



THE HARBOUR LIGHT



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EVENTS IN MAY

BOARD MEETING: 07 MAY

7:30 P.M at the Community Center

MEMBERSHIP MEETING: 14 MAY

At the Community Center on Mill Creek Rd.

7:30 PM: Doors Open Early - Come Help Set Up.

7:45 PM: Meeting Starts With Club Business:

- Committee Reports
- Winter Flounder FOM Award
- Club Business
- 8:00 pm Guest Speaker Capt. Al Zlata of A to Z charters in Barnegat will speak on light tackle and fly fishing with artificials in the bay.
- All-Present Fishing Discussion Break

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE by Bill Logan

What a great way to start off the year with a very knowledgeable speaker and a full house. We thank Captain Fran Verdi of Drop off fishing charter for his very informative talk on the New Jersey fishing regulations and how the Strippers migrate up and down the coast and spawning habits. Capt Fran is also on the board of the new RFA New Jersey Chapter. He has put a lot of work into the new RFA chapter and we wish him good luck and our support. I hope you all enjoyed Capt. Fran's talk as much as I did. It was nice to see so many members picking his brains during the break. This is what our club is all about, acquiring and sharing fishing knowledge. Don't forget if you want a good day fishing book a trip with Captain Fran on his Drop Off.

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome all of the new members to the club and congratulations to our new member Robert Ackerman on winning the Flea Market drawing at our April meeting. I hope you enjoy the club and look forward to seeing you at the meetings. A special thanks to Vince Sibona and John Kleban for their hard work on this project.

I want to remind you that at every meeting we have a suggestion box (Bait Box) if you have any ideas or would like to suggest something fill out the card and drop it in the box.

Our next general membership meeting is May 14th and again Bill Dabney has another great speaker lined up for us. Capt Al Zlata of A to Z Charters in Barnegat will speak on light tackle and fly fishing with artificials in the bay. I am looking forward to hear him speak.

Jim Hutchinson Sr. will be presenting the Captain Melanie Boytos Award, come see who is the winner this year.

I would like to give a special thank you and congratulations to Tom Story, first for stepping up to the plate for getting the refreshments and then setting them up for the meetings, and also to Steve Cook for helping Tom. Without Tom, there would have been no refreshments. Secondly, on his big, big winnings for the poker chip award (2) \$ 25.00 Gift certificates plus \$40.00 in cash, way to go Tom. It doesn't cost to belong to the club it PAYS.

We are always looking for members to get involved with the board, new faces bring new ideas, if you would like to visit at a board meeting let any board member know and we will make arrangements.

One last and very important item, DUES, All dues are due May 14th. We will again have a sign up table at May's meeting. Bring a friend let him see for himself what we are all about. And what we are all about, is you, our members.

Thank You and Tight Lines

Bill Logan

2010 TROPHY FISH OF THE YEAR AS OF 05/02 BY John Kleban

Blackfish
 Bluefish
 Fluke
 Sea Bass
 Striped Bass 30 lb 10 oz Robert Kokai
 Weakfish
 W. Flounder 1.76 lbs. Vince Sibona

Congratulations to all those listed above.
 Please weigh in your fish at our weigh in stations.

2010 TROPHY FISH OF THE YEAR PROGRAM by John Kleban

The same seven species will continue for our 2010 Trophy Fish of the Year Program.

Blackfish
Bluefish
Fluke
Sea Bass
Striped Bass
Weakfish
Winter Flounder

The rules are simple: you have to catch a fish of the above species, take it to one of our official weigh stations to have it weighed and recorded on our official weigh-in forms. If you have weighed in the largest fish of a particular species for the calendar year 2010, then you win the FOY trophy for that species. Note: your dues have to be paid before you catch an eligible fish.

2010 FISH OF THE MONTH AWARDS by John Kleban

The award for Winter Flounder will be announced at the May General Membership meeting.

2010 FISH OF THE MONTH AND FISH OF THE YEAR AWARDS by John Kleban

Due to changes in New Jersey Fishing Regs, there are changes in the 2010 Trophy Fish of the Month Program:

March & April	Winter Flounder
May	Striped Bass
June	Fluke
July	Bluefish
August	Fluke
September	Sea Bass & Weakfish
October/November	Striped Bass & Bluefish

Fish of the Year & Month standings are recapped and updated on our website frequently. Click on the site to get current standings.

GET INVOLVED IF YOU WANT TO CONTINUE FISHING! by Dave Sikorski

We all know that fishing is not a spectator sport. Well, Democracy isn't either. Since joining the VHFC many years ago, I have learned a lot about both. The sad thing that I have learned about our democratic process is that it is working against us (in terms of our fishing rights). Of course this is all based on good intentions (rebuilding fisheries that have been severely depleted), but like many good intentions there can be unintended consequences. Such is the case in fisheries management. Congress has created laws which govern fisheries management, most notably the Magnusson-Stevens Act or MSA. This Law provides the basis for federal and inter-state agencies, commissions and councils to manage the populations of sport fisheries along our coast lines. In the case of some species, such as Striped Bass, Bluefish, Fluke and Spiny Dogfish, the management structure has proven highly successful. In others, not so much.

The management process includes what is called public input. This is where our involvement comes in. For many years, a hand full of recreational fishing advocates, including our friends at the JCAA, the RFA and the NJOA, as well as others, have been involved in the process on our behalf. Lately, it seems that their efforts are just not enough, especially when recreational interests are opposed by well-funded organizations which lobby very strongly for regulations which decrease our access to fisheries which have been rebuilt as in the case of Fluke (aka Summer Flounder) and Black Sea Bass.

We need more recreational anglers, fishing club members, and fans of sense and sensibility to get involved in the democratic process, to let our elected representatives know that we need their support for sensible regulations to manage the sport we all love so much. There are a few ways to get the attention of our governmental representatives: money, votes and letters. Since recreational anglers don't have any foundations with millions of dollars to donate to political campaigns, we need to utilize the power our votes and the pen. I mean this literally. We need to write letters to our representatives to gain their support on a number of issues which threaten our rights to fish. I won't list them here, but we will list

them on the site we will be using for this purpose. We understand that hand written letters are much more effective than the form letters and electronic messages we have become accustomed to lately. This effort will be an old-fashioned pen and paper, envelope and stamp process. If we collectively send enough letters, and keep sending letters, our elected officials will take notice.

In order to enable this, we are creating a "Letters" section on the Chum bucket's Website Forum under the "Politics" Topic, where we can post some sample letters which recreational anglers can then write themselves and send to their representatives.

Please go to the following link, and look at the sample letters posted there. Get out the pen and paper and write a letter. You don't have to write exactly what's there; feel free to make some changes and make it our own. In fact, that is probably a better approach.

<http://thechumbucket.com/forum/index.php?board=14.0>

This needs to be an on going effort, not a one time shot. If we are going to be successful, this must create and maintain some momentum.

Please take the time to view this forum and write a letter. We hope that you will find this quite easy and painless, and that you will get involved, to protect your rights to fish.

Come back to this site once in a while to see more letters to send, and please send some letters.

Do it for your kids and grand kids' sake, as well as your own.

THANKS!

GREAT WEBSITE FOR TIDES INFORMATION by Brian Leary

If you are looking for tidal information, I have used www.tidesonline.com and found it to be very helpful.

VHFC T- SHIRTS AVAILABLE by Vince Sibona
VHFC T- shirts will be available at all meetings. The cost is \$18. Please see Vince to purchase yours while supplies last. T shirts may also be purchased by mail. Please send a check for \$23 which includes shipping

to: VHFC, P.O. Box 1026, Manahawkin, NJ 08050.
These shirts are very nice & are being sold at cost.

REEF DAY OUTING (1997) by Basil Dubrosky

During the early years of the VHFC, some of us started fishing the GSS reef with great success. The LE reef was not yet in place so the GSS was the place to go. Those of us who fished the reef came back with stories of large black bass and tog and Bill Figley, the brains behind the NJ artificial reef program, had talked at a meeting, further raising interest.

I decided to lead a reef day caravan for those club members who wanted to fish the reef but were unsure of the trip and what to do when they got there. On the day of the event, 11 boats met at the LEI Buoy and they all followed me out to the reef.

