

Your LODGE CREEK YACHT CLUB Connection

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OLVERSON'S CUP RACE DAY FINALLY ARRIVES



RACE DAY EXCITEMENT AND ANTICIPATION FILLED THE AIR - WAITING FOR THE FIRST RACE

The weather was threatening, but the enthusiasm, laughter and excitement was able to push the threat of more rain away.

It was evident that the “B Dock Race Team” had mustered all their resources and were prepared for the large crowd that were in attendance. The horses were sponsored by each of Olverson’s 5 (pad)docks, and were well adorned and prepared for the days grueling races. The highly competitive field was – “A” Dock, disqualified, Jockey fell off at the starting gate; “B” Dock, was “Her Ass” with Rich Verdillo-jockey, who was well prepared for the blazing speed he would encounter in each race; “C” Dock, was “C-Biscuit” with Kathie Thompson in the saddle; “D” Dock was “One Eyed Willie” with Rodney Williams steering the bus; and “E” Dock was “Leaping Lizard” with Lori Rappa applying the whip.



Bob Woodburn introducing the horses and jockeys

(l to r) Rodney Williams riding “One Eyed Willie”; Kathie Thompson riding “C-Biscuit”; Lori Rappa riding “Leaping Lizard”; and Rich Verdillo riding “Her Ass”

The betting windows opened early, and the odds for each horse fluctuated as the races grew near. Betting was heavy and spirited, not only was there money at stake, but each win increased the opportunity to take home some great prizes. Most of the serious gamblers had their eye on the beautiful bottle of “Makers Mark” donated by Amy and Craig Cook.

Before long, the betting window was closed, the horses and jockeys introduced, and the dice were rolled. The announcer quickly commented – “And They Are Off”!

THE INTERLUDE WAS A WONDERFUL STEAK DINNER,
EXPERTLY PREPARED WITH ALL THE FIXINGS



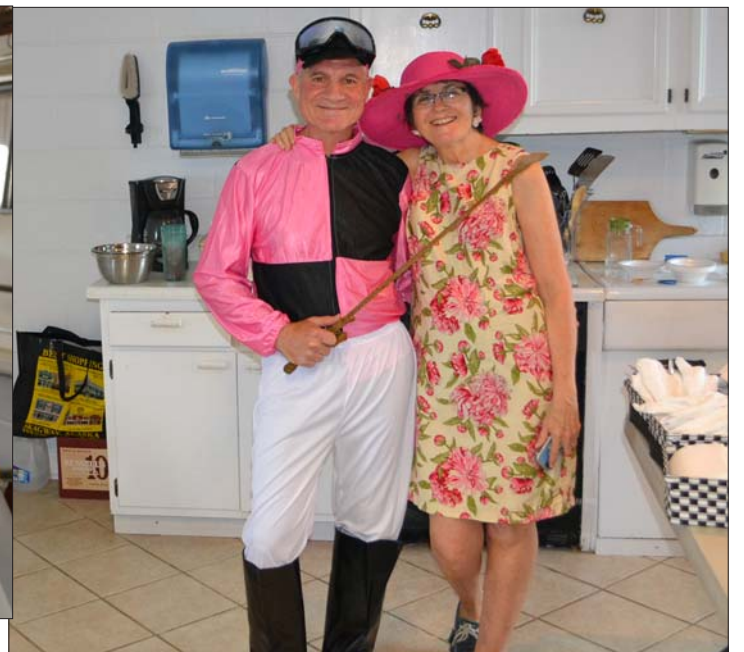
Bill Sullivan – our "Master" Chef





Commodore Bill Ward (r) presents the official LCYC burgee to members Sam and Bev Moody during the event. They were members 14 years ago and are now welcomed back!

Fred Olverson (r) congratulates Jacob Novak on graduating from VMI and his granddaughter Beverly Trice for soon to start her freshman year at Bridgewater College

























OLVERSON'S CUP GRAND CHAMPION . . .
LORI RAPPA RIDING "LEAPING LIZARD"



REMINDER . . . JUNE 9TH . . . LCYC's "C" DOCK
FAMILY FEUD GAME NIGHT - OLVERSON'S EDITION

FAMILY
FEUD



You're Invited!

Remember to RSVP to Geri McInerney

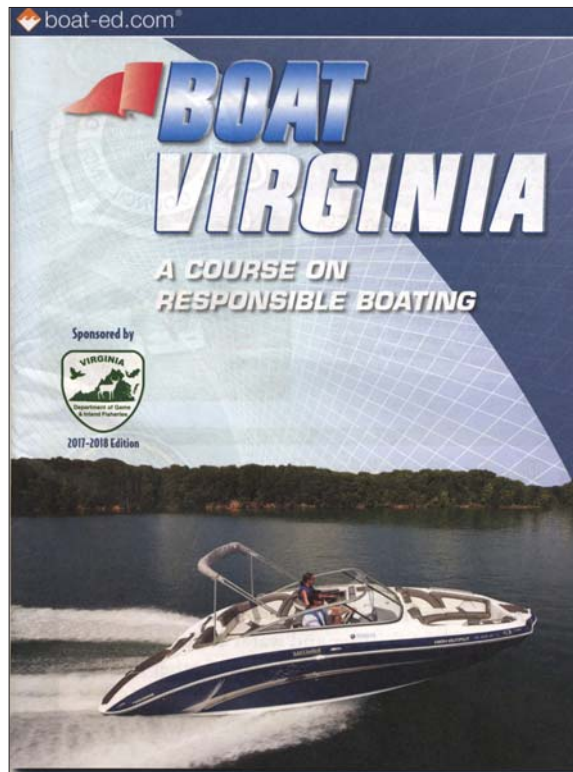
JUNE 2ND • VA BOATING SAFETY CLASS

This class always fills up quickly, so call the Marina office and reserve your space today. The class is free, and Olverson's provides a complementary lunch.

To operate a motor vessel of 10 hp or more in Virginia waters, you must be able to provide law enforcement proof of completion of an approved boating safety course such as this one.

All materials are included, and it's recommended to bring a pencil w/eraser. There is an exam and a successful passing grade of 70% is required.

Bring a friend, neighbor or relative and enjoy this informative class.



YOUR VA STATE INSTRUCTORS



David Teets



Erik Amato

JUNE 3RD • VESSEL SAFETY CHECK DAY

In conjunction with the above Virginia Boating Safety Class and National Safe Boating Week, your two Boating Safety class instructors will be offering a full day of Vessel Safety Checks on June 3rd. This voluntary inspection will assure you have all the minimum safety requirements needed to comply with Federal and VA State laws. So get your boat ready and schedule a VSC.



Fred Olverson Says . . .

CONGRATULATIONS! You've taken the time to receive a Vessel Safety Check of your vessel by one of Olverson's two resident Qualified Vessel Examiners, David Teets (USPS) or Erik Amato (USCGAux).

I am a strong advocate of Boating Safety and encourage all of Olverson's boating community to be safe on our beautiful waterways. I'd like to reward you by providing one (1)

FREE PUMPOUT

Just present this signed coupon to the Dockmaster.

Required Vessel Examiner Signature _____

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Successfully complete a Vessel Safety Check on your boat by one of Olverson's two certified Vessel Examiners and receive a FREE PUMPOUT – compliments of Fred Olverson.

