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Cape Lookout Sail and Power Squadron

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Upcoming Events:

Monday, February 10, 1900
CLSPS ExComm Mtg
Christ Episcopal Church Library in
the Parish Hall Bldg
Pre-Dinner: Morgans, 1730

Sunday-Sunday, February 9-16
**USPS/America's Boating
Club
Annual Meeting,**
Sawgrass Marriott
Ponte Vedra, FL

Saturday, February 29
CLSPS Change of Watch
New Bern Country Club

Monday, March 2, 1900
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**60th Annual Dinner Meeting
January, 2020 The Chelsea restaurant**



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Congratulations to our newly elected officers for 2020-2021. Our Change of Watch is fast approaching and we look forward to seeing you on Saturday, 29 February 2020 at 10:30 am, at the New Bern Golf and Country Club. Please join us to thank the outgoing Bridge and Executive Committee and welcome the incoming Bridge and Executive Committee. We will have a Southern Style Breakfast Buffet. D27 representative D/Lt/C Connie Shay, S and her husband Cdr Greg Shay, JN, of the Raleigh Sail & Power Squadron will join us for the Change of Watch.

At our annual meeting in January, we celebrated our 60th Anniversary. On hand were many historian scrapbooks that highlighted the members and activities during the past 60 years. During the social, we had a slide show of Squadron members at some of the more recent events of the Squadron, provided by photographer Marty Warner.

Members of CLSPS Executive Committee met on Sunday, 26 January at the New Bern Craven County Library to plan activities and events for the coming year. We are looking for members to organize some social activities and plan local on-the-water boating activities. If you have a suggestion for a speaker, please let our incoming Administrative Officer, Wayne Fretwell, know.

Our incoming SEO Bud Ellis will work with outgoing SEO Van Allen Rice to plan courses and seminars for our members and the other local boating clubs and boating public to attract students to the classes. If you interested in a course or seminar, please let Bud Ellis know.

We will participate again this year at the parking lot sale in Fairfield Harbour to benefit our Squadron on Saturday, April 4 at 7:30 am to 11:00 am. We have on hand boating equipment donated by members who no longer have their vessels and we appreciate the donation. We will update the calendar on our CLSPS website with the dates of the meetings and activities planned for the coming year.

Please mark your calendars for May 16-22, Safe Boating Week. We are planning a Blessing of the Fleet during that time frame. We need some members to coordinate the event, please consider volunteering and contact our incoming Executive Officer, Lloyd Moore, if you are able.

On June 5 and 6, District 27 will again have a rendezvous in New Bern. The incoming District Commander, Hugh Hayes, has invited our Squadron to assist with some of the events at the rendezvous. More information will be forthcoming.

We continue to work with Bender Apparel to prepare a temporary website for Squadron members to order new merchandise directly with either the America's Boating Club® logo or Cape Lookout Sail & Power Squadron 60th Anniversary logo. Bender will send an email with a flyer attached that shows the shirts, jackets and hats available. There will be a deadline for ordering and we hope to have the merchandise available at the March meeting. "New Bern" and the CLSPS burgee will be added under the ABC logo.

The USPS National Ship Store has apparel and items with America's Boating Club® logo. CLSPS Ship Store still has some apparel, hats, visors and burgees available. We have an opening for a chair of the Ship Store. We thank Tandy Hale for taking care of the inventory for the past few years.

We welcome Julia (Jule) Burke and Anthony (Tony) Tauber who were recruited by P/C Dick Ewan in January. Jule has sent a brief bio to be included in our newsletter. We look forward to meeting them at the Change of Watch at which time we will swear them in to Cape Lookout Sail & Power Squadron.

In the last two weeks, you should have received an email from United States Power Squadrons with the link to the new member safety and travel benefit of Dan Boater. It is free until your membership renewal, when there will be a \$25.00 additional charge. You have the option to opt out if you do not wish to continue the benefit.

The United States Power Squadrons® Annual Governing Board meeting will be 9-16 February at the Sawgrass Marriott Resort and Golf Club in Ponte Vedra, FL. We will be joining P/C Bill Ash, SN and his family, as Bill receives his 50th Merit Mark Award and becomes a Governing Board Member Emeritus.



