

2022 VYC Closing and Change of Watch "Closing on the Half Shell - Oysters & Pearls" October 6, 7 & 8th



Dear VYC Members,

We will meet in Deltaville October 6, 7 and 8th for the final gathering of the season to enjoy VYC fellowship, celebrate the past year, and toast the incoming bridge and the year to come with the Closing and Change of Watch ceremonies. I have attached the weekend's schedule and registration form.

For Thursday early arrivals there will be a "pot luck dinner" in the Regatta Point Marina clubroom with everyone bringing a dish to share. Plates, napkins, cups, utensils and water will be provided. Beer and wine will generously be provided by Regatta Point.

Friday's casual evening will feature VYC cocktails, appetizers, and an old-fashioned oyster roast with raw and roasted oysters, steamed shrimp, Brunswick and oyster stews, ham biscuits, chicken skewers and several sides and dessert. After dinner, "Oyster Oscars" will be presented to the 2021-22 cruise directors.

Saturday morning there will be a light breakfast in the clubroom and we will welcome Dr. Stan Allen, retired from VIMS as director of the Aquaculture, Genetics & Breeding Technology Center. He will educate us on all things oyster. The afternoon will be free to catch up with friends, admire the boats at the docks or shop the VYC Boatique.

Saturday at 5:00 there will be a brief Annual Meeting followed by cocktails on the porch and dinner catered by Willaby's, featuring roast beef & mahi. This will be a formal night, coat and tie for gentlemen, with the Bridge Officers and PCs in Bridge Uniform (blue blazer, white shirt, gray slacks and VYC tie and crest). After dinner, the Annual Meeting will be reconvened and we will salute our "VYC Pearls," the incoming 2022-23 Bridge, with the Change of Watch ceremony.

The deadline for registrations is **September 21, 2022**. Please call ASAP for your slip reservations if you haven't already. Contact Dock Master Mike at Regatta Point Marina 804-776-8400. PLEASE NOTE As part of their agreement to be the VYC homeport, a new reservation policy was agreed upon by Regatta Point & the VYC Bridge: slip cancellations must be made 4 days prior to your scheduled arrival date or you will be charged 1 day's dockage.

I hope to have you join us for this special year-end celebration. Please contact Vice Commodore Pugh (pughrb@hotmail.com) or me (edmiles1510@gmail.com) if there are questions or other information is needed.

Best regards, Ed Miles Commodore





Virginia Yacht Club 2022 Closing and Change of Watch October 6, 7 & 8th at Regatta Point Marina

"Closing on the Half Shell - Oysters and Pearls"

Thursday, October 6 5:30 – Pot Luck Dinner, bring a dish to share

Friday, October 7

Arrivals, visit with VYC friends, lunch on your own, shop the VYC Boatique 12:00 – Bridge Luncheon

5:30-6:30 VYC Cocktails and appetizers (including oysters) on the porch 6:30-7:30 Oyster Roast by Shores and Ruark

7:30 - "VYC Oyster Oscars" - Recognizing the 2021-22 Cruise Directors

Attire is casual

Saturday, October 8

VYC Boatique open

8:30 - 9:30 Coffee and light breakfast in clubroom

9:30 – 10:30 "All Things Oyster," Dr. Stan Allen, VIMS

Lunch on your own

5:00 – 5:30 VYC Annual Meeting

- 5:30-6:30 VYC Cocktails and appetizers on the porch
- 6:30 7:30 Dinner by Willaby's
- 7:30 Reconvene Annual Meeting and Change of Watch Ceremony We salute the 2022-23 Bridge, the "VYC Pearls"

Attire – Bridge Uniform for Officers and Past Commodores (grey slacks, white shirt, blue blazer, VYC crest and VYC tie); all others, coat and tie or cocktail attire.

Sunday, October 9

Depart for homeports - safe travels until we meet again!

Marina Reservations: Call Regatta Point Marina at 804-776-8400 as soon as possible

PLEASE NOTE NEW RESERVATION POLICY

Slip cancellations must be made 4 days before your scheduled arrival date or 1 day's dockage will be charged per a May, 2022 agreement between VYC and Regatta Point



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October 6,7 & 8th Regatta Point Marina Deltaville, VA

REGISTRATION FORM

Registration Form Deadline - Check and Form to Be Received Before September 21st
Member(s) and Guest Names
Cell Numbers
Boat Name
Thursday, October 6 Pot Luck Dinner: # attending Bring a dish to share
Friday, October 7, "VYC Oyster Oscars" Oyster Roast: # attending @ \$ 65.00 each = \$
Saturday, October 8 "VYC Pearls" Dinner: #attending @ \$ 75.00 each = \$
Total Enclosed \$
Food Allergies/Name
Reservation Deadline – Check and form must be received BEFORE SEPTEMBER 21st Cancellations by September 21 st
Make checks to VYC Mail form & check to: Edward T. Miles, 1525 E Bay Shore Dr, Virginia Beach, VA 23451
Check mailed directly from bank to Treasurer Hugh Riley, 717 E Tazewell's Way, Williamsburg, VA 23185, to be RECEIVED BEFORE SEPT 21 and completed

Registration Form emailed to the Commodore: edmiles1510@gmail.com

Make slip reservations directly with Regatta Point Marina 804-776-8400 PLEASE NOTE NEW RESEVATION POLICY Slip cancellations must be made 4 days prior to your scheduled arrival date to avoid charge for 1 day's dockage

Cruise Directors

Ed and Betty Miles 757-651-8656

Ron and Micki Pugh 703-346-7730