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Faces of Boating

MORE NEWS STORIES INSIDE!

Boaters' Boot Camp Rescheduled

August is Catalina Month

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We Hope Your Visit Will Be Relaxing!





Deltaville's own, Katie Crittenden, aboard U.S.S Comfort serving NYC -Deltaville is proud of Katie (rittenden, Faces of Boating Dyc Loves Boaters serving aboard USS Comfort in NYC

Rhonda & Brian S. Bringing Another Story' home to DYC







Ben & Brenda H. aboard 2020 (atalina 425 s/v Allibeth'

Laurie & Pete M. aboard 2020 Catalina 385 'Cuckoo'

Dates to Remember May 2020 thru November 2020

4/1 to 4/30/20 RESCHEDULED Catalina Month to 8/1 to 8/31/20

5/2 & 5/3/20 RESCHEDULED Deltaville Dealer Days Boat Show to 10/24 & 10/25/20 www.deltavilleva.com

5/7 & 5/9/20 CANCELLED AGLCA Spring Rendezvous Norfolk www.greatloop.org

5/9/20 CANCELLED Deltaville Seafood Festival www.deltavilleva.com

5/16/20 CANCELLED Romp @ Rivah Sale, Boat Show & Customer Appreciation Day @ DYC

6/13/20 CANCELLED USCG Aux. Flotilla 62 Free Vessel Safety Inspections @ DYC – hope to reschedule when USCG lifts Covid 19 restrictions.

6/13 & 6/14/20 RESCHEDULED

Boaters' Boot Camp @ DYC to 8/1 & 8/2/20 richmondboatclub@yahoo.com with interest for future.

7/4/20 Deltaville 5K & Kids Fun Run www.deltavilleva.com for updates. Still scheduled as of 4/10.

8/1 & 8/2/20 Boaters' Boot Camp @ Deltaville Community Association Building 9am-5pm richmondboatclub@yahoo.com Richmond Power & Sail Instructors (see page 5)

8/8/20 Sizzlin' Summer Sale, Boat Show & Customer Appreciation Day @ DYC- come inside for Snacks & FREE gift!

8/1 to 8/31/20 CATALINA MONTH @ DYC- Check out a Catalina w/ CYS Broker & Receive a FREE gift! **10/1 to 10/4/20 Chesapeake Yacht Sales** @ True North Dock Annapolis Powerboat Show

10/8 to 10/12/20 Chesapeake Yacht Sales @ Catalina Dock Annapolis Sailboat Show

10/14/20 AGLCA Fall Rendezvous Rogersville, AL www.greatloop.org

10/24 & 10/25/20 13th Annual Deltaville Dealer Days Boat Show Fall Version @ DYC www.deltavilleva.com

11/21/20 Christmas At The Rivah Sale BOATERS' BOUTIQUE CYS Boat Show & DYC Customer

Appreciation Day @DYC – come inside for Snacks & FREE gift!



Chesapeake Yacht Sales Brokerage Services



WHY LIST OR BUY WITH CYS? We Work for You!

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Commission Original Oil Painting

Commission an original oil painting of your boat, your boating memorabilia, your home or your dock by marine artist and Chesapeake sailor, Lew Thatcher. Own a lifetime memento of all those great days on the Bay. Surprisingly reasonable prices! Contact Lew Thatcher at 804-436-1606. lewthatcher@yahoo.com or Onna Grimm at DYC 804-776-9898 info@dycboat.com. 🎍



LEW THATCHER, ARTIST & SAILOR

Deltaville Sailing Charters Leaving Daily From Deltaville Yachting Center

Go for a private sailing charter with Captain Mike Grose on the Rappahannock River & Chesapeake Bay. Day sails leave as you schedule from Deltaville Yachting Center. A wonderful memory or gift for someone special, pack a picnic and call Captain Mike Grose 804-317-0671.

www.deltavillesailingcharters.com

Private instruction on your vessel and vessel delivery also available. \downarrow



DYC Boaters Have Beautiful Adventure 30 Countries & Territories in 3 Years



BRUCE & LAUREN V. & FAMILY, LAGOON 38 'VIDORA'

After working on their Lagoon 38 repower and refit with Deltaville Yachting Center Bruce and Lauren V. and family went on a Beautiful Adventure. \downarrow

The following article was written by Bruce & Lauren V.

After years of talking and dreaming of sailing into the sunset, the day came when it was time to put words into action. In 2014 Bruce, Lauren, with their 2 boys Sam and Luke purchased a boat in Florida with little to no sailing experience. Sam was in college and Luke was only 3 weeks old. They headed down to Florida and found a used charter catamaran that fit most of their needs. She was a 2003 Lagoon 380 and in simply horrible condition, but she was well within budget.

They sailed the boat to Deltaville Yachting Center (DYC), where Bruce and Lauren had met Lew and Onna Grimm and had decided that DYC would be the perfect place to refit the vessel. 1 year later, with new rigging, electronics, diesels, and more, the newly named Vidorra (meaning the good life) was ready to go. DYC provided valuable expertise and assistance throughout the entire refit and Bruce and Lauren were grateful that they found the perfect home for the project.

In October of 2015, the Vanderbilts sold most everything they owned and untied the lines with no plan other than heading south for a year. They liked to say they were on the "No Plan, Plan" because they really didn't know what to expect, especially with being such novice sailors. They didn't know if they'd even make it out of the country but had the goal of at least seeing the Bahamas.

They pushed south quickly and explored much of the Bahamas including out islands like Conception and Mayaguana. The Vanderbilts were then successful in sailing the thorny path, known as the route between the Bahamas and the Eastern Caribbean, that can be quite rough with an eastern heading that requires boats to plow into seas, against the currents, and against the trade winds with only a few harbors of refuge. By the end of the first year, they had surprised themselves by making it all the way to Grenada for hurricane season.

The first year presented a huge learning curve, with nearly every rookie mistake being made at least once. Landing in Grenada felt like having climbed a mountain, and having finally adjusted to their new way of life, they decided to continue on in the search of new adventures for one more season. They sailed back up the eastern Caribbean enjoying all the islands had to offer.

They cast off from Martinique and explored remote Venezuelan islands, the ABCs (Aruba, Bon Air, Curacao), Colombia, remote areas of Panama including the deepest of the Guna Yala territory and San Blas Islands, on to Providencia, San Andreas, the Caymans, and landing in the Rio Dulce of Guatemala at the start of the 2017 hurricane season.

After a few months of boat work and a visit home, they set out again for a 3rd season to explore Honduras, Belize, Mexico, Cuba, and another round of the Bahamas before sailing back to the United States.



Each year became incrementally better as they learned to sail and live abroad, while building lifelong friendships, and exploring increasingly interesting locations. The Vanderbilts had explored 30 countries and

territories, anchored at 122 different islands, sailed 11,500 nautical miles, made lifelong friends with people from dozens of countries, and witnessed their 1 year old baby grow into a 4 year old salty sailor. The journey exceeded all their expectations and developed a family bond that are beyond words. It was sharing a once in a lifetime adventure where life was amplified as the highs were higher and the lows were lower. It wasn't always easy, but the experience was priceless.

Thanks DYC for helping dreams come true! 4

Boaters' Boot Camp Rescheduled Location & Date Changed

* To allow for social distancing, the location of Day 1 (August 1) will be the Deltaville Community Association Building in center of Deltaville village. Day 2 (August 2) will be aboard instructors vessels.

1 Day Classroom 1 Day Onboard Instructor Boat August 1 & 2 • 9 am–5 pm Coffee & Lunch Compliments Chesapeake Yacht Sales

For Course Content & To Register please contact: richmondboatclub@yahoo.com

The 4th year of offering Boaters' Boot Camp at DYC will give you and your crew the perfect blend of classroom and onboard training in basic boating skills. Whether you plan to use a power boat or a sail boat, this 2 day course will help you leave the dock. The instructors from Richmond Power & Sail Squadron are helpful, interesting and focused on your needs. Day 1 will be in the Deltaville Community Association building Rt. 33 and Day 2, you will use your skills onboard the instructor(s) boat(s).

COST: \$250 includes all materials for 1 student. Spouse/partner may participate for FREE. Students receive 1 year FREE family or single USPS Membership by participating in Boaters' Boot Camp. ↓

Don't Miss the Boat!

Get electronic news from Deltaville Yachting Center & Chesapeake Yacht Sales

SIGN UP NOW!



Deltaville Dealer Days Boat Show 2020–Fall Edition! Saturday October 24 and Sunday October 25 10 am to 4 pm • 5 Deltaville Dealers With New & Used Boats

Spread the word! Deltaville Dealer Days Boat Show, October 24 & 25, 2020 is the time to shop both new and used boats in Deltaville, The Boating Capital of The Chesapeake.



Each year this event gets bigger and better. Chesapeake Yacht Sales is one of the 5 local new boat dealers (power & sail) who participate in this annual boat show. Visit each of the dealerships for food, doorprize registration and fun boat shopping. Boats will be on display and dealers will welcome you with special deals.

For more info check out www.deltavilleva.com or email us at info@dycboat.com. $\mathring{\downarrow}$



DEALERS PLAN 13TH ANNUAL DEALER DAYS BOAT SHOW (PHOTO TAKEN BEFORE SOCIAL DISTANCING!)

The Deltaville Dockside Inn (Next to DYC) Big News in Deltaville!

The Deltaville Dockside Inn has been completely rebuilt and is ready for your stay. For reservations, please call (804) 776-1021. $\mathring{\downarrow}$





DOCKSIDE INN ROOMS HAVE BEEN GIVEN A REFRESHING FACE-LIFT



DOCKSIDE INN HAS BEEN RENOVATED AND IS OPEN FOR BUSINESS

Deltaville Spirit – Small Businesses Are Essential Amazing Curbside Service During Difficult Times

Under strict Covid 19 Guidelines and careful rulings by Middlesex County, the little village of Deltaville has cared for the essential needs of the community. All businesses who were able to remain open have learned how to keep their clients and team members safe from the spread of virus. It is impossible to mention all the community effort of businesses, churches and residents. However, please allow us to give a shout out to these 4 small businesses that make life better in Deltaville, VA. ↓



DELTAVILLE MARKET – GROCERIES

CAFÉ BY THE BAY – COFFEES, TEAS & MORE





HURD'S TRUE VALUE – HARDWARE DOESN'T SAY IT ALL....

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There is a New Girl In Town DYC Adds 22,000 lb. Capacity Forklift

To meet the needs of our Hi Dri Boatel clients, Deltaville Yachting Center has retired the smallest lift and replaced it with a 22,000 pound capacity Wiggins forklift. DYC Boatel has an ever growing group of happy boaters who enjoy the newly expanded boatel racks, improved dock area and great DYC customer



service. Say hello to 'Big Bertha' the next time you see James, Mike or Tony launching boats.

Ask For Marina Discount Enterprise Rental Cars

When you call Enterprise Rental Car, there are two things that will be helpful- Enterprise has a



marina customer pick up service to take you to their office/rental vehicles & Enterprise offers DYC CUSTOMERS a MARINA DISCOUNT – but ONLY IF YOU REQUEST the marina discount when you make rental car arrangements. \downarrow



NEWLY EXPANDED DYC BOATEL RACKS

Annapolis Powerboat Show October 1 - 4 CYS Dockside With True North Downeast Cruisers

Annapolis Sailboat Show October 8 - 12

CYS Dockside With Catalina Yacht Sailboats



TRUE NORTH COCKPIT







Chesapeake Yacht Sales is a proud dealer for both True North Downeast Cruisers and Catalina Yachts Sailboats. October 2020 will be a busy month in Annapolis for both the Power Boat Show and the Sail Boat Show. CYS will have ONCE A YEAR boatshow specials to offer that you will not want to miss. Come see us and check out these great boats! (Boatshow Specials will extend to Deltaville Dealer Days Boat Show Oct. 24 & 25th) ↓



CLICK HERE TO READ DYC STORM POLICY

Dear Deltaville Yachting Center,

Thank you for your kind donation of protective masks for our nursing use. Please continue to pray for healthcare workers as I know you are.

B.N., *RN*

Grimm Family Sailing You Can Relive Your Youth

Lew Grimm arranged an awesome family sailing trip for January, 2020 to share the experience with granddaughters, son in law and daughter in law. Lew, Onna and their son and daughter have sailed the British Virgin Islands several times, each trip with its own memories. With 20 years since the last visit, it was great to slip back to the British Virgin Islands for a wonderful Moorings charter vacation. The 45' Leopard Catamaran was roomy and a fun hub of activities for our family of 8. The take away for all was 'total beauty in paradise'! The BVIs are better than ever and totally open to

business following the 2018 hurricanes. Everywhere we went the locals said 'Tell your friends we need them to come!'. ↓



CATAMARAN AT ST. JOHN MOORING

GRIMM'S DINGHY TO SHORE

James Morris, Marine Tech Journeyman Virginia State Apprenticeship Completion



JAMES MORRIS RECEIVES MARINE TECH CERTIFICATE

James W. Morris, Marine Technician at Deltaville Yachting Center, completed his Marine Services Technician Journeyman certification. The Va. Apprenticeship Council requires 4000 hours of specific coursework combined with on the job hours. Virginia Apprenticeship Consultant, Delores Ferrell, complimented James Morris for this achievement which took dedication and hard work. DYC has participated in the coordination of apprenticeships since 2005 with an exceptional completion rate. Lew Grimm, Owner Manager DYC commented, "We are very happy for James in this accomplishment. James combines technical skills with great customer service as he helps our boaters have fun with boats." ↓



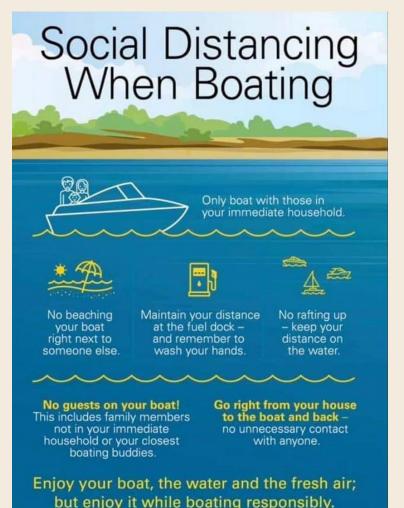
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Social Distancing When Boating

Deltaville Yachting Center and Chesapeake Yacht Sales are working hard to keep boaters and employees safe and healthy. Please join our email list to receive the latest updates regarding Covid 19 guidelines related to boating and visiting Middlesex County. Social Distancing, sanitizing and careful hand washing are being carefully followed. \downarrow





August is Catalina Month at DYC Chesapeake Yacht Sales LOVES Catalina/Yachts

The entire month of August we are celebrating Catalina Yachts 50 years of making wonderful sailboats. Any time in August 2020 come by DYC and get onboard any Catalina (new or used) with Gordon Inge, CYS Yacht Broker & receive a complimentary Catalina gift PLUS your name will go in a drawing for 'Dinner for Two' at The Table. ↓



CYS SELLS ALL SIZES OF CATALINA SAILBOATS



CLINT AND CYS YACHT BROKER, GORDON INGE SEATRIAL 2020 CATALINA 425

DYC Team Welcomes Back Clint Almarode, DYC Team

DYC boaters will remember Clint Almarode for his positive professional approach to boating service. We are happy to have life bring Clint back onboard at DYC. Be sure to say hello when you see Clint in the boatyard. \downarrow

Safe Service For You DYC Techs Work Within Guidelines

Spring moved in with beautiful weather and had boaters anticipating the end of quarantine. We are thankful that DYC techs remained healthy and readily practiced Covid 19 Guidelines to assure our boaters that workorders would move ahead.

The DYC Service team worked hard completing rigging replacements, electronic upgrades and bottom restorations as boats were launched awaiting happy owners. ↓



YOUR DYC SERVICE TEAM MAKING REPAIRS AND UPGRADES WHILE STAYING ON SCHEDULE