Executive Officer

Lt/C Wayne Fretwell, P



As my year as EX officer ends I just want to say thank you to all who helped with my programs. We are "chilling out" or warming out for a spell in Florida but will be back for COW on the 29th when I will begin my new duties as ADMIN officer. I look forward to your continued support.

For those of you with boats, we will need your help with the Plienair art festival being held in New Bern in May by taking artists out in your boats.

I have been working with Foster Hughes of the Parks and Rec department on trying to get a life jacket loaner station at a boat ramp at Lawson Creek or another city park. More on that later.

Cheers!

The Outlook and other great information are available at the CLSPS website:

<http://www.clsps.org>

Administrative Officer

Lt/C Lloyd Moore, JN



As we start a new squadron year as America's Boating Club, New Bern, more than just our name is changing. We are still officially Cape Lookout Sail & Power Squadron, but we have adopted the new designation in hopes that it will resonate more with non-members and prospective members.

Our membership is also changing, as the number of members who own boats is declining. Recognizing this, the Executive Committee will focus more on social meetings this year so all members can be involved, not just the boat owners.

We will still plan boating outings when the weather cooperates, but they will be to destinations that have been popular in recent years, and ones that can be traveled to by boat or land yachts.

At the D/27 Training meeting in January, I attended a session on Cooperative Charting. A while back, the nautical version of the program went on a hiatus, as it was determined by NOAA that access to government computers by Power Squadron members represented too much of a security risk. The revised

version will allow most of the features of the old program, and reports will be sent to the district Co-op Charting chair, and discrepancies with Aids to Navigation will then be reported to the USCG.

We will need a squadron Co-op charting chairman, so if you would like to take part, please contact me.



Vessel Safety Check program

The Vessel Safety Examiners are ready to do their thing. The 2020 decals are in, and we have scheduled several sessions at local marinas, to offer safety checks to local boaters. But, our examiners will go to wherever you need to have your vessel checked out for safe operation for the 2020 season.

One of the additional benefits of having a Voluntary Safety Check is the discount on safety items available at West Marine when you show them your copy of your VSE.

We have an ambitious schedule for safety checks in Craven and Pamlico Counties.

Saturday, April 18. 0900-1200. Sea Harbour YC, Pecan Grove Marina, Oriental Harbor Marina

April (TBD) Camp Sea Gull and Seafarer

Saturday, April (TBD) Blackbeard's SC

Saturday, May 9, 0900-1200 Eastern Carolina Yacht Club

Saturday, May 16, (National Safe Boating Week) 0900-1200 New Bern Grand Marina

Saturday, May 16, (Blessing of the Fleet) 0900-1200 River Dunes Marina

Saturday (TBD) 0900-1200 Northwest Creek Marina

Saturday (TBD) 0900-1200 Bridgeton Harbor Marina

Saturday (TBD) 0900-1200 River Bend Marina

As always, contact one of our VS Examiners to have your vessel checked. Also recommend to your friends who may not be members of CLSPS to have their vessels, checked. Remind them that the VSE is voluntary, free, and only takes about 20 minutes. Having a current VSE decal posted on their vessel can save them some time on the water in the event they are stopped by a law enforcement agency for a safety check.

Owen Smith, VSC Chair

BITTS is the newsletter for District 27 The BITTS is usually published quarterly, and is loaded with information about our District <http://www.uspsd27.org/newsletter.htm>

A Quick Bio about Jule Burke and Tony Tauber

Jule was born and raised on the shores of the Delaware River a few short blocks from Farragut Yacht Club where she spent her youth. The family boat, Suejuljane spent many years cruising the Delaware River, Delaware Bay and the Chesapeake Bay.

At age 13 Jule's father built her a runabout she named, Powder Puff. Powder Puff was her responsibility to maintain, all but the 25 HP Scott Atwater that pulled hundreds of water skiers.

