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FALL 2015/WINTER 2016



**Deltaville Yachting Center** & Chesapeake Yacht Sales P.O. Box 388

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**Captain Chris Training** 

**Boaters' Boot Camp** 

**DYC Service Work** 





Lew & Onna cruising Champagne Region, France aboard "Zwerver"

#### 1st DyCpool swimmer 2015, Bill Gau "Bellie Laughin"



Faces of Boating



Downwind view on Catalina 36
"Reiblekate" w/Peyton & Denise Kash



Mainship Rendezvous Visitors, Ted & Pat



Bon Voyage, You will be missed, Joanne & Bill Zizus "Aquarius"



Labor Day Fun at DyC

### Dates to Remember

October 15-18 Hampton Snowbird Rendezvous www.hamptonrendezvous.com

**October 19-21** ICW Sail To Sun Rally in Deltaville, Va.

**October 24** Chesapeake Yacht Sales Boat Show & Open House 9am-4:30pm info@dycboat.com

**November 26** CYS & DYC Offices & Service Dept. & Boatel Closed-Happy Thanksgiving!

**November 28 (Sat)** CYS & DYC offices Closed- DYC Boatel Open- CYS Brokerage By Appointment Only

**December 5** Boaters' Boutique 'SANTA SALE' 9 am to 4:30 pm

**December 11** Deltaville Community Christmas Creek Cruise at DCA building www.deltavilleva.com

**December 19-27** CYS & DYC Offices & Service dept. Closed for Holidays

**December 21-25** DYC Boatel Closed for Holidays

**December 19-20 DYC Boatel Open** 

December 26-27 DYC Boatel Open

**December 28-31** CYS & DYC Offices & Service Dept & Boatel Opened

January 1 CYS & DYC Offices & Service Dept & Boatel Closed

January 1-March 31 DYC Boatel Closed for Winter

**February 20** Virginia Safe Boating Class @ DYC by Coast Guard Aux. Flotilla 62. Seating Limited. Register now with onna@dycboat.com

March 19-20 'Get On The Water'
2 Day Training w/ Captain Chris
\$99 per person. Choosing a boat
to navigating ICW or Great Loop.
Seating Limited. Register now with
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**April 1** DYC Boatel Opens for Season

April 2016 Is CATALINA MONTH at DYC: Win a Factory Tour, Catalina T-shirts or a Day Sail aboard a Catalina! To enter submit your name, email, phone # to onna@dycboat.com

**April 16** 'ROMP AT RIVAH' SALE at Boaters' Boutique @ DYC

May 7-8 Deltaville Dealer Days Boat Show @ DYC info@dycboat.com

May 27 DYC Pool Opens

**May 10-13** Great Loop Rendezvous in Norfolk

June 11 Boaters' Party (Pot Luck Dinner & Band) at DYC Captains Lounge & Pool. 6:30 – 10 pm. RSVP total attending with onna@dycboat.com

June 11 FREE Vessel Inspections at DYC 8am-2pm. Register with onna@ dycboat.com

June 25-26 Two Day (1 day classroom/1 day onboard boats)
Boaters' Boot Camp @ DYC by
Richmond Sail & Power Squadron.
\$200 per person includes 1 year
RSPS membership, software &
textbooks. Special \$200 per couple/
family rate. Seating Limited.
For Info or to Register email
richmondboatclub@yahoo.com
(Additional Boot Camp Dates: July
23-24 & August 13-14)

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### **DYC Boaters' Party 2015**

The 2015 DYC Boaters' Party was a wonderful June evening of friends, family and music. As always the Pot Luck Dinner food was great! Lew and Onna celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary with a dance under the stars to 'Ashokan Farewell', thanks to the The Delvers Band. The 2016 DYC Boaters' Party is scheduled for June 11th. 1







### **Keep Your Marina Safe**

#### **Notice Safety Practices**

\* Help us keep DYC Waters clean and safe by obeying the 'NO SWIMMING IN MARINA BASIN' signs. Swimming in any marina basin can be hazardous due to the potential of underwater objects, moving vessels and stray electrical currents.



- \* Life Rings have been posted every 200 feet around DYC. Please use these safety floatation items in the event of 'man overboard' at DYC. 90 ft of line is included. Throw ring toward person in water without impacting that person, while holding line tightly in other hand. After person grabs onto life ring, carefully pull them to nearest dock ladder.
- \* Diagrams of DYC docks are posted in all public bathrooms, showing locations of dock ladders & fire extinguishers.