Ed Sidell, one of the charter members of the club accompanied me and was excited about trying his latest invention, a marker float with a pop up flag. Ed was a retired automotive engineer with a garage full of tools and machines and loved to fix or create innovative gadgets. He was a colorful character who invested many of his hours helping with club activities and was loved for his outspoken tirades during club meetings. Ed was also very talented at getting merchandise donations from local merchants for use in the Artificial Reef benefit raffle at the annual club tournament and picnic. He never went away empty handed.

When we reached the reef site I announced to the caravan that I was dropping a white bleach bottle float on one of my favorite drifts and they should take turns drifting by the float. It worked great and people were bailing black bass but it was a bit crowded. I told the group that I was headed to another site to drop another float and some of them should follow. When I got to the new site Ed Sidell dropped his "innovative" float in the water. It went in and bobbed up and down, the automatic flag went up and it the whole thing flipped over burying the flag in the water. Ed was disappointed but was determined to implement the necessary engineering changes to fix his invention.

I put out another bleach bottle float and we continued drifting by it, joking with the other club members who would hold up their fish for comparison to ours.

The wind started coming up so I told the group remaining that I would be picking up the floats and heading home. As I reached the area where my first float was dropped I spotted a foreign boat in the process of picking up my float. I greeted him with the determination of a lobsterman approaching a trap thief. I caught him in time and got my clearly marked VHFC float back on board.

It was a great day of discovery and fishing and turned a bunch of club members on to reef fishing. I am not sure if Ed Sidell was ever able to perfect his flag float but he was still working on it the last time I went fishing with him.

A DELICIOUS RECIPE by Bill Dabney

Filets Baked in Sauvignon Sauce

This recipe can be prepared with fillets of most any white meat fish, including Fluke, Sea Bass, Porgies, Striped Bass, and Croaker.

Ingredients:

4 medium size fillets, not more than ½ inch thick
2 3-inch fresh tomatoes sliced or 15 cherry tomatoes sliced
1 small yellow onion sliced
½ cup skim milk
1 tablespoon cornstarch
½ cup Sauvignon Blanc (Preferably New Zealand)
½ teaspoon basil
2 tablespoons margarine

Preparation:

Spray a pie-size Pyrex dish with cooking spray. Then place the fillets in the dish and cover with the sliced tomatoes & onion.

In a small saucepan, melt the margarine over medium heat. Mix the tablespoon of cornstarch with a ¼ cup of water, as this will thicken the sauce and not cause it to be lumpy, which is often the cause with flour. Add this to the margarine and gradually add skim milk until the sauce takes on a creamy or thick consistency however you prefer. Remove the pan from the heat and gradually add the sauvignon Blanc wine.

Pour the sauce over the fish, tomatoes, & onion, and lightly cover with the basil. Place in an oven that has been preheated to 350 degrees. Bake the dish for 25 to 30 minutes, until the fillets flake when tested with

a fork. Place the fillets on to individual dishes and pour the sauce over them, and serve piping hot.

FISHING THE NJ REEFS? By Bill Dabney

The NJ DEP's Division of Fish and Wildlife is pleased to announce the release of the third edition of its popular publication, A Guide to Fishing and Diving New Jersey's Reefs. The guide is a valuable reference for anyone interested in fishing or diving on the state's artificial reefs. This revised edition of the guide contains DGPS charts of 17 reef network sites (including 3 new sites) and information on more than 4,000 patch reefs. In addition to reef locations and charts, the guide includes information on the types of materials used to construct the various reefs and how to utilize the reefs for diving and fishing. The guide is available in PDF format in its entirety and in sections on the NJ DEP Division of Fish and Wildlife's website - there will be no print edition available. To download all or portions of the guide visit:

<http://www.njfishandwildlife.com/artreefguide09.htm>

. For information on the artificial reef program, visit <http://www.njfishandwildlife.com/artreef.htm> .

SALTWATER REGISTRATION REQUIRED by Dave Sikorski

The NJ DEP Division of Fish and Wildlife reminds saltwater anglers that the Federal government's National Saltwater Angler Registry Program requires most New Jersey saltwater anglers to register prior to fishing in 2010.

You must register if you*

* Fish for or catch anadromous species (striped bass, shad, river herring) in state tidal waters

* Fish in Federal waters (more than 3 miles from shore)

you do not have to register if you*

* Are under 16 years of age

* Only fish on federally licensed party or charter boats

* Hold a Highly Migratory Species Angling Permit

Online and telephone registration will begin January 1, 2010. Register online at www.countmyfish.noaa.gov or call toll free 888-674-7411.

Registration is free in 2010.

POKER CHIP DRAWING UPDATE by John Henson

Each month, we will draw the name of a member at our meeting. If you are present you will win \$10. If the winner is not present, the next month the prize amount increases by \$10. Congratulations to our April winner Tom Story. Tom was the winner of \$60 in Cash and also \$50 worth of "Chum Bucket" gift certificates that were donated by guest speaker Capt. Fran Verdi of the "Fish The Drop Off" charters. Way to go Tom!!!

MONTHLY HANDS ON by John Henson

We will have the Hands On table at every meeting. Let me know if you want to help out or just stop by if you have any fishing questions.

CLASSIFIED ADS by Ray Williams

Classified ads may be placed free of charge by any club member for non-commercial fishing related items. Please contact me at 978-1480 if you wish to place a free ad. Please contact me if you wish to renew an ad from last year.

FISHING WITH CLUB MEMBERS

Members may place free ads in this section if you wish to find someone to fish with. Maybe you need to find someone with a boat or you are interested in finding someone to share expenses on your boat. Contact Ray Williams at 978-1480 to place your ad.

Ads from last year need to be renewed for this year!

Club member Ed Valitutto would like to fish with other members with boats. I am especially interested in joining up with someone for the 8 August tournament but am also available most weekends Friday through Sunday. I would be more than happy to share expenses. My cell number is 609-304-5440.

Walter Maier is looking for members with boats who might want to take him fishing with them. He is willing to share expenses. He has been out with several of our members already. He is available most days & lives in the area; his number is 609-489-0779

PLEASE RETURN LIBRARY MATERIALS! by Bill Dabney

If you borrowed anything from our library over the winter, please make sure to return it at the next meeting so that other members may enjoy our library collection.

HELP WANTED AT MEETINGS by Ray Williams

Your Board is asking for some help at the monthly meetings. We are in need of someone to greet our members as they arrive & take attendance. In addition, we need someone to help with refreshments. If you can help, please see me.

NEW TOURNAMENT PROGRAM FOR 2010 by John Henson

New Program---VHFC Tournament Days

The VHFC will have a new tournament program for 2010, simply known as a VHFC Tournament Day. The tournament days will consist of 1 or in some cases 2 days (weekends). It is easy to participate and the rules are simple.

Catch the designated species on the designated day or days, weigh it in at the Sponsoring Tackle shop and the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd heaviest fish of the designated species will win gift certificates for that tackle shop. All eligible fish MUST be weighed in at the sponsoring Tackle Shop. No pre-registration, no entry fee, and all members in good standing are eligible.

VHFC club weigh slips will be used and as always it is the member's responsibility to make sure all information is accurate and correct.

The first tournament is scheduled to be a 2 day season opener for fluke and here are the parameters---

Sponsor.....The Chum Bucket Bait and Tackle
Owner---Skip and Nancy Deckman
387 RT 9 in West Creek
609 294 2500

Species.....Fluke

Dates.....May 29 & 30

Prizes.....1st \$25 Chum Bucket Gift Certificate
2nd \$15 Chum Bucket Gift Certificate
3rd \$10 Chum Bucket Gift Certificate

All fish MUST be weighed in at The Chum Bucket during normal business hours.

We will be having more Tournament Days with different sponsors coming up later in the year, so look for future info on Tournament days in the monthly newsletter and on the web site.

Good Luck to All and a Thank You to our participating sponsors!

UPDATED 2010 REGULATIONS by Dave Sikorski

2010 NJ Saltwater Regulations

Fluke: 6 fish, 18" minimum, open May 29 through Sept 6

Weakfish: 1 fish, 13" minimum, open all year

*Sea Bass: 25 fish, 12.5" minimum, open May 22 – Sept 12

*Efforts in play for a split season; we will let you know if this is successful

Please visit our website at www.vhfclub.com and click on the "Regulations" button for more information.

JCAA FLUKE TOURNAMENT by Dave Sikorski

This Year's JCAA Fluke Tournament will be held on Saturday June 12, with an awards ceremony on Friday June 18 at Trump Marina Hotel & Casino in Atlantic City. The entry fee for a boat of up to 6 anglers is \$120 before June 5. Not only is this entry fee a great way to show your support for the JCAA and all the things they (we) do to support saltwater fishing in New Jersey, it also gets you about a 1 in 1000 chance at winning \$10,000 cash! It also gets you about a 10 in 100 chance of winning a very nice port prize. Over the years, the odds have been in my favor, as I have won port prizes 3 different times, including the \$1,200 cash as well as my favorite fluke rod which I have used since I won it. Chances are that you will be fishing for fluke on June 12 anyway, so why not support your sport, by donating a few bucks to the JCAA and take a chance at winning some really great prizes.... for more information visit www.jcaa.org

CAPE HATERAS FISHING by Manny Silva

I did a quick run to Cape Hateras Easter weekend. I drove down Friday, fished Saturday and drove home after the charter got home at 5am this morning for Easter with the family, don't have any pics of me fighting the fish (guy taking pics screwed up) but here's a couple of Mark and the fish. The bite was insane probably about 30 boats out almost everyone was hooked up. We took turns at the rod. I was 4th and landed the fish, 72" 200lb big fish but not that fat. It fought like crazy.



WOW!

WINTER FLOUNDER FISHING by Vince Sibona



Good Friday, April 2, John Kleban, John Lyszczarz and I left the dock about 7:30 on the SEA BONA and headed a little north of the LBI bridge. We anchored up and chummed for an hour and a half without even a nibble. We pulled up anchor and headed north on the bay. A couple of miles short of double creek; we stopped, anchored up and started chumming. Within an hour, John Kleban caught the first flounder, a keeper. About an hour or so later, John K. caught another keeper. It was Good Friday for John K., he caught the only 2 fish. We were glad for him. John k's first flounder was 13 1/2" and weighed in at 1.12 lbs. His second fish was 12". We all enjoyed being out on the water fishing for the first time this

year. It was a beautiful warm sunny day with a light west wind.

Monday, April 5. John Lyszczarz and I at 7:00 headed out again on the SEA BONA for winter flounder. We went back to the same spot we were Friday. At 7:30 we anchored up and started chumming. About an hour later, I caught a flounder. Not long after, 2 more boats anchored up not far from us. About 9:30, John caught a flounder. They were the only 2 keepers we caught that day. John lost one half way to the boat and caught one short. My fish was 15 1/2" and weighed in at 1.76 lbs. John's fish was 13 3/4" and weighed in at 1.52 lbs. It felt good to be back out on the water again for the second time this year.



FISHING IN MEXICO by Bill Dabney

The same Jersey Devil Fishing Spirit that haunts me in N.J. followed me to Mexico this winter. This is the same Devil Spirit that guides me to the LE reef when the big fluke bite for the day is at the stakes in Great Bay or whispers to me to jig for stripers off the red tower when the boys anchored in the inlet are getting the thirty pounders on clams.

My friend Tony Mercurio and I hit the beach in Mazatlan Mexico about 6 am. He walks 30 ft the left and I move 30 ft to the right. Five minutes later a pod of roosterfish moves down the beach from the left. Tony's surface popper lands first and he hooks up with a 30 lb fish that almost spooled him and cracks his reel stem. After 20 min he brings in a great fish which was later released....Damm Jersey Devil--30 ft to the right.

However, I did do well bottom fishing off shore with trigger fish and red snappers. The devil couldn't find me that day.



The Fish On the Right Is the Older Brother!



It's a Roosterfish!

FISHING IN THE KEYS by Ray Williams



Good Thing You've Got a Cart for All Those Fish!

This winter Flo & I were lucky enough to be able to take our RV down to the Keys & stay at the RV Resort where Bill & Arleen Logan stay. Bill was able to arrange for a spot right next to their site. Fishing in the Keys is much different than here in New Jersey. The number & variety of fish is simply spectacular! We were able to go out on Bill's Grady White 3 times that week along with a friend of Bill's & each of us caught 15 to 25 fish each day. There is nothing better than fresh fish for dinner each night. One of Bill's other friends, Don, caught the giant grouper also known as a jewfish on the 19th of March shortly before Bill came home. He caught the fish pictured below on the Gulf side of the Bahia Honda Overseas Bridge.



Now, that's a Grouper!

VILLAGE HARBOUR FISHING CLUB, INC.
2010 Form for Member Renewals and New Applications
MAIL COMPLETED FORMS WITH DUES (Checks only) FOR \$35.00 PAYABLE TO "VHFC" TO:
VHFC MEMBERSHIP
PO BOX 1026
MANAHAWKIN, NJ 08050
Dues for renewals are due by May 14, 2010

Print Name*: _____ Member #: _____ Nickname: _____

Signature*: _____ Date: ____/____/____

Note: Both * items must be completed

Renewals: Please insert any changes from 2008 Membership list.

New Applicants: Please complete the following:

Name of Spouse:	Shore Address:
Principle Address:	(complete if different from Principle Address)
City/St/Zip:	City/St/Zip:
Phone:	Phone:
Fax:	Fax:
E-Mail:	E-Mail:

Would you like to get your newsletter by email? Circle Yes or No A yes will save the club printing & mailing costs.

Boat Owners, please complete the following:

Print Name of Boat: _____ Length (ft.): _____

VILLAGE HARBOUR FISHING CLUB, INC.
2010 Form for Junior Angler Renewals and New Applications
MAIL COMPLETED FORMS WITH DUES (Checks only) FOR \$10.00 PAYABLE TO "VHFC" TO:
VHFC JUNIOR ANGLER
PO BOX 1026
MANAHAWKIN, NJ 08050
Dues for renewals are due by May 14, 2010

Note: All 5 * items must be completed.

APPLICANT: Please complete the following each year (one sheet per Junior Angler)

Name*:	Member #:	Nick Name:
Signature:	Junior Angler's E-Mail:	
Home Address:	Home Phone:	

Would you like to get your newsletter by email? Circle Yes or No A yes will save the club printing & mailing costs.

SPONSOR: Please complete the following:

SPONSOR MEMBER'S INFORMATION (ALL ARE REQUIRED EACH YEAR)	
By completing the following, the Sponsor takes full responsibility to accompany and supervise the applicant's behavior and ensure the applicant's well being during and en route to and from any club activity or event and further certifies possession of the legal authority to do so. Further, the sponsor affirms this applicant will not reach 18 years of age on or before May 14, 2010.	
Sponsor's Name*:	Sponsor's Member #:
Sponsor's Signature*:	Date*: ____/____/____
Relation to Applicant*:	

Junior Angler Boat Owners, please complete the following:

Print Name of Boat: _____ Length (ft.): _____

2010 Village Harbour Fishing Club, Inc. Meeting and Events Schedule (Revised 5/5/10)

<p>April 09 2010 Fish of the Month: Winter Flounder 7:45 APRIL 10: > Club business > 2009 Awards Presentations for 7 "Trophy Fish of the Year" & for the Oct & Nov Fish of the Month > Intro - North Bay Fleet Outing > All Present - Fishing Discussion Speaker: Capt. Fran Verdi of Fish the Drop Off charter service will talk on local spring fishing for stripers and bluefish.</p>	<p>May 14 2010 -DUES ARE DUE BY MAY 09- Fish of the Month: STRIPED BASS 7:45 MAY 08: > W. Flounder FOM Award > Update - North Bay Fleet Outing > Capt. Melanie Boytos Award Presentation Speaker: Capt. Al Zlata of A to Z charters in Barnegat will speak on light tackle and fly fishing with artificials in the bay. > Club business</p>	<p>Tentative Date TBA NORTH BAY FLEET OUTING</p>
<p>JUNE 11 2010 Fish of the Month: FLUKE 7:45 June 12: > Club business > Striped Bass Fish of the Month Award > Report - North Bay fleet Outing > Speakers: Bill Figley retired director of the state's offshore reef program will talk on inshore light tackle fishing for sharks</p>	<p>ANNUAL DINNER DANCE OUR ANNUAL DINNER DANCE WILL BE IN AUGUST. LOOK FOR THE DATE IN UPCOMING ISSUES!</p>	<p>JULY 09 2010 Fish of the Month: BLUEFISH 7:45 July 10: > Club Business > Fluke Fish of the Month Award > Club Fishing Forum > Intro-Fluke & Sea Bass Tourney > Intro to VHFC Dinner > All Present - Fishing Discussion ></p>
<p>DATE TBA FLUKE & SEA BASS TOURNEY CHAIRMEN: TBA Species: Fluke & Sea Bass</p>	<p>AUGUST 13 2010 Fish of the Month: FLUKE 7:45 Aug. 14: > Club business > Fish of the Month Award > All-Present - Fishing Discussion > Intro-VHFC Dinner Dance > Presentation Fluke & Sea Bass Tourney</p>	<p>DATE TBA VILLAGE HARBOUR FISHING CLUB DINNER DINNER AT THE OCEAN ACRES GOLF CLUB</p>
<p>SEPTEMBER 10 2010 Fish of the Month: SEA BASS & WEAKFISH 7:45 Sept. 11: > Club business > Fluke Fish of the Month Award > Report VHFC Dinner Dance > All-Present - Fishing Discussion > Speaker: TBA</p>	<p>October 08 2010 Fish of the Month: Striped Bass & Bluefish 7:45 Oct. 09: > Sept. Fish of the Month Award > Report on Fluke & Sea Bass Tournament > All Present - Fishing Discussion > Speaker: TBA</p>	<p>NOVEMBER 12 2010 GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING IN NOVEMBER. 7:45 NOV 13 ALL PRESENT- FISHING DISCUSSION NO SPEAKER INTRO TO NEW OFFICERS FOR 2011</p>

Monthly meetings are 2nd Fridays starting promptly at 7:45 PM. Doors open at 7:30 – Come early and help us get set up.

No Membership Meetings are planned for the months of December through March.

BRAND NEW WEBSITE by John Kleban

We have a brand new website that is updated frequently! Please visit us & at <http://www.vhfclub.com/> & send us your feedback at VHFCreports@verizon.net

2010 DUES MUST BE PAID BY MAY 14TH 2010!

**VILLAGE HARBOUR FISHING CLUB, INC.
2010 BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Officers:

President Bill Logan (597-0784)
1st Vice President Vince Sibona (597-6162)
2nd Vice President Open
Treasurer Joe Filice (215-256-8707)
Secretary Charlie Daddona (954-4965)

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Weigh Master/Awards John Kleban (597-4852)
Recruiting Vince Sibona (597-6162)
Membership Data Base Ray Williams (978-1480)
Guest Speakers Bill Dabney (978-6893)
Immediate Past Pres. John Henson (978-0312)
Communications Dave Sikorski

Newsletter Ray Williams (978-1480)
Library Bill Dabney (978-6893)
Library Alternate John Henson (978-0312)
Sponsors Bill Logan (597-0784)
Sergeant at Arms (Board) Vince Sibona (597-6162)
Attendance Daryl Janzer 267-307-4574
Website John Kleban (597-4852)
Dave Sikorski (978-0437)
Vessel Safety Ed Wetmore (294-6956)
JCAA/Regulations Dave Sikorski (978-0437)
Fishing Hands On John Henson (978-0312)
Board Member Ritchie Webb (294-9438)
All Past Presidents, not listed above, are non-voting Board members.

**The following have offered a discount with the presentation of current VHFC Membership Card
Discounts normally do not apply to items that are fair traded or items on sale**

<p>FISHERMAN'S HEADQUARTERS Causeway, Ship Bottom, NJ 494-5739 10% discount on bait & tackle</p>	<p>BOAT U.S. VