

ON THE HORIZON

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"Next" General Membership Meeting

Wednesday, 15 February, 2012 at 1930 (7:30 PM)
The Bar Will Be Open.

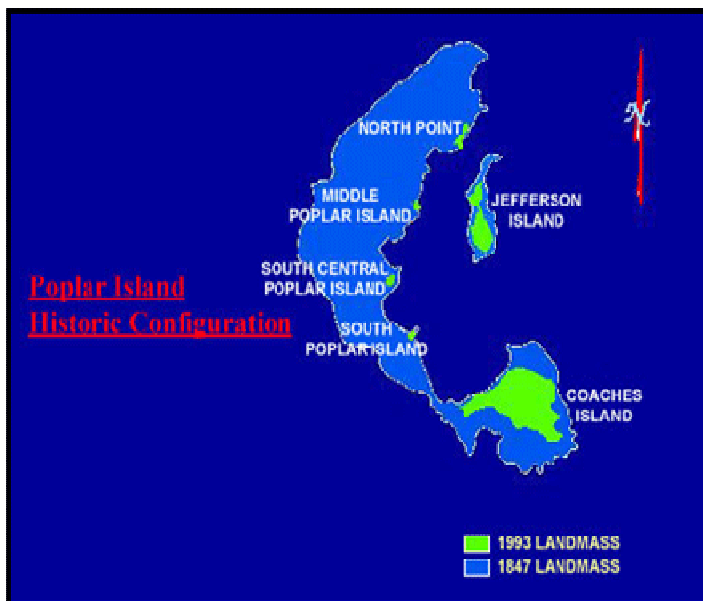
February Meeting Information

Poplar Island Paul S. Sarbanes Environmental Restoration Site

Our speaker will be Kevin Brennan from the Army Corps of Engineers talking about the rebuilding of Poplar Island.

The project consists of reconstructing Poplar Island using uncontaminated dredged material from the Baltimore Harbor and Channels Federal navigation projects. The rebuilding of the island has been developed through the cooperative efforts of many Federal and State agencies, as well as public and private organizations. A Feasibility Report and Environmental Impact Statement, dated February 1996, was approved by the Assistant Secretary of the Army (for Civil Works) in September 1996.

The restoration of the island involves placing, shaping, and planting approximately 68 million cubic yards of dredged material to create 1,715 acres of wetland, upland and open water habitat.



LOCATION: **Baltimore Yacht Club;** 800 Baltimore Yacht Club Rd., Essex, Md. 21221
410-682-2310



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COMMANDER

This is a sad time for DSPS. Our longtime member Howard Patrick Barry, Jr has left us. Howard passed away peacefully on January 6, 2012 at home with Connie. There was a lovely service performed at the funeral home by members of DSPS and the Baltimore Yacht Club chaplains. Many members of both clubs were in attendance as well as members of other squadrons who came to pay their respects.

We have many happenings taking place. We met at the home of Mary and John Hall to discuss plans for the upcoming cruising season on Saturday, January 14, 2012. The cruise schedule is set for the year. Let's hope all cruises meet with good weather.

Operation Sail 2012 is taking shape. If you are interested in participating, please contact a marina in the Inner Harbor for a slip. Don't wait too long as they fill up fast. Steve Dalgarno is handling any assignment we may receive and he will be in touch when your help is needed.

P/C Alexei Zuk, JN was our speaker at the January meeting and he gave us a full explanation on how you can receive a merit mark. At the end, we even had a little quiz. His talk was very interesting.

We had the privilege of having our incoming D/5 Commander Jeff McKinney attend the meeting with Alan Karpas and P/C Walter Neese. They gave a talk on the importance of marketing with the emphasis on the Boat

Show. Lots of very good information.

The Change of Watch is fast approaching. March 24, 2012 is the date and Baltimore Yacht Club is the location. There will be a cash bar and light hors d'oeuvres beginning at 6:00P.M. Introductions will be at 6:30 PM with dinner to follow at 7:00P.M. The menu will be a choice of three entrees: Prime Rib, Baked Stuffed Pork Chop, or Broiled Salmon. Raspberry vinaigrette summer salad, Red Bliss roasted potatoes, Normandy blend vegetables, Rolls and butter and dessert. Price per person is \$42.50. Please make your entree choice when making your reservation. Contact P/Lt/C Rolf Stuenes, JN with your reservation. 410-285-0047 or rstuees@comcast.net Hope to see all of you there.

At the February 15 meeting we will have a speaker from the Maryland Department of Transportation. Our topic will be the rebuilding of Poplar Island. This promises to be a very informative presentation. Make your plans now to attend.

Until next month, please be safe and if you are on the waterways, wear your PFD.