Over the years, she had owned and operated the family vessel, a 33-foot Chris-Craft which she raised her three sons on and a 24-foot Atlantic City Cat Boat

While Jule was busy boating and raising sons she also had a career in photography, videography and video editing for Caesars Atlantic City Casino. Tony was busy working as a professional theater lighting designer who has designed lighting for the Ice Capades, touring the entire US and Canada, ballets and operas in Providence, Rhode Island, Lighting Director for headline entertainers at the Playboy, Caesars, Resorts Casinos in Atlantic City.

When Tony and Jule moved to Las Vegas, Tony worked as Entertainment Technical Director with the Las Vegas Hilton and the Tropicana Casino. Jule produced a quarterly magazine for Friends of Red Rock Canyon, a national conservation area and designed a DMV license plate for Red Rock Canyon.

From the humid Atlantic Ocean, to the arid Mojave Desert was shocking. There were no rivers or streams to travel on—just Lake Mead. The scenery on 247 miles of Lake Mead became boring. But every chance they got they would head to Lake Mead to rent houseboats, runabouts or pontoon boats.

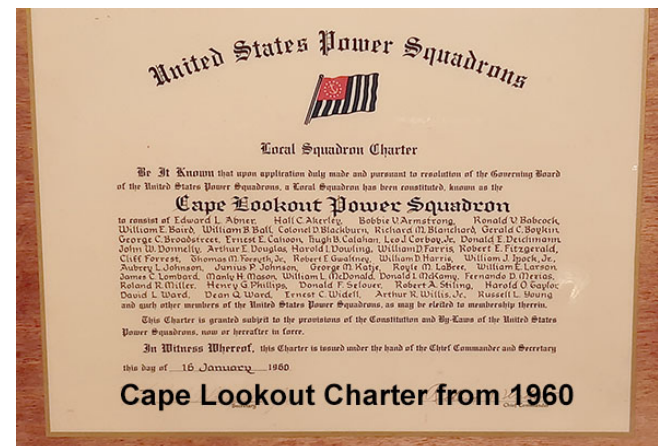
Now that they are back on the East Coast for almost three years and members of the New Bern Yacht Club, they would love to find the right boat for an older couple.

Happy Birthday to the
Following Members



February

Morton, Donald "Scott" — 6 Feb
Leahy, Pamela R. — 14 February
Collyar, Newton A. — 15 February
Campbell, Mary E. — 25 February



For tons of information about what's going on in our own District 27, take a look at their website.
District 27 of the United States Power Squadrons: <http://www.uspsd27.org/>

USPS Member Services Committee

When you need quick access to your squadron's roster just copy and paste this link into your URL bar:

<https://www.usps.org/cgi-bin-nat/tools/roster/list.cgi>

. From this link, you can create an email list, check your current roster, or add an associate member on the spot. Member Services would like to thank Susan Ryan for letting us know about this short cut. Susan says squadrons should promote associate membership because these members can be a big plus to your club. They do not add an additional expense or revenue to our treasury, but they can add a wealth of enthusiasm to squadron events and activities. Having information at your fingertips is important, and Member Services is here to help. Keeping your roster current helps your squadron stay in touch with its members. Commanders and bridge members, check your roster often, and set this New Year's resolution into motion: Contact every member at least once this year!

All pictures are from the January 60th Anniversary Dinner Meeting



Cape Lookout Sail & Power Squadron

2020–2021 CLSPS Officers – Elected by Acclamation 1/20/2020

Commander: Cdr Jane Moore, AP

Executive Officer: Lt/C Lloyd A. Moore, JN

Education Officer: Lt/C Glover (Bud) Ellis, Jr., SN

Asst. Education Officer: Open

Administrative Officer: Lt/C K Wayne Fretwell, P

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Asst. Secretary: 1/Lt Marty Warner, JN

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P/C John C. Kwak, JN
Elaine Lechner, AP
P/C June Reasons, P
P/C Jim Starr, JN
1/Lt Marty Warner, JN

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Audit Committee: Open

Rules Committee: Lt/C Lloyd A Moore, JN, Lt/C Wayne Fretwell, P, P/C June Reasons, P



Lt Bud Ellis

Cdr Jane Moore



Catherine and P/C Dick Ewan



Wendy Horne



Carolyn and P/D/C Mike McCulley



P/C Rob Thompson & P/C John Kwak



Carolyn Smith

& Tiki Warner



Lt/C Van Allen Rice & Lydia Ash

June's Jokes

P/C June Reasons, P



Go ahead, pick one that fits !! GETTING OLDER:

I changed my car horn to gunshot sounds. People get out of the way much faster now.

