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AUGUST 2018

**Saturday, August 25, 9:30 am
Membership Meeting
at the Loveless Civic Center**

Meeting and voting for officers and director

Also save the following dates:

Saturday, September 22, Meeting 9:30 am

Saturday, October 13, 90th Annual Oyster-Bull

Roast, 1 pm-4 pm OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Saturday, October 27, 9:30 am, last HPCA meeting of the year

Saturday, December 8, HPCA Members' Holiday Party

Board Meetings: September 22. December 6, 7pm

Nominating Committee Report:

President, Woody Young (Although limited to 2 terms, has agreed to serve for one year, with election in 2019.)

Vice President, Jack Bannister

Treasurer, Terri Sisk

Corresponding Secretary, Ann Parks

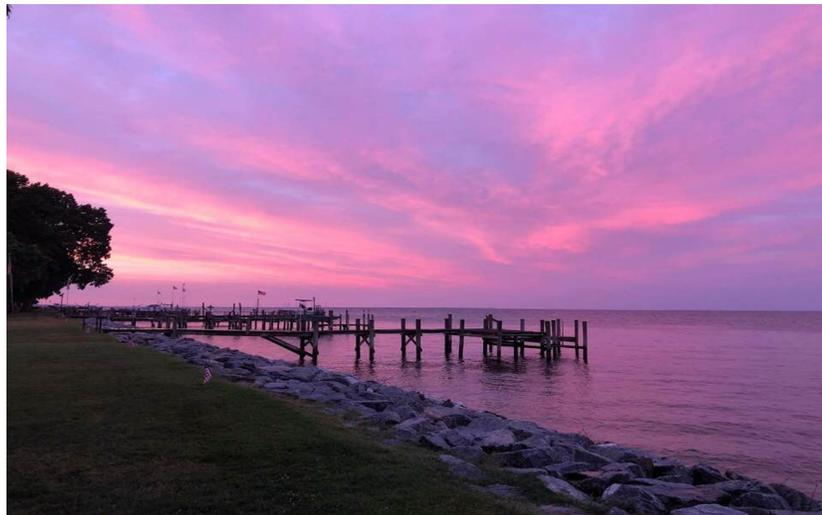
Recording Secretary, Bonnie Lefkowitz

Membership Chair, Gayle Shumate

Director, Larry Brown

Directors are elected for a 3-year term. Directors Wyman and Pulse were elected in previous years.

This is a sunset over the bay. Photo by Sandra Timko



Recap of last meeting

Seth Howard, representing our district in Annapolis, reported details about some areas of interest to us. One was the funding for school safety, the Chesapeake Bay (“lock box” ensures the fund won’t be raided for other expenses), and “recovery services” for persons with addiction. Also he assured us that gambling funds will go toward education. Maryland reinstated a \$500 deduction for long term insurance. He further demonstrated what a good friend he is by jumping into the controversy about the possible closing of the 261 bridge and attending a special meeting with HPCA, Rose Haven, representatives of the State Highway Administration, North Beach and AA County Fire Chiefs and representative from AA County. A petition was developed and sent included Seth, Mark Fisher, Michelle Corkadel, to the State Highway Administration. Howard additionally showed support by providing his cellphone: 443-831-9508.

Membership. Gayle reported that we now have 121 HPCA members.

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Financial Report: Profit and Loss: Income: Building Rentals \$1,600, Membership \$525, Total \$2,125. Expenses: Building \$380, Pay Pal Charge \$38.72, Tax \$85.26, Utilities: gas/electric \$96.97, utilities \$26.93, Total Expenses \$627.88. **Net income \$1,497.12.** **Assets:** Checking/Savings: Checking \$41,253.62, Erosion Control \$8,153.04, Savings \$34,323.47, Security and Building Fund \$11,086.62, Total Assets **\$94,816.75.** (8/9/18)

-**Mosquito Spraying** takes place after 7:30 pm Sunday. Some residents said they had not yet noticed spraying on their street.

-**Light pollution.** Attendees mentioned problems with lights on piers and the Bay front when no one was using the area.

-**Problems?** In Anne Arundel County, you can call 311 and operators can refer you to people who can help with your problem. Also, don’t forget our Constituent Services Officer, Office of the County Executive in Annapolis, Michelle Corkadel: 410-222-1241. Non-emergency police number: 410-222-8610.

