

Drum Point Club

Summer 2022 Newsletter

Dear Members,

Summer is well upon us: the water is warm, the ospreys circle overhead, and the thunderstorms roll in uninvited. Fortunately, the sea nettles have not yet invaded in force. Let's keep our fingers crossed.

In club news, the Board has elected new officers for the year. The new president is Eric Andreas (formerly vice president). Our vice president is Mary Ann McGowan (formerly president). Johanna Icaza will be our treasurer for a second term, and Tim Hansen will replace Ed Luczak as Secretary. We want to thank everyone for their time and service to the club.

We're also excited to announce that the club will be sponsoring a basic yoga class starting on August 2nd. Classes will be on Tuesdays from 6-7pm at the clubhouse and are limited to members and their guests. So come join us for a Hatha-style yoga class that is great for any ability level. Bring a yoga mat, block, strap, and water to ensure that you are ready to participate in this hour-long class. The physical practices of yoga are known to help to improve flexibility, balance, and strength. Mentally, yoga provides tools to combat stress and improve concentration. Spiritually, yoga invites one to become closer to his or her authentic self. A five-dollar donation per person is suggested to compensate the instructor for her time. Attendees are required to complete an informed consent liability waiver and release to participate in yoga classes.

In addition to Octoberfest, another bird walk, and an open-mic planned for this fall (dates to be announced), the club will also be hosting a second murder mystery dinner. This time the theme will be James Bond (007), Murder at the Casino Royal. This event will be held inside the clubhouse on October 22 from 6–9:30 pm. You can choose to be a suspect and have an active role or you can attend the dinner and just watch the action and guess “who done it.” Either way, reservations are required. If you sign up for a part,

the scripts and details will be provided weeks in advance, so you can get into your character. There are seats for 40 guests: 20 suspect speaking roles and 20 non-suspects (observers). There is no charge for the event but all guests will be contacted to bring an appetizer, side dish or dessert to share and augment the dinner's main course, which will be provided by the club. This is also a BYOB event. Contact Maggie Johnson for reservations at (804) 651-1087 for reservations and any questions about the event. All reservations for either suspect and non-suspect roles, will be first come-first served basis and Maggie will begin taking reservations on September 23, 2022.

Finally, if you did not know already, the club has two canoes on the rack next to the pier. These are for member use. Unfortunately, we recently found them on the beach unattended and one of the paddles missing. We plan to secure these with a cable lock in the future and will let you know the code.

Have a great summer,

The Drum Point Club Board