Safe boating,

Respectfully submitted,
Cdr. Suzann K. Bussey, S



Next Meeting Reminders

Executive Meeting:	Mar. 1 th	Baltimore Yacht Club
General Membership Meeting:	Mar. 21 st	Baltimore Yacht Club

EXECUTIVE OFFICER



Hello all, the Holidays are over and spring is fast approaching. Dundalk's Change Of Watch will be on March 24th at Baltimore Yacht Club. The reservation form appears in this Horizon.

The following weekend, March 30 thru April 1, is the District Change Of Watch and Spring Conference in Ocean City. Dundalk is the host Squadron so we'll need lot's of help. Thanks to those who signed up at the last meeting, assignments forthcoming. There will be a planning meet-

ing at the Karpers on Feb 16th..

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Connie Barry on the passing of P/C Howard P. Barry, Jr, JN. He will be greatly missed.

Respectfully submitted,
Lt/C Steven Dalgarno, N
410-374-9794

EDUCATIONAL OFFICER



ABC Boating Course - West Marine, 8640 Pulaski Highway, Cost \$45.

4 Weeks Starting 1st Tuesday night of the month, at 6:30 PM. First Session = 2/7/12 through 2/28/12

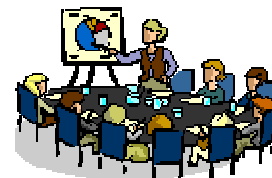
ABC Boating Course: - Riverside Marine, Inc., 11051 Pulaski Highway, Cost \$45. 2 Week Course – Dates TBD.

Piloting Course: Member Cost \$62, NON Member cost \$72, Location and Dates to be determined.

Advanced Piloting Course : BYC Member Cost \$65, NON Member Cost \$80. 13 Week Course – 2/15/12 – 5/9/12, Price presumes you have the Weekend Navigator.

Engine Maintenance : BYC, Member Cost \$50, NON Member Cost \$62. Starting Mid-March

Respectfully submitted,
Lt/C J. Streett Broadbent, AP
SEO@uspsdundalk.org ; 410-598-0833



ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER



We are in Hawaii and have been here since before Christmas. Therefore, my article will be brief. Our guest speaker for the February Membership Meeting is Mr. Kevin Brennan. He is with the Army Corps of Engineers and will speak on the Poplar Island project. This reclamation project to "rebuild" the island with dredging material has replaced the Hart-Miller Island Project.

Spring is just "around the corner" and boat outfitting will commence soon. Are you ready for this and the 2012 boating season. Thus far, we have had a reasonably mild

winter, with freezing temperatures occurring just recently.

The Cruise Planning Meeting/Party at John and Mary Hall's home is now history. I will say the season starts on May 16th, with the Safe Boating weekend in the Inner Harbor and concludes on October 28th, at the end of the Frost-bite Cruise. There are 12 events throughout the season.

Respectfully submitted,
Lt/C W. Lane Letsch, P

Moving? Changes in Information??

Please remember to let us know if you go away for the winter or move to another address. Also, if you change your phone, cell phone number(s) or e-mail addresses so we can make sure you are kept informed of upcoming events. Please give all changes to our Secretary who will in turn notify National and everyone else who needs to have the information.
THANK YOU!!!

TREASURER'S REPORT



I hope everyone had a good holiday. Ours was enjoyable.

Our Change of Watch is March 24. I hope to see all of you there.

We are responsible for the D/5 Change of Watch. A lot of help will be needed in Ocean City. It would be helpful if any of our members have any contacts that could provide quality gifts for the raffle table.

I look forward to an exciting year. Lots of social events are planned. Our education program is gearing up. Take a course. Attend a social event. We would like to see all of you at our meetings. Even better, help out at a squadron event, or either assist in teaching a course or proctor one.

Respectfully submitted,
Lt/C Ronald Basener, SN
Treasurer

SECRETARY'S REPORT



We can be proud of all of our members that have over 40 merit marks;

The general membership meeting is February 15, 2012 at 7:30 p.m. Rosters can be picked up at the meeting.

P/Lt/C Rolf Stuenes, JN 47
PC Anthony Van de Wal, N 44
P/C Read Van Zile, AP 41
P/C Howard P. Barry, Jr. JN 42

Respectfully submitted
Lt/C Twila Nahama, AP
Secretary

2011 DSPS Holiday Party (Cont. P6)



SPRING CONFERENCE 2012 RESERVATION FORM

USPS D/5 OFFICER TRAINING AND SPRING CONFERENCE
30 MARCH-1 APRIL 2012 OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND

Member: Rank _____ Name _____
Grade _____
Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip
code: _____
Squadron _____ Position: _____ First Timer _____
E Mail _____ Phone: _____
Spouse and other attendees
Rank _____ Name _____ Grade _____ First Timer? _____
Rank: _____ Name _____ Grade _____ First Timer? _____