-**Disinfectant.** Spray surface with 1:1 vinegar and water. Thoroughly wipe dry. Then spray with Hydrogen Peroxide. Wipe off. Use sponge or cloth or paper towel. Claims that this 2-step process cleans better than bleach and less toxic. (Mandy O’Brien, biologist and author)

-**Safer drug** for pain relief. Acetaminophen (Tylenol) is the safest pain reliever when taken properly. Other pain relievers contain ibuprofen (Advil or naproxen (Aleve) —these nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drugs may raise risk for stomach bleeding or heart attack. (Editor knows that is TRUE.) Limit acetaminophen to 4000 mg or less to prevent liver damage. *Mayo Clinic.com.*

-**Bananas** ripen more quickly if you leave them connected at the stem.

-**Moderate drinking** may help prevent bone loss in older women. Post-menopausal women who were moderate drinkers (1/2 to 2 drinks/day, mostly wine), stopped drinking for two weeks. Their bone turnover rate increased by 4-6%. When they resumed drinking, the rate fell to normal in just one day. Oregon State University study by Iwaniec, associate professor at Skeletal Biology Laboratory.

Words from Woody

On Saturday October 13th Holland Point will be celebrating the 90th anniversary of our community Oyster/Bull Roast. This event is not only a fund raiser for HPCA but more importantly an opportunity for residents, neighbors and their families to come together and share a joyous good time. Although the highlight of this day is Our Beloved Chesapeake Bay Oyster (served raw, steamed and roasted) there is also prime roast beef that is grilled to perfection along with all the wonderful fixings.

What makes this day especially meaningful is a community working together, namely, our volunteers who are indispensable in all facets of making this Roast possible.

So let's "get on this wagon" early--put Saturday October 13th on your calendar so we can be assured of a record turnout and please commit to being a volunteer.

Tickets and flyers will be available at the August and September meeting along with a volunteer sign-up sheet.

If you are a boater there are of all sorts of trash and debris floating in the Bay.--On July 29th, 30th and 31st the Conowingo Dam operators, Exelon, opened 22 of the 50 gates releasing tons and tons of debris and sediment into the Chesapeake Bay. Please be alert!!!!!!!!!!!!

The next HPCA meeting is on Saturday August 25th at 9:30 am --- elections will take place and hopefully we will have an update on the MD 261 proposed closing.

Please try and attend!

-Woody

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Kudos to all the volunteers who help guide HPCA as the organization works to keep the "easy-going" lifestyle we enjoy in this beautiful area. We welcome newcomers and hope they will get involved by attending the membership meetings and assisting at such events as our upcoming Oyster-Bull Roast. You can spend a little time helping to set up tables, serve food, slice meat, oversee the Bake Table with homemade goodies, handout drinks, and help clean up. It's really fun to participate.

One long-time volunteer is our historian, Janet Bates. You may remember her description of the "Sinyard House" last year. It was one of the early houses (1926) and during the 30-s and 40's was a boarding house and restaurant. Accommodating up to 22 people, the house was a safe vacation venue for women from Washington, DC, many of whom worked for the federal government and sought relief from summer heat. (Before air-conditioning, the government sent workers home early!) Mrs. Sinyard cooked and served her guests from a large cast-iron stove and the \$1 chicken dinners are fondly remembered by more than one current resident. The house is now owned by our own recording Secretary, Bonnie Lefkowitz. If you have not seen the book, *Holland Point*, you can look at and purchase one at the Oyster-Bull Roast.

Officers and Directors 2017-2018

President: Woody Young 410-286-5556

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Recording Secretary: Bonnie Lefkowitz 301-812-0431

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Treasurer: Terri Sisk 410-610-7906

Membership: Gayle Shumate 410-286-9349

Directors: Carol Wyman, 410-257-7275; Lester Pulse 301-812-0906
Bryan Waddell, 703-304-0753

Building Manager/Rental: Darla Dean 301-807-7921

Welcome Committee Gayle Shumate 410-286-9349

Webmaster: Barbara Moskowitz www.hollandpoint.org

Patronize Our HPCA Members (2017)

-Sisk Auto Body, Owings. 301-855-5525. Doug Sisk Family.

-Healing Arts Center, 9129 Bay Ave., N Beach. 410-286-9110. Valerie Watson, massage therapy.

-Chesapeake Bay Reiki: Holistic Healing System at Healing Arts Center. Joy Baker 410-703-3224

The Wheel Clothing Store, 7th St North Beach Celia Molofsky 410-286-0000

Watson Construction and Development: New, remodel, more. 301-674-7477

Julian's Hair Design Dunkirk, Joan Cook & Teresa Whitten 410-286-0800

Posten's Fitness for Life. Scott & Jackie Chamberlin. 301-327-5246

Herrington Harbour Marinas. Holland Point, LLC: 410-741-5100

St. Clair Home Improvement LLC. Walter St. Clair. 410-991-2257

Marrick Properties, Inc. Jay & Margie Webster. 301-855-3828

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