sunshine. Please check out the information here in the newsletter. Please reach out to Phil Hines (PhilHines@TheTravelersCaddy.com) if you would like more information. Herb has also sent out information on next year's Atlanta Parrot Head cruise.

On the IT front, for some reason a lot of our emails from our announce@phcot.com address are going to SPAM / Junk folders. Please check periodically to see if our emails are going there. Also, we are in need of someone that has skills to manage our website. Please reach out to Herb Holzheter, our communications director if you can help out.

Please check out the Meeting of the Minds 2024 information for the MOTM website at www.MOTM.Rocks. The event is in Gulf Shores, AL from October 22nd to 27th. Lots of information there for you to peruse. The entertainment line-up is shaping up and it looks like all of the Coral Reefers will be there this year.

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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.

At the May club meeting, we introduced four candidates that submitted their intent to run for the Board of Directors. Joe Trost, Herb Holzheter, Graham Hallowes and Paul Kunde. They are willing, interested and capable of helping to man the helm and steer our club into the prevailing winds. There was a motion from the club meeting attendees to accept these four to the board and forgo a formal election in June and by an overwhelming majority show of hands, the motion passed. Thanks to Joe T, Herb and Graham for remaining on the board and welcome to Paul Kunde. We are looking forward to Paul's new ideas and perspective.

*So won't you listen to the sound of the hot country band,
Boot heels shufflin' on the dance floor sand,
Hum a song, play some pong, eat a deviled egg,
Temperature is rising, better pop another keg.*

Skipper

**ATTENTION TIDEWATER PARROT HEADS!!!!!!
Road Clean Up**

Who: Parrot Heads Helping Their Community
What: Road Clean Up
When: July 13, 2023 @ 9:30 A.M.
Where: Meeting at 1501 Sentinel Drive, we will park near the AT&T Store.
NEW location: Woodlake Drive is our adopted roadway.



This is a great chance to give back to our community and spend some time with your Parrot Head Ruffies. We always have a PHINTASTIC time, and it is for a worthy cause. I will have a sign-up sheet at the June club meeting. If you have any questions, please send me an email or give me a call. After the road clean-up we will meet for refreshments and some social time at Recovery Sports Grill. The grill is located in the same shopping center. The club provides safety vests, trash bags. If you have a pickup tool, please bring it. Hope to see you there!! A little history lesson about our nickname. Patrica Garcia found a license plate at one of our previous road clean-ups. It had "PHRUFFY" on it. In her honor we took the name Parrot Head Ruffies.

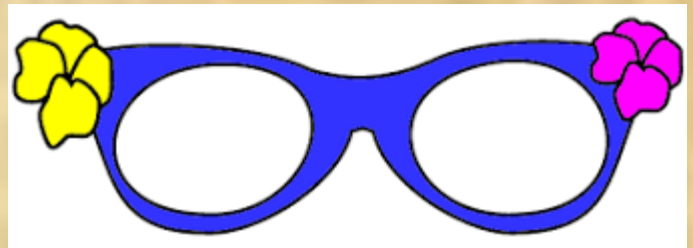
David and Joanie

Turn your ink cartridges into SMILEs!

SMILE can turn every ink cartridge brought to a Parrot Head Club meeting into \$2 at OfficeMax/Office Depot. This helps us offset the cost of our printing from promotional materials to brochures and applications for future **SMILE** Kids, folders (given to families with important materials for their equipment and a welcome packet to the **SMILE** family) as well as everyday office materials we use to further our mission of enhancing the lives of children impacted by life-threatening medical conditions. Any size used ink cartridge (home or office) can be brought to a Parrot Head Meeting and given to **Ray Cross**.

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, 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.



Welcome our new member to the phlock!!
Alexandra Fackrell



MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THESE UPCOMING SOCIALS



Wednesday, June 19, 6:00-9:00pm -- Music Bingo. (Bingo starts at 7pm). Sloppy Seconds Bar and Grill, 4356 Holland Road, VB 23452. Dinner and Wing specials

Saturday, June 15, 1:00pm – House Concert with Donnie Brewer our hosts Diana and John Stankiewicz, 165 Currituck Ridge Dr, Currituck NC 27929. A \$20 donation per person is requested. Bring lawn chairs and a dish to share. BYOB

Saturday, August 17, 2:00-6:00pm -- Pool Party and Cook Out at the home of Ray Cross.

Sunday, September 8, 12:00 noon – Norfolk Tides Game



IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN!

**The ALZHEIMER'S Walk is
Saturday, September 21, 2024**

**Chesapeake City Park
PLEASE JOIN US!**

Go here to Join:

<http://act.alz.org/goto/PHCOT>

**For more info: Contact Kathy Jamerson at
jamerson57@yahoo.com or 757-407-7335**



***Help
Wanted!***

Our club is in need of someone with IT skills that can manage our website. If you know of anyone or are interested, please contact Herb Holzheter, Communications Director, at parrotherb@aol.com.