Old age is coming at a really bad time.

When I was a child I thought "Nap Time" was a punishment. Now, as a grownup, it feels like a small vacation.

The biggest lie I tell myself is, "I don't need to write that down, I'll remember it."

I don't have gray hair; I have "wisdom highlights"! I'm just very wise.

If God wanted me to touch my toes, He would've put them on my knees.

Last year I joined a support group for procrastinators. We haven't met yet.

Why do I have to press one for English when you're just going to transfer me to someone I can't understand anyway?

Of course I talk to myself. Sometimes I need expert advice.

Actually I'm not complaining because I am a Senager. (Senior teenager) I have everything that I wanted as a teenager, only 60 years later. I don't have to go to school or

work. I get an allowance every month. I have my own pad. I don't have a curfew. I have a driver's license and my own car. The people I hang around with are not scared of getting pregnant. And I don't have acne.

Ship's Store Inventory

Knit Shirts: Ladies and men's short sleeve knit shirts were \$30.00 - **NOW \$15.** Sizes 2X and 3X sell for \$33.00 - **NOW \$16.50**

They are available in red, white, navy, and other colors by request.

Sizes: Ladies: S, M, L, XL, 2X, and 3X. Men's: S, M, L, XL, 2X and 3X.

Denim Shirts: Denim cloth shirts come in both short and long sleeves.

They are all priced at \$25.00 - **NOW** 1/2 off = \$12.50 each. Available sizes--same as above.

Squadron Burgee sells for \$25.00.

Pennant magnets are priced at \$5. They can be placed on your vehicle, refrigerator, or potentially anywhere!

Hats and Visors are **ONLY** \$10.

Fleece jackets: Men and Women—sizes: S, M, L, and XL sell for \$42.00 - **NOW \$21.00**; XXL = \$45.00 - **NOW \$22.50.**

Fleece Vest: We have navy, but other colors can be ordered.

Sizes: S, M, L, and XL (Ladies and Men's) sell for \$36.00 - **NOW \$18.** XXL = \$40.00 - **NOW \$20.**

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The Cape Lookout Sail & Power Squadron cordially invites you to the
59th Annual Change of Watch
at the New Bern Golf & Country Club,
4301 Country Club Rd., New Bern, NC 28562
on Saturday, 29 February 2020
at 1030 Social/cash bar 1100 Breakfast
Southern Style Breakfast Buffet
at \$25.00 per person



Dress is Uniform A or appropriate attire (please, no bow ties)
Please advise if there are any special diet restrictions or food allergies

Raleigh Sail & Power Squadron members P/D/C Greg Shay and his wife,
D/Lt Connie Shay will be attending the COW.
D/LT Connie Shay will be installing the officers.

Reservations with check payable to CLSPS should be mailed
prior to 24 February 2020 to:
Lt/C Lloyd Moore, 6008 Booty Lane, New Bern, NC 28560-6413
252-637-5547 Email: lloyd.moore@suddenlink.net

Name: _____

Name: _____

Number attending _____ x \$25.00 each = Amount enclosed \$ _____



Victoria
Younger P/C Bill Ash



Lt/C Van Allen Rice & Lydia Ash



P/C Wayne Fretwell and Elaine Lechner

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Lloyd.moore@suddenlink.net if you have any changes to the information we have on file such as boat information, e-mail or mailing address, birthdays, telephone number etc.

Please provide information to the Editor by the 20th of the month by e-mail for the next newsletter. Late items will appear in the next issue of the Outlook. Marty Warner—rwarnr4@ec.rr.com

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