

PARROT HEAD POOP

PARROT HEADS FLAP INTO FALL

Hard to believe the tail end of summer is here and the hurricane season is slowing down; we dodged Hurricane Earl, hopefully no more to come. Earl didn't stop the Parrot Heads from PHlocking on our regularly appointed PHirst PHriday of the month with a pig pickin', Jack and Dickie making guitar and fiddle strings sing, and tales of storms past and daring do on the Island. A fifty-fifty raffle to help out a Parrot Head in Need (Carl Lobland) with a surgery gathered \$250 and the winner turned back her half to the cause just because. Good people... ya gotta love 'em. Thanks to everyone for all their support in helping out!

Michael and Mindy put together the 3rd Annual Coast Is Clear Under the Pier Party and did an outstanding job.

"The Coast is Clear Under the Pier" party (tastefully put together by Parrot Heads Michael, Mindy and crew) to celebrate the wind down of the busy season and the chance for locals to take a break and chill while the beaches are still warm and welcoming. Wish I had a picture of the hot dog helpers (also known as the weiny wrappers) to show off their hard work but alas, you will have to use your imagination. We had an absolutely per-

fect day (even though the waves were a bit over the top and a few Parrot Heads lost their footing when wading in the waves...if you know what I mean) We raised \$543 in donations and raffle ticket sales to benefit Breast Cancer Research. Everyone brought something to share, ate lots of hotdogs and had a chance to just hang out in the sun and play some games and catch up on everyone's summer. We had some great prizes for the raffle ticket winners thanks to all the hard work of a few dedicated Parrot Heads. A really good PARTY WITH A PURPOSE!



A Beach takeover by the Parrot Heads with plenty to eat, drink and games to play.

John &
Tara Dyer
should
have
won a
prize for
their contribution
of Margarita Cupcakes..Del
ish.



OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

Want to celebrate your birthday with the Parrot Heads? Any member (see the list) who has a birthday in October receives a free Margarita or Corona at the October PHlocking at the Emerald Club on FRIDAY OCTOBER 1ST. The free drink is available only to those celebrating their birthday in October and can only be used at the October PHlocking. The catch isyou have to find Ken Stone at the PHlocking that night to get your free drink coupon. If we missed anyone, so sorry, bring proof of date of birth to get your coupon and we'll add you to the database for the future. Be sure to check the membership roster to make sure we have

**** October 10 Leonard Crumpler October 11 Charl Upchurch October 17 Barbara Morgan October 18 Erin Sheldon October 18 Dan Ruge October 23 Wendy Gollihue October 24 Spencer Foster October 25 Kelley Nelson October 26 Kim Martino October 27 Louise Ehrenkaufer October 30 Melelia Bass

AREA FUNDRAISERS

October 16th - Town of Emerald Isle is holding their annual Ttriathlon at the Eastern Regional Access. In the past we have helped to coordinate volunteers from our club who were willing to help. This year we are asking you to sign up directly with the Town to help with the event. They have a sign up sheet at the Recreation Center where you can sign up for the "job" that interests you the most. You can also give a call to 354-6350 to let them know you can help. In addition, the Emerald Isle Bicycle and Pedestrian Committee will be holding a fundraiser at the Triathlon selling dogs, burgers and more to benefit the future expansion of Emerald Isle Bike Paths. If you can help with this, please contact Ken Stone at 354-4434 or sstone9@ec.rr.com ASAP

October 16th - A charity Golf Tournament at Silver Creek to raise funds for the future expansion of the Emerald Isle Bike Paths. Best Ball Tourney, \$100 per team. 8 am check in, 9am start. Pre registration required. See the information at the Town Web site or call Randy at 252-342-5096 for more information.

October 29th - Town of Emerald Isle is hosting a Halloween Carnival from 6-8 PM. If you are looking for an excuse to dress up for Halloween, this is your chance. They are always in need of volunteers. Call 354-6350

November 5th - Western Carteret Public Library will host the Fall Card and Dessert Party at 12:30 at Western Park Community Center. \$10/person—tickets available now. Call Diane at 354.2916 or check with the Library. All money goes to expand the children's activity area!!

The Board will be meeting in October and will set a date for the <u>PHluff UP</u> the <u>PHlock</u> (revitalization) Party. We are looking to add some new energy to the leadership of the Emerald Isle Parrot Heads which now has close to 200 members. Pretty good for a small little beach town area. I will send out a note with the date and details soon. We have lots of events that we can use some help with and are looking for a few good Parrot Heads who will provide some leadership, planning and energy.



WHAT'S UP NEXT????

OCTOBER

October 1st - First Friday PHlocking at 7:30 at the Emerald Club.

October 2nd - Highway Litter Pick up. Meet at 11 am at the Emerald Club. Sign up will be at the October Phlocking or call or email Jean Jensen 607-759-7159, belguimboy@aol.com

October 16th - Emerald Isle Triathlon. The town counts on us to come up with a few able bodied folks to help with all sorts of jobs (my favorite job is writing the numbers in permanent markers on the bodies of the competitors.....) If you are willing to help, please stop by the Recreation Center to sign up for the job you would like or call 354-6350. Please consider helping out with this event.

NOVEMBER

November 27th - Emerald Isle Holiday Parade Parrot Head Float building. We will once again have use of a wonderful Trolley to decorate and ride courtesy of the Coastal Outlet (thanks Sandy and Carl....) We need a



few good Parrot
Heads to decorate the trolley
creatively and
lots of Parrot
Heads to ride.
We will need 2-3
point persons
for this as Sue

and Ken will be out of town this year. Sign up sheet will be at the PHlocking.

Welcome our new

Parrot Heads.

Don't forget to introduce them to other members.

If you are new and I have left you off, sorry. Let me know.

- Beth & Steve Strader from Wilson
- Diane Tyrrell from Emerald Isle
- Mary Catherine Thomas from Greenville
- Teresa Bloom from Cape Carteret
- Greg & Vikki Sickels from Swansboro
- Steven Palaschak from Mt. Holly, NJ
- Kim & Mark Martino from Columbus, NJ
- Debbie Boone from Winston-Salem
- Charl Upchurch from Euquay-Varina

Good news, the reorder of the t-shirts is in thanks to Rita Babich and Joan Gerdsen who have take over the T-shirt business for our

Club. They will be selling the new shirts (\$10) at the Phlocking.

They have yellow and lime green shirts this

time. There is an assortment of regular T-shirts and v-neck and tank top shirts for the ladies. While supplies last! When we run out we can reorder again.

Rita is also hoping the Coast Is Clear T-shirts for \$12 will be in by the PHlocking for those who ordered shirts. We couldn't get all the colors everyone asked for but I'm sure you will love the t-shirts.



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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS



FRIDAY NIGHT PHLOCKING

October 1st 7:30

AT THE EMERALD CLUB

Scearce & Ketner will be playing outside from 7-11

DJ Inside

Board Contact Information

<u>President and Founder</u>): Mike Haut 910-526-5877 mhaut@ec.rr.com

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Standing Committees

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- PHlocking Committee: ??????
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