"Keeping the Party Going Happenings"

FINS ON THE FANTAIL
A TRIBUTE TO JIMMY BUFFETT

Saturday, June 15
5-8:30
Nauticus, Norfolk

Parrot Head Club of Richmond
30th Anniversary Party
[a *Stars on the Water* encore]

August 2-4, 2024

Original Coral Reefer Roger Bartlett
Drop Dead Dangerous (Loaded)
Dave McKenney and Hungry Hard Luck Heroes
Jesse Rice John Frinzi
Robbie Meade Donnie Howard
Emily Randle Klee Liles

Come join us for the Parrot Head Club of Richmond's 30th Anniversary Celebration! It's time to put on our tropical shirts, grab our margaritas, and party like it's 1994! This in-person event will be held at the **Virginia Crossings Hotel & Conference Center** in Glen Allen, VA.

More details and registration online at <http://phcor.com/30party/>

SedaliaFest: Labor Day Weekend Show

Sedalia Remembers Jimmy Buffett

August 30-31, 2024

Calling all Parrot Heads and Beach Bums!!
Amazing line-up featuring Bluffett band.

More information at:
<https://www.sedaliacenter.org/sedaliafest/>

Parrot Heads in Paradise, Inc. presents

MEETING OF THE MINDS

MOTM

Gulf Shores
Alabama

PHiP's Annual Meeting of the Minds 2024

Tuesday, October 22nd – Sunday, October 27th, 2024

I HAVE FOUND ME A HOME

MOTM is the annual PHiP convention held annually during the end of October and beginning of November. While previously hosted in New Orleans and Key West, the new home of MOTM is Gulf Shores, Alabama and is always subject to change. It is open to any member of a PHiP sanctioned Parrot Head Club covering several days and nights of friendship, fun, food and great music, with a few optional meetings and seminars thrown in the mix.



PHCOT IS PROUD TO ANNOUNCE A PHLOATING ON THE CARNIVAL SUNSHINE

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

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

Deadline for this pricing is April 12, 2024!! After that pricing will be up to Carnival.



Cruise Package Includes

\$100.00 onboard credit

Champagne and Chocolates on Embarkation

Shared 1 hour cocktail party



Norfolk

Nassau

Bimini

Freeport

**GET ON BOARD TODAY
BOOK NOW**



Phil Hines, Cruise consultant
PhilHines@TheTravelersCaddy.com

June PHlocker Birthdays!

Graham Hallowes June 3
 Neil Gerke June 7
 Ralph Harris June 8
 Debbie Harbour June 9
 Colleen Cannon June 10
 Micki Johnson June 12
 Robbie Meade June 12
 Lynn Gerke June 16
 Joey Wood June 17
 Debbie Rodergues June 19
 Charles Weaver June 21
 Bryan Koenig June 22
 Linda Barnes June 25
 Scott Pitz June 25
 Andrea Frees June 27
 Larry Mesce June 27
 Michael ProKopchak June 27

June PHlocker Anniversaries!

David Rosedale 6-1-2005
 Susan Harris 6-2-1998
 Bobby Lee Hensley 6-5-2011
 Lorretta Silvia 6-5-2011
 Tom Cannon 6-5-2012
 Colleen Cannon 6-5-2012
 Billy Goodson 6-24-2006

Communication Corner

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

PHIP.com - Parrot Heads In Paradise, Inc.
 *Official Website
 Check out the PHIP TradewindTimes
 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.

UPCOMING PHLOCKINGS -

AIA PHC Beach Bash
 June 13-16, 2024
 Fernandina Beach, Amelia Island FL

Stars on the Water
 August 2-4, 2024
 Richmond, VA

"TROP ROCK" ON THE RADIO -
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WWW.RADIOA1A.COM
WWW.BEACHFRONTRADIO.COM
WWW.RADIOTROPROCK.COM
WWW.TIKIMANRADIO.COM
WWW.RADIOTROPROCK.COM
WWW.SONGWRITERSISLAND.COM
WWW.SUMMERWINDRADIO.COM
WWW.BEACHRADIOSTATION.COM

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

“When the Wild Life Betrays Me” Calendar

June

Tue 4th **Club Meeting**
AJ Gators 7:30 pm

Sat 15th **Donny Brewer**
Ohana Farm
Currituck NC

Wed 19th **Music Bingo**
Sloppy Seconds
Bar & Grille, VB

Thurs 27th **July Beakon Submission**
Deadline 5 pm

July

Tues 2nd **Club Meeting**
AJ Gators 7:30 pm

Sun 7th **Will Kimbrough**
Joe Trost’s Home

Thur Aug 1st **August Beakon Submission**
Deadline 5 pm

August

Tues 6th **Club Meeting**
AJ Gators 7:30 pm

Sun 3rd **Crawdaddy Jones**
Norfolk Collegiate

Sat 17th **Pool Party and Cook Out**

Thur 29th **September Beakon Submission**
Deadline 5 pm



WE’VE GOT SPACE FOR YOU!!!

SEE YOUR MUG HERE

Advertise in the *BEAKON!*
Just \$75 per year for a business-card sized ad!!!

For advertising information, please contact Scott Pitz at crabphin@aol.com



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.