MEALS SELECTION

SATURDAY MEMBERS LUNCHEON

Chef's Salad with Ham, Turkey, Swiss Cheese. # _____ @ \$18.00 \$ _____
Assorted rolls and butter Sherbet

Overstuffed Turkey and Swiss Cheese Sandwich, homemade chips,
Princess coleslaw and tossed salad greens with dressing.
Sherbet # _____ @ \$18.00 \$ _____

SATURDAY BANQUET

Broiled Fillet of Salmon with cucumber relish, tossed garden greens and fresh vegetables.
Assorted rolls and butter, Carrot cake for dessert. # _____ @ \$38.00 \$ _____

Roasted pork tenderloin with Tossed green salad,
Double baked potato, green beans, Roll and butter
Cherry Cheesecake # _____ @ \$38.00 \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED _____

Make checks payable to :

2012 D/5 Spring Conference
Send to: P/C Richard D. Bussey, P
1410 D. Bonnett Place
Bel Air, MD 21015
rdbussey@comcast.net
443-567-5692

Meal reservations must be made by March 16, 2012

Uniform : Thursday, Friday-USPS Squadron shirts Saturday-USPS Blazer w /gray slacks
Banquet—Uniform A with bowtie

Princess Royale Hotel
9100 Coastal Highway, Ocean City, Maryland
Handicapped room available upon request. Facility is non- smoking
Reservations 1-800-476-9253 Reservation ID code: U.S.Power Squadrons

All reservations must be made by March 15, 2012 to ensure USPS Rates

Rates: Oceanview/poolview Suite \$99.00 per night Wednesday thru Saturday
Oceanfront suite \$129.00 per night 2BR/2BA Oceanfront Condo \$219.00 per night

Directions: From Route 90, turn left onto Coastal Highway. Hotel is on right.



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2011 DSPS Holiday Party, (Cont.)



Christmas Gift Exchange



My Solo Cup, ...



Toys For Tots



Anchors Away



Ooooh



I'm Sooo Happy!!?!



Thanks Santa!!!



Going Once, ...



Only Joanne!



Look, A Fuzzy Wuzzy!



Cupcakes Anyone?



Golly Gee



Bet You Want This!



On Second Thought



It's Mine, So There!



I'm Taking Names!



A Fish Pen, Wow!!



Hmm, Can I Drink It?

From: P/C John L. Hall, AP
Chairman Nominating Committee

To: Twila Nahama, AP
Secretary

SUBJECT: NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

The Nominating Committee Report according to the bylaws section 6.8 paragraphs 6.8, 6.1 AND 6.2. Nominations for the positions of:

COMMANDER: Lt/C Stephen Dalgarno, N
EXECUTIVE OFFICER: P/C Lois Nehmer, SN
EDUCATIONAL OFFICER: Lt/C J. Streett Broadbent, AP
ASSISTANT EDUCATIONAL OFFICER: P/Lt/C Rolf Stuenes, AP
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER: Lt Chris Nehmer, P
TREASURER: P/C Ronald Basener, SN
ASSISTANT TREASURER: D/Lt James Redding, P
SECRETARY: Lt Jay Goldsberry, P
ASSISTANT SECREATRY NO NAME SUBMITTED

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:
P/C Connie Barry, JN
Lt Jennifer Dalgarno, S
P/C Dick Bussey, P
Lt Doug Riley, AP
P/C Tony Van De Wal, N
P/C Read Van Zile, AP

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED

P/C John Hall
P/C David Seidenman
P/C Tracey Stuenes
P/C Jim Redding
P/C Katharine Jones

Change of Watch Reservation Form

Menu choices:

1. *Prime Rib*
2. *Salmon*
3. *Stuffed Pork Chop*

choice includes salad, starch, vegetable, rolls, coffee, tea and dessert

Please list all members in your party

& menu choices.

1. _____ # _____
2. _____ # _____
3. _____ # _____
4. _____ # _____
5. _____ # _____
6. _____ # _____
7. _____ # _____
8. _____ # _____
9. _____ # _____
10. _____ # _____

\$42.50 per person

Please make check payable to Dundalk Sail & Power Squadron and mail early to:

P/Lt/C Rolf Stuenes, JN

1916 Robinwood Rd

Baltimore, MD 21222

410 285 0047

rstuenes@comcast.net





Commander Suzann K. Bussey, S

and the members of the

*Dundalk Sail & Power
Squadron*

invite you to join us for our

Change of Watch

and installation of

Commander Elect

Steven C. Dalgarno, N

Saturday, 24 March 2012

at

Baltimore Yacht Club

800 Baltimore Yacht Club Rd

Essex, MD 21221

Cash bar & Hors d'oeuvres 1800

Dinner 1900

Change of Watch to follow

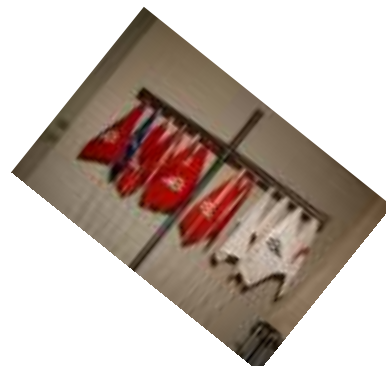
RSVP no later than 16 March 2012

P/Lt/C Rolf Stuenes, JN

410 285 0047

rstuenes@comcast.net

*Uniform A with bow tie or other appropriate civilian
attire*





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Members Save Money

Great Benefits available to USPS members include:

- Up to a 23% discount on boat insurance
- Boat U.S. Membership and Towing discounts
- Map and Navigation software discounts
- Up to 12% discount on Dell Computers
- Tax Deductions on Dues and some Travel Expenses
- And more, go to the USPS web site for a full list of benefits: http://www.usps.org/national/admin_dept/membenefits.htm

Members Helping Members

Adventure, Fun and Learning

On-the-water activities, cruises, rendezvous, raft-ups for a day weekend or week – something for everyone!

- Many locations throughout the Chesapeake Bay
- Commander's Cruise and Top Gun Cruise to ports as far away as Philadelphia, Cape May, New York, the Outer Banks, etc.
- Take your own boat or crew on someone else's
- **Social Events:** Pitch-in meals, picnics, theme parties, and our Annual Crab Feast

Meetings with knowledgeable guest speakers on interesting topics to include Homeland Security, First-Aid, Weather, Bay History, Winterizing/Commissioning, Engine Maintenance

Join Today

Members Build Boating Skills

Courses and Seminars include:

- America's Boating Course, Seamanship, GPS, Engine Maintenance, Piloting, Advanced Piloting, Marine Electronics, Cruise Planning, Junior Navigation, Sail, Navigation, Weather and more.

Safe Practice with Friends

- Cruises, Competitions, Trips
- Help out and crew, or use your boat

Costs: Individual = \$70 / Individual + One Additional Active = \$110

Individual: _____

Additional: _____

Email : _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

Amount Paid: \$ _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Learn More about America's Boating Club

Email: question@uspsdundalk.org
vsc@uspsdundalk.org

Web: <http://www.uspsdundalk.org>

Phone: 410-282-6464

Meetings: 3rd Wednesday
7:30 pm

Baltimore Yacht Club

800 Baltimore Yacht Club Rd Essex, MD 21221

Dundalk Sail & Power Squadron - Receipt:

Membership Type: Individual: ____ Or

Individual with Family: ____

Amount Paid: \$ _____

Signature: _____

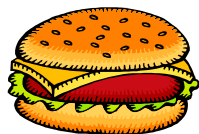
Date: _____



Dundalk Sail and Power Squadron's 22nd Annual Crab Feast



24-26 August, 2012
Haven Harbour Marina, Rock Hall, MD



Friday: Arrival party 1800, Fun and games (no costumes required). BYOB and a snack to share.

Saturday: Crab Feast starts at 1500 with Crabs, Corn on the Cob (Steamed with Old Bay), Hamburgers, Cheeseburgers, Hot Dogs, Sliced Tomatoes, Beer, Soda & Dessert.



AND: Live Music by Norm and Carlos



Sunday: Pitch in breakfast at 0900



Bring your friends, neighbors, relatives, marina or yacht club neighbors (and mallets and knives). This is our biggest event of the season!

All food to be eaten on premises – sorry no carryout service.



Name: _____ Arrival Date: _____ Time: _____



Adults _____ @ \$43 = \$ _____

Children under 12 _____ @ \$10 = \$ _____

TOTAL \$ _____

Please make your slip reservations for both nights directly with Haven Harbour 410/778-6697 or 1-800/506-6697 and tell them you're with Dundalk Sail and Power Squadron.

Please make checks for the Crab Feast payable to "Dundalk Sail and Power Squadron" and mail to:

Lt Chris Nehmer, 431 Hopkins Landing Road, Baltimore, MD 21221
Phone 410/686-2262 email cjneher@comcast.net
Reservations not accepted after August 1, 2012





SAFE BOATING THROUGH EDUCATION

February - March 2012 Calendar

February 15th General Membership Meeting

February 16th Meeting of all Volunteers & Workers for the Spring Conference at 7:00 PM at the home of Bernie & Kathy Karpers. Desert and Coffee will be provided.

March 21st General Membership Meeting

March 24th Change Of Watch Join us for the Squadron's most elegant evening - dinner and dancing at Baltimore Yacht Club. . Who will walk away with the coveted Busted Shamrock?



RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

DATED MATERIAL

DUNDALK SAIL & POWER SQUADRON

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Owings Mills, MD 21117