\* Fire Extinguishers are clearly posted on docks and inside buildings at DYC. Do not tamper with these extinguishers except in the event of fire. Boaters should not attempt to put out a fire without first dialing 9-1-1. Location= Deltaville Yachting Center, 18355 General Puller Highway, Deltaville, Va. Emergency Call Instructions are posted in all buildings at DYC. 1

### **Shoreline Clean Up**

#### **Every Hand Helps**



Each Fall DYC participates in the Clean Virginia Waterways Project. September 28th, immediately following the tropical wind and tide event which blew lots of debris ashore, DYC picked up trash. As usual, the majority of trash was food wrap related, with plastic bottles, trays and straws filling up our trash bags.

At the DYC picnic area you will find the S.O.S. (Save Our Shore) canister with trash bags at the ready for all 'helping hands'. Anytime you are on the water and see trash at the shore's edge, please take the time to pick it up and dispose of it. The S.O.S. project was started in Maryland and DYC owner, Onna Grimm, contacted them to see if DYC boaters could participate. As Middlesex County's first Virginia Clean Marina, we know you care about keeping the waterways clean! ↓



#### **10 Years at DYC**

#### **Congratulations- Laura Powell, DYC Marina Administrator**

Laura Powell, DYC Marina Administrator and Service Writer, celebrated 10 years with DYC this August. Over the years Laura has helped many boaters and

DYC marine technicians by ordering parts, coordinating service work and managing invoices. Laura has also been a positive force behind the Boaters' Boutique' and DYC Ship's Store. If you have attended DYC boating classes or events, you have met Laura. Lew Grimm, DYC Service Manager, often says 'I am happy to give technical guidance and answer

LEFT: LAURA THEN BELOW: LAURA NOW

your service questions, but if Laura doesn't know about your workorder....it isn't happening.' We thank Laura for her cheerful attitude and excellent work ethic and look forward to many years ahead working together. \$\ddot\$





#### **Pay No Boat Tax For Temporary Boat Needs**

If you haul out, are scheduled for service work or come to DYC with the intent of listing your vessel with Chesapeake Yacht Sales brokerage, you are considered here on a temporary basis for specific reason and will not be expected to pay Middlesex County boat personal property tax.



Schedule your haul out and winter service work now. to get on DYC's busy winter work order list.

Winterizations are completed

in the order work order was received and with consideration to the boaters specific date request.

Contact Laura Powell to complete your work order today. laura@dycboat.com 1



### **Middlesex County to Consider Boat Tax Issue**

#### **Contact Board of Supervisors By November 15**

Middlesex County has always been 'The Boating Capital of the Chesapeake'. Visit the Deltaville Maritime Museum and you will see the history which confirms this fact. Each county in Virginia determines their personal property tax rate for boats and motors. Middlesex County has a low personal property tax on boats. However, Deltaville Yachting Center, other marinas and marine businesses located in Middlesex County are fighting for further reduction or elimination of the personal property tax on boats in our county. Discussions are currently underway with the Middlesex County Board of Supervisors and Commissioner of Revenue.

We know you love boating in the Deltaville area. If you would like to let Middlesex County know your opinion about Middlesex County's Personal Property Taxes on Boats & Motors, please send your letters to the following by November 15, 2015: **CONTINUED ON PAGE 7** 



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#### Middlesex County Board of Supervisors

Elizabeth Hurd, P.O. Box 946, Deltaville, VA 23043

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Robert LeBoeuf, 1411 Wilton Creek Road Hartfield, VA 23071

Middlesex County Administrator

Matt Walker, P.O. Box 428, Saluda, VA 23149

#### **New Faces at DYC and CYS**

## Nathan Snead, Mack McCreary & Holly Oliver Join Crew



Nathan Snead balances a busy schedule as both DYC Service Technician and CYS Yacht Broker. Since Nathan loves both power

and sail boats, his work here is making him happy. Nathan maintains a Captains License, worked on offshore fishing boats in N.C., has sailed all sizes of boats and currently crews in local regattas. His technical skills and energy level makes him an asset to the DYC Service department. Nathan's knowledge of both power and sail,

has helped CYS brokerage customers as they search for the perfect boat. Nathan looks forward to meeting you in either service or sales.



Holly Oliver is the voice on the phone and the smiling face as you enter the front door.
Holly is working as Chesapeake Yacht Sales Administrative



Assistant and is responsible for coordination of all boat listings. Holly designs the eblasts which you receive and makes sure that DYC and CYS social media is up to date. Many small details that make DYC professional are produced by Holly, with Laura Powell backing her up. Be sure to introduce yourself to Holly the next time you visit the marina.



