



THE SUMMIT BRIDGE

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OPENING DAY

Opening Day for Summit North Marina is rescheduled to **MAY 16, 2015**. The Marina event, including lunch, is scheduled from 12 Noon to 3 pm. If you have not renewed your 2015 membership, forms will be available during the Marina event. The Marina will have some drawings for all Marina customers.

SNYC will hold its own Opening Day event, the same day, May 16, 2015 beginning at 4 pm. The SNYC event will be a **"Docktail Party"** held on A Dock, and is open to all SNYC members. SNYC will provide soft drinks, appetizers, and desserts. **Each member is responsible for bringing their own chair, and their own "adult" beverages.**



If you also want to bring an appetizer or dessert to share, please notify the Fleet Captain Diane Russell at i24klady@aol.com so she can plan accordingly. You are not expected to bring any food to attend!

The SNYC drawing will also be held during the **"Docktail Party"**. All members paid by the time of the drawing on Opening Day will be eligible for the prize – a \$100 Marina Fuel Card, donated by the Marina. You **do not** need to be present to win.

All SNYC Board Members pay the required dues, and are eligible for the prize.



OPENING WEEKEND CONTINUES.....

Opening Weekend events continue with a **"Shakedown Cruise"** on Sunday, May 17, 2015.

Run your boat down the canal to Scheafer's Canal House, 208 Bank Street, Chesapeake City, MD, for lunch. The *Island Vibes* band is scheduled from 1-8 pm. Let's meet for lunch. **Come by boat or by car!**

We'll plan on a 1 pm lunch. Please notify the Fleet Captain Diane Russell at i24klady@aol.com if you are coming for lunch, and whether you are coming by boat or by car, so proper reservations can be made.

We have tentative reservations for 8 boats and 20 people.



Cruise to St. Michaels, MD

There are 8 boats scheduled for the Memorial Day weekend cruise to Harbour Inn Marina & Spa, St. Michaels, MD. The Dock Master has released our reserved slips, but you can still join us for the weekend! Harbour Inn has hotel rooms or you can reserve a room at one of the other hotels or inns in historic St. Michaels and join us for our events and adventures. If you can't come by boat, come by car!

Just notify Fleet Captain Diane Russell at i24klady@aol.com if we should expect you.

An e-mail will be sent to all reserved boats shortly regarding more details about the cruise and planned activities.



EMPTY HANGERS IN YOUR LOCKERS?

Plan on ordering your stylish SNYC shirts and sweatshirts at the Opening Day events on May 16, 2015. See the SNYC display for more details.



SNYC YARD SALE
Saturday, June 6, 2015
(Rain date Sunday, June 7)

It's time to clean out your closets, lockers, garages, sheds, basements, storage spaces, dock boxes, cabinets, drawers, and any other cluttered spaces on your boat or at your home. SNYC will be hosting a Yacht Club Yard Sale. More details will be sent by a dedicated e-mail.

Spaces will be free to SNYC members. SNYC members will also get priority in reserving spaces. A nominal fee will be charged for Marina customers who are not SNYC members.

The Yard Sale will be advertised to the general public on Craig's List. E-mail notifications will be sent to local yacht clubs and marinas. Flyers will also be posted on local marina, marine store, and community bulletin boards. Signs will be posted the day of the sale.

This sale is not limited to marine items. You are welcome to sell any marine, household, or personal items. You will need to bring your own tables, tarps, etc.

Don't have anything to sell? Be sure to stop by the upper parking lot, past Aqua-Sol, to check out the bargains available!



JUNE CRUISE

Make sure you reserve your slip at Mear's Great Oak Landing Marina, Chestertown, MD for the weekend cruise Friday, June 12 to Sunday, June 14, 2015. Call Dock Master Donnie at 410-778-5007. There is a one night minimum, and a 48 hour cancellation policy.

If we have 5 boats attending, we'll get 25% off the weekend rate of \$2.75/foot. If you have not visited Great Oak Landing Marina visit them online to see the amenities and facilities of the 70 acre "boater's paradise" overlooking Fairlee Creek. www.mearsgreatoaklanding.com

Make sure you notify Fleet Captain Diane Russell at i24klady@aol.com once you have made your reservation.

If you need a copy of the March 2015 newsletter, which details all of the 2015 cruises, please contact the Membership Officer Tom Russell at terussell1@aol.com.

TIPS:

Have any maintenance, cruising, or other boating tips to share with other Yacht Club members? Please E-mail them to the Fleet Captain Diane Russell at i24klady@aol.com for inclusion in the newsletter.



Membership Benefits and Discounts

One of the benefits of SNYC membership is the generous discounts available from our sponsors. They include discounts at restaurants and from marine service providers.

One of the discounts that can provide a significant financial benefit is the \$.05/gallon fuel discount offered by the Marina. This is in ADDITION to the \$.05/gallon discount for being a slip holder, and the \$.05/gallon discount for pumping 100 gallons or more (if you qualify).

There is ALSO an ADDITIONAL \$.05/gallon discount for SNYC members purchasing fuel at the beginning or end of a scheduled cruise. (The marina does get a list of the boats going on each cruise.)

A complete list of the Sponsors, the benefits they offer, and their contact information will be sent to all members, once it is finalized. There are some changes from previous years.

