



## THE SUMMIT BRIDGE

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### *Final Docktail Party of 2016!*

*We'll kick off the Labor Day Weekend and say good-bye to Summer (unofficially) with the Final Docktail Party of 2016 on Friday, September 2. The Party starts at 6:00 PM, and goes until it's too dark to see! Meet your fellow SNYC members on the Main Dock at "A" Dock. Bring your Adult Beverages, Your Chairs, and an Appetizer to share (if you would like to). Our theme? "Anything Goes!"*



### *Commodore's Dinner Membership Appreciation Event*

*Saturday, October 1, 2016  
6:00 – 10:00 PM  
Schaefer's Canal House,  
Chesapeake City, MD*

*Watch your home mailboxes  
for your invitation  
Please RSVP by  
September 21, 2016*

*This year's Dinner has a  
Black & White Theme!*



## WE HAVE ONE MORE SNYC CRUISE IN 2016!

Once again, SNYC will be visiting Baltimore, MD for the final cruise of 2016, from Friday, September 16 – Monday, September 19; this cruise has become somewhat of a tradition. The club will again be staying at BMC's Lighthouse Point Marina in the Canton area of "Charm City". Canton has many restaurants and bars within walking distance of the marina, including the ever popular *Mama's on the Half Shell*, and it's rowdier sister, *Nacho Mama's*. *West Marine*, *Safeway*, *Bo Brooks Restaurant*, *Lighthouse Liquor Store* (which has an amazing selection of craft beers), *7-11*, and other shops and restaurants are on the perimeter of the marina parking lot. There is also a water taxi stop within walking distance.

The resort style pool will still be open – weather permitting. The group rate is \$2.50/foot, if we have 10 boat nights booked (4 boats at 3 nights = 12 boat nights). The group rate also gives you a \$.15/gallon fuel discount.

Contact the marina directly to make your reservation at 410-675-8888 or e-mail [LIGHTHOUSE@BMCMARINE.COM](mailto:LIGHTHOUSE@BMCMARINE.COM). BE SURE AND TELL THEM YOU ARE WITH SNYC. Also, please notify Fleet Captain Diane Russell if you are planning on making the cruise!



### Change in Plans:

Unfortunately, the SNYC Board had to make the tough decision to CANCEL the Holiday Party for 2016. The hotel is requiring a minimum for a Saturday night party that we just can not meet, with the size of our club.

The Board has decided to expand the Commodore's Dinner to include Hors d'Oeuvres during the cocktail hour. This will give everyone more time to view the gift baskets, buy their 50/50 tickets and additional basket tickets, and socialize. There will also be more prizes given away, including some SNYC swag! The party is also expanded from 3 to 4 hours.

Watch your mailbox for your invitation, and please return your RSVP card as soon as possible, so we can get an accurate head count and entrée selection.



## THERE ARE EMPTY SEATS TO FILL!

All 7 SNYC Board seats need to be filled. The Board is taking action to revise the By-Laws, so that all 7 seats don't expire at the same time. This will give some continuity to the Board. However, not all of the current Board members are able to continue their service for 2017.

Please consider volunteering for a SNYC Board position! Everyone has a talent, and if you can contribute your talent, the SNYC will continue to be a great way to promote safe boating, and foster friendships within the SNM slip holder community.

Please contact any of the current Board members, if you are willing to volunteer.



The Country Hoedown and Chili Cook-Off Contest started off on the right boot with a hot afternoon, but ended quickly when a storm blew in. The party moved

into the office for prizes: The white chili prepared by *Charisma II* and a traditional chili prepared by *Family Tides* tied in the voting for "Best Chili". Raffle tickets were given out for a variety of reasons, and the winning raffle ticket for a \$50 fuel credit, donated by the marina, was held by *Shear B'Liss*. The \$120 50/50 prize was won by *Nauti Dreams*. Various prizes from the canceled games were also awarded.

The Docktail Party scheduled for Friday, July 29 was changed to dinner at *Stewarts Brewing Company*, due a potential storm. There were 7 boats in attendance. *Stewarts* offers a discount on all food purchases with your SNYC membership card, and has been a great sponsor for several years.

The SNYC Cruise to Mears Kent Narrows looked to be a hot and sunny weekend. There were 7 boats that made the trip from SNM. One boat came over from their summer dockage at Bay Bridge marina, and we ran into some previous SNYC members no longer at SNM. There was a group dinner at *Harris Crab House & Seafood Restaurant* on Friday night, followed by Lemoncello on "G" dock. Saturday was a perfect pool day, before the docktail party. The 50/50 prize of \$75 was won by visiting Captain Frank of *Ooga Booga*, who used to be a dock mate at SNM. Sunday morning was a pot-luck breakfast. Some of the boats made it back to the Canal before the storms hit, some stayed until Monday or came back by car, while some braved the elements.