Mack McCreary brings several technical certifications along with years of experience to the DYC Service Department.

Mack holds the ABYC Master Tech certification, with ABYC Marine Systems, ABYC Standards, ABYC Diesel Engine and ABYS Marine Electrical certificates. He also has factory training from Yanmar, Cummins, ABT-TRAC Stabilizers/
Thrusters/Hydraulics, Marine Air Conditioning/
Heating & Refrigeration. In September, Mr.
McCreary received Virginia State Journeyman
Certification for Advanced Marine Technician and also traveled to Charlotte, NC for a 5 day Electrical Theory & Troubleshooting course at Cummins
Training Center. \$\P\$



### **DYC/CYS Proud Sponsors**

#### **Deltaville Yachting Center and Chesapeake Yacht Sales** are proud to help sponsor events that encourage boating:

America's Great Loop Cruisers' Association www.greatloop.org Hampton Snowbird Rendezvous www.hamptonrendezvous.com Hampton Sunfish Challenge & Long Distance Dinghy Race www.hrsunfishrace.com Southern Chesapeake Leukemia Cup Regatta www.leukemiacup.org/va Waterway Guide's ICW Race to Sun Rally www.waterwayguide.com Chesapeake Mainship Group http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ChesapeakeMainshipGroup Richmond Sail & Power Squadron richmondboatclub@yahoo.com U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 62 Deltaville hutton@va.metrocast.net

## Questions about Navigation?

Go to www.dycboat.com "LINKS" and Choose -Navigation Center of Excellence www.navcen.uscg.gov





#### 'Plane 2 Sea'

#### **We Should Have Done It Sooner**

Cruisers Blog: www.plane2seaadventures.blogspot.com

Great Loop cruisers, Kay and Charlie Woodard and their trusty companion, Garmin, of Fort Worth, TX stopped at DYC for service work before continuing on their way. Their plans for the next 12 months include completing America's Great Loop including months in Florida, summer in Canada and some time in Hopetown, Bahamas. Charlie says they know they chose the perfect boat for them, a 1995 Jefferson 46, because it has room for 6 people for beverages, 4 dinner guests and only 2 live boards....Kay and Charlie.

Charlie is a private pilot and a retired professional fire fighter, who has always had some sort of boat. As a kid, he played on a fiberglass runabout and



later moved up to a 21' deck boat, 41 Chris Craft cruiser and finally 'Plane 2 Sea'. 1

Kay is a home town girl from South Louisiana, who always loved the water. She began boating with family in a small fishing boat, bought a 26' Bar Harbor and went on to enjoy the Chris Craft 41 with Charlie on Eagle Mountain Lake. continued on Page 9



Together they decided to venture outside the land locked lake, which led to the purchase of 'Plane 2 Sea'.

When the couple began discussing what to do during their retirement, they explored by attending the American Great Loop Rendezvous in Norfolk, Va. After 7 years of searching for the right boat, they purchased the Jefferson 46, and called Captain Chris & Alyse Caldwell www. askcaptainchris.com to schedule onboard training. (PLEASE NOTE THE MARCH 19 & 20 GET ON THE WATER CLASS BY CAPTAIN CHRIS AT DYC. CONTACT onna@dycboat.com TO SIGN UP

BEFORE CLASS IS FULL. SEE ARTICLE 'GET ON THE WATER'.)

Kay and Charlie say 'sell all the stuff...you do not need as much as have...we don't miss anything we got rid of'. They continued 'don't be tied to a schedule, be flexible. Watch the weather and remember it is better to be in port wishing you were underway, than to be under way...wishing you were in port.' Our friends and family have been excited and wanting to understand it all. 'We have even talked one set of friends into buying their own 53' Hatteras!'

When asked the best and worst part of their cruising, the couple said 'visually, the Dismal Swamp was one of the best parts...just amazing... like glass for 20 miles. We also love having something historical or cultural to do each day wherever we are.' The worst part brought about a laugh. 'Walking our dog, Garmin in the rain is no fun. He has adapted well, but when we are docked, he wants a walk regardless of the weather. To be totally honest the only real negative we can think of is that we should have done this cruising retirement sooner.'

### **Chesapeake Yacht Sales Is Selling Boats**

#### Annapolis Boat Show & CYS Fall Open House & Boat Show, Oct. 24th

Chesapeake Yacht Sales has been blessed with an excellent year of boat sales. With three full time yacht brokers covering the office Monday through Saturday (and Sunday by appointment), many boats have been listed and sold. It is a joy to see boaters enjoying their boats in Deltaville or shipping them to other parts of the U.S. and Canada. CYS brokers find boats for boaters, no matter where the boat is listed for sale, guiding them every step of the way.

