

IMPORTANT RENDEZVOUS INFORMATION - 2009

A rendezvous is designated as being SOUTH (more accessible to Stage Harbor boats), EAST (more accessible to Pleasant Bay boats), or SOUTH and EAST (for both areas). All members are welcome at all rendezvous. Boat owners are encouraged to invite members who are not boat owners and members from the other areas.. Members who would like to go on a rendezvous on a participating member's boat should call or e-mail the appropriate Fleet Captain.

Severe weather, such as gale force winds, steady rain or a severe thunderstorm forecast, will be considered cause to cancel a rendezvous. When the weather is deteriorating, a final decision may be made by the respective Fleet Captain even at dockside or at the meeting point.

Unless indicated otherwise, rendezvous points are:

SOUTH – Stage Harbor Buoy #10

EAST – Buoy “B” off Cotchpinicutt

Boat owners should display the MYC burgee during the rendezvous. Those with radios should monitor VHF-FM Channel 68 during the period when boats are gathering or proceeding to rendezvous. The Fleet Captain or another designated boat will maintain Channel 68 guard.

For all rendezvous, bring lunches and refreshments. At beach parties, bring beach chairs. For raft-ups, boats should have sufficient fenders and dock lines for both sides.

Questions and suggestions regarding rendezvous should be directed to the Fleet Captains. Additional boating events may be scheduled, if there is sufficient interest.

FLEET CAPTAINS

Rendezvous: East - Dennis Schock
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BOATING RENDEZVOUS - 2009

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3: EAST

CROWS POND RAFT-UP: Meet at Crows Pond at 4:00 p.m. Look for club burgees there. Bring an hors d'oeuvre to share, and your own refreshments. High Tide 11:08 a.m.

FRIDAY, JUNE 19: EAST

CRUISE TO WEQUASSETT INN FOR LUNCH: Rendezvous at Buoy "B" at 10:30 AM and proceed as a group to the Wequasset Inn for lunch, or come by car, being at the Inn at 11:30 a.m. RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED, whether coming by car or boat. Call Captain Hal Knapp, 508-945-5067. High Tide 11:04 a.m.

FRIDAY, JUNE 26: SOUTH

SAQUATUCKET HARBOR/BRAX LANDING LUNCH: Kick off the 2009 Rendezvous schedule with lunch at Brax Landing at 12:00 noon. Come by car or boat. Boats will meet at Buoy 10 in Stage Harbor at 11:15. High Tide: 3:57 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8: EAST

CROWS POND RAFT-UP: Meet at Crows Pond at 4:00 p.m. Look for club burgees there. Bring an hors d'oeuvre to share and your own refreshments. High Tide 3:25 p.m.

FRIDAY, JULY 10: SOUTH

CRESCENT BEACH RAFT-UP: Bring picnic lunch for on or off the beach. Meet at Town Mooring at 11:30 a.m., and let the festivities begin. High Tide: 3:09 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22: EAST

BOARD OF GOVERNORS CRUISE/RAFT-UP: Meet at Buoy "B" at 3:00 p.m., then proceed to Little Pleasant Bay for a short cruise and raft-up at 4:00 p.m., location to be announced. Bring an hors d'oeuvre to share and your own refreshments. High Tide 2:27 p.m.

FRIDAY, JULY 24: SOUTH

MYSTERY CRUISE: A favorite among the "rendezvousers," meet at Buoy 10 at 11:00 a.m. for directions to compete in this mystery adventure. Bring lunch and a dessert to share at the raft-up at Crescent Beach. High Tide: 2:42 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5: EAST

LOBSTER ROLL ON THE BEACH: Meet at Jackknife Cove Beach at 4:00 p.m. Come by car or come by boat and enjoy a lobster roll on the beach. Look for details in the club newsletter. Bring an hors d'oeuvre to share and your own refreshments. High Tide 2:20 p.m.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 7: SOUTH

BOARD OF GOVERNORS RAFT-UP: Join the Board of Governors at a raft-up at 12:00 noon. Bring your bathing suit and enjoy a swim, if you are so inclined. Bring a dish to share. Location to be announced. High Tide: 2:01 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19: EAST

CROWS POND RAFT-UP: Meet at Crows Pond at 4:00 p.m. Look for club burgees there. Bring an hors d'oeuvre to share and your own refreshments. High Tide: 1:14 p.m.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 21: SOUTH

BASS RIVER RAFT-UP: Weather and sea conditions permitting, motor to Bass River. Boats will meet at Buoy 10 in Stage Harbor at a time to be announced. Raft-up by the Bass River Bridge or for a possible dockside lunch. High Tide: 1:27 p.m.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3: SOUTH

OYSTER POND RAFT-UP: This is always an enjoyable time. Rafting-up in the quietude of the Oyster Pond after Labor Day starting at 12:00 noon is the highlight of the rendezvous season. Bring an hors d'oeuvre to share. High Tide: 12:15 p.m.

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 16: EAST

CROWS POND RAFT-UP: Meet at Crows Pond at 3:00 p.m. Bring an hors d'oeuvre to share and your own refreshments. High Tide: 12:01 p.m.

Weather cancellations will be via e-mail by 8 a.m. to the boat captains on the day of the rendezvous. Boat captains are responsible for notifying their crews.

Rendezvous reminders will be sent via e-mail to all club members. Those wishing a ride on one of the boats should contact the appropriate Fleet Captain.

To encourage more "on water" activity without formal advance planning, the following arrangement will be in place for **JULY AND AUGUST**.

On each side, on Wednesdays of the weeks when there is no rendezvous, a Beach Party is suggested at noon at the north side of Strong Island Beach for the East and Crescent Beach in the South. At these locations there is good water and swimming at all tides. Fly your burgee.

We can use these two beaches as casual meeting places at any time. If you are out and would like some company, stop in and fly the burgee or check out the beach as you go by and stop to chat if you see a member there. Many of our members already check these areas for Club burgees as they pass.

If in doubt about the weather on any of the above activities, call the respective Fleet Captains.

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