



**Virginia Yacht Club  
Mariners Delight – Cruising on the Chesapeake  
Safe Harbor Bluewater  
September 8 -11, 2022**



**Join the Virginia Yacht Club at Safe Harbor Bluewater in Hampton as we kick off our next to the last cruise of the season. Enjoy great company, have a private tour of the Mariners Museum & Park in Newport News, dine at the Hampton Yacht Club, and other surprises along the way! Want the details? Read on...**

**Arrive on Thursday, September 8<sup>th</sup> for cocktails and heavy hors d'oeuvres by the pool.**

**On Friday morning, arrive early to grab a treat before climbing aboard the bus to head out to the Mariners Museum, where we will have a private tour, lunch with lecture, and a great mid-day event to hear inspiring stories of mariners who risked it all for freedom and true tales of man conquering the wild seas. Later that evening, we will have docktails at the marina - Dinner is on your own where you can choose the Surf Rider restaurant (just a few steps away), hop on the water taxi to downtown, or Uber to Phoebus for access to plenty of other restaurants.**

**On Saturday, join us for brunch at the Bluewater pavilion – with something else to reveal later! Your afternoon is free to relax, take in an IMAX movie at the Virginia Air & Space Science Center, or tour the shops on Queens Street in downtown Hampton via a short water taxi ride. Then dine with us at the newly renovated Hampton Yacht Club for an evening of great food, music, and a beautiful view!**

**Sunday departure - wishing everyone a safe journey home filled with fond memories of a fun weekend.**

**Cruise Directors**

**Dan and Cyndi Blankenship**

**804-240-7057**

**Charlie and Sue Jenks**

**804-870-1644**

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**REGISTRATION FORM**

**THE DEADLINE FOR RESERVATION IS **Wednesday, August 31, 2022****

**Member(s) & Spouse/Guest Name:**

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**Cell Phone(s) #:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Number Attending:** \_\_\_\_\_ **x \$ 210.00 =** \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Included:** \_\_\_\_\_

<b>HYC Meal Choice:</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Name</b>
Roasted Prime Rib of Beef au Jus	_____	_____
Sauteed Sea Scallops	_____	_____
Chicken Boursin	_____	_____

**List Any Food Allergies:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Slip reservations** should be made at Safe Harbor Bluewater Marina, Dave Farlow, Dock Master @ 757.723.6774

**Make check payable to Virginia Yacht Club & mail with registration to:**

**Dan Blankenship  
Virginia Yacht Club  
3811 Barn Owl Lane  
Glen Allen, Va. 23060**

**Note:** Checks may be sent to the Cruise Director or if you prefer checks or bank drafts may be sent directly to the Treasurer, PC Hugh Riley at 717 East Tazewell’s Way, Williamsburg, VA 23185. Checks must be RECEIVED BEFORE AUGUST 31, 2022.

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**Thursday, Sept 8:**

5:00 - 8:00 PM Welcome Reception – Cocktails/Heavy Hors d’oeuvres by the pool

**Friday, Sept 9:**

8:30 – 9:30 AM Continental Breakfast  
(Includes Bloody Marys & Mimosa)  
9:30 – 9:45 AM Board Bus for Mariners Museum  
10:15 – Noon Guided Tour of the Museum  
Noon – 1:00 PM Box Lunch & Lecture  
1:00 – 2:00 PM Guided Tour of Museum continues  
2:30 PM Bus departs for return to Bluewater  
5:30-7:00 PM Docktails at Bluewater  
7:00 PM Dinner on your own

**Saturday, Sept 10:**

10:00 - 12:00 PM Brunch in the Bluewater Pavilion  
Special event will be revealed later with prizes  
Noon – 4:30 PM Afternoon free - visit Hampton, IMAX theater, or catch up with friends  
5:30 – 5:45 PM Board Water Taxi to dine at the Hampton Yacht Club (HYC)  
5:45 – 7:00 PM Cocktails in Upper Level of the HYC  
7:00 – 9:00 PM Dinner in the Commodores Dining Room  
8:30 – 9:15 PM Water Taxi Shuttles return to Bluewater

**Sunday, Sept 11:** Safe travels to your home port

Note: The Surf Rider restaurant is just a few steps away from your slip for the best She Crab soup & Crab cakes. Or Bluewater provides water shuttle service to and from downtown Hampton to visit more restaurants and shoppes with a short walk over to Queens Street, or take a quick 10 minute Uber ride to Mango Mangeaux, Phoebus Dive bar, The Deadrise, or others.