CYS Brokers were in Annapolis during the U.S. Sail Boat Show promoting all CYS brokerage listings as well as new Catalina Yachts.

Come visit Deltaville Yachting Center on Saturday, October 24th for the CYS Fall Open House &

Boat Show. The 2015 Catalina 315 will be ready for sea trials by appointment, all CYS brokerage boats (power & sail) will be on display and Onna is making BBQ sandwiches to keep everyone energized.



Call 804-776-9898 to talk with Carl Hawkins, Cori Williams or Nathan Snead about your next boat or if Chesapeake Yacht Sales can help you sell your current boat. ↓

### Schedule your Sea Trial aboard 2015 Catalina 315

## 2015 Catalina 315



#### ALL STANDARD EQUIPMENT INCLUDING:

- √ 21 HP Yanmar Diesel Engine FWC w/Reduction Gear-
- √ Three Blade Bronze Propeller
- √ 135% Genoa, with U.V. Protection
- √ Stern Rail w/ Observation Seats
- √ Transom Boarding Platform
- ✓ Telescopic Stern Boarding Ladder
- √ Large Anchor Roller on Foredeck
- Marine Battery Charger
- ✓ Teak & Holly Textured Laminate Sole
- ✓ 2 Burner Stainless Steel L.P.G. Stove with Oven
- √ Refrigeration, D.C. Powered System w/Freezer Section
- ✓ Hot & Cold Pressure Water Distribution System
- ✓ Selden In-Mast Furling System; Double Spreader
- ✓ Hot & Cold Shower Mounted in Transom Boarding Area



- Watertight collision bulkhead and StrikeZone impactabsorbing chamber forward
- ✓ DeepDefense rudder system for failsafe steering
- ✓ SecureSocket mast support chainplate system for perfect load resolution and watertight integrity
- Cast lead (not iron) keels for superior stability and safety
- ✓ Teak wood detailed interiors

#### OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT INCLUDED:

- Raymarine Ray55 VHF: DSC VHF with Full Function 2nd Station and Mast Mounted Antenna
- Fiberglass Cockpit Table w/Fiberglass Leaves
- ✓ Folding Door Enclosure for Forward Cabin
- ✓ Rigid Rub Rail PVC with Stainless Cover
- Micro Wave Oven AC Powered
- √ Wing Keel

#### **SAVINGS BONUS!**

Captain's choice:

\$10,000 CASH DISCOUNT OFF SALE PRICE OR





#### 2015 Catalina 315 EQUIPPED AS SHOWN,

\$137,153

Chesapeake Yacht Sales Price
Catalina Yachts Suggested Retail Price

(when \$10,000 cash incentive is chosen) \$147,153

Your Savings (when \$10,000 cash incentive is chosen)

\$10,000



CHESAPEAKE YACHT SALES

18355 General Puller Highway – Route 33 –

Deltaville, VA 23043

### Two Day Class with

## **Captain Chris at DYC**

#### Get On The Water: From Choosing The Perfect Boat to Casting Off!

March 19 & 20, 9am to 4:30pm \$99 non refundable registration per person (two days instruction w/continental breakfast & lunch)

Seating Limited. Register onna@dycboat.com or Onna Grimm 804-776-9898

Deltaville Yachting Center is hosting a two day boating class with Captain Chris & Alyse Caldwell on Saturday & Sunday, March 19 -20 in the DYC seminar room. Continental breakfast and lunch will be provided within the \$99 per person fee, but the best part is the great instruction during a packed 2 day itinerary.

Captain Chris Caldwell and his wife Alyse have lived aboard their own boat for years and traveled thousands of navigational miles. The couple teach boating classes around the U.S. and often travel onboard with new boaters



helping with delivery combined with instruction. Visit www.captainchrisyachtservices.com to learn more about this well know boating couple.

After meeting them and exploring the opportunity we could provide our boaters through their 2 day class, DYC invited them aboard for the first time in Deltaville, Va. The \$99/person fee covers only their instructional hours and travel costs. Breakfast and lunch both days will be compliments of DYC & CYS. Captain Chris & Alyse were highly recommended by Kay & Charlie Woodard 'Plane 2 Sea'. (See article on Page 8, Plane 2 Sea)

The two day itinerary will cover: The Perfect Boat For You; Navigation Made Easy; Anchoring Techniques; Onboard Communications; Boat Owner Maintenance; Confessions of a Galley Slave; Safety Aboard; Trip Planning; Vessel Communications & Casting Off!

There will be plenty of time for Q & A.  $\downarrow$ 

FOR EFFECTIVE INSTRUCTION THE CLASS WILL BE LIMITED TO 30 PEOPLE.

TO REGISTER CONTACT ONNA@DYCBOAT.COM OR 804-776-9898. \$99/PER PERSON NON REFUNDABLE FEE

## **Boaters' Boot Camp** at DYC

#### Two Day Intensive Hands On Training : Classroom & Onboard

Dates: June 25 &26; July 23 & 24; August 13 & 14

Cost: \$200 per student/ includes 1 yr. RSPS membership & Boating Guidebooks listed below

FOR LIMITED TIME: Couples who register & attend together & share classroom materials will pay only the single student price of \$200 for two-day class.

Register: richmondboatclub@yahoo.com (Class Size Limited)



Richmond Sail & Power Squadron will be offering their BOATERS' BOOT CAMP once each month during Summer 2016. All three classes will be taught in Deltaville Yachting Center's seminar room.

Course Summary: Two-day intensive training course covers the essentials of recreational boating- from planning and navigating a cruise to using onboard electronics including chartplotters, radar, AIS and DSC VHF radios. This program includes one full day (8 hrs.) of interactive classroom instruction followed by a 2nd day of on-the-water training by experienced boaters who are members of United States Power Squadrons, the largest and most widely respected boater education organization.

The Boaters' Boot Camp program will focus on electronic navigation topics including the use of a computer for planning trips, basics of GPS positioning systems, use of chartplotters, radar and AIS systems. You will learn how to plan a cruise, identify and enter waypoints, build a route in your chartplotter, navigate a boat following a route, adjusting routes during the course of the trip, and using chartplotter functions to improve the safety of your trip.

The basics of RADAR operation, MARPA and collision avoidance will be covered, as well as the use and benefits of AIS receivers and transceivers. Students will get hands-on experience operating all of these devices and more. The installation of DSC/VHF radios has become commonplace, but many boaters don't understand how to use the DSC functions. In this class, you will use a demonstrator unit to place and receive calls, then aboard trainer's boat, practice using the DSC radio functions.

Additional classroom topics will include on-board weather forecasting and navigation using portable electronics(smartphones, tablets). Learning how to obtain and interpret weather information, identify dangerous weather, predicting storm movements and risks can greatly improve your safety on the water.

Boating Guidebooks Included in Course Fee: Electronic Navigation; Ocean Navigator software & Chesapeake Bay/ Mid Atlantic NOAA raster charts; Weekend Navigator; VHF Quick Guide; 1 yr. RSPS Family Membership-provides wide array of additional training. Visit www.USPS.org for details of membership. Visit www.richmondboatclub.com for info about Richmond Sail & Power Squadron.

More information or to register, email contact information to richmondboatclub@yahoo.com

Additional info & registration form will be emailed back to you. A deposit of \$100 will be required at registration w/ balance due at time of training program. ↓

## **Free Virginia Safe Boating Class at DYC**

#### **Boating Safety Compliance by 2016**

Date: February 20, 2016 8am to 4 pm

Register: onna@dycboat.com or 804-776-9898

Sign up now to take the free safe boating class at Deltaville Yachting Center on February 20, 2016. Course instructors from U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 62 Deltaville, will cover Virginia state safety manual and administer necessary exam.



By July 1, 2016 all motorboat operators, regardless of age, shall meet the Va. Boating Safety requirements:

- \* pass an equivalency exam
- \* possess valid license to operate vessel
- complete & pass boating safety course approved by NASBLA and accepted by Va. Dept. of Game & Inland Fisheries
- For other options visit www.dgif.virginia.gov or call 804-367-1125 ↓

## **Deltaville Dealer Days Boat Show**

#### The Fun Way To Shop For Boats

Visit Deltaville, VA-The Boating Capital of The Chesapeake-during the weekend of May 7 and 8. Deltaville Dealer Days will welcome you heartily. Chesapeake Yacht Sales is one of many dealerships with Open House and Boat Show specials, including food, door prizes and boats on display. Chesapeake Yacht Sales is Virginia's dealer for Catalina Yachts- sailboats & Albemarle, The Carolina Classic-sport fishing boats. As Mainship and Albin specialists, many pre-owned trawlers are also listed in CYS brokerage. ↓











## Deltaville Yachting Center Is Boat U.S. Cooperating Marina

### Boat U.S. Member Discounts:

\$ .10 OFF per Gallon of Gasoline \$1.00 per foot Transient Slip Fee (Regular \$1.33 per foot)

### **Where's Waldo?**

**Always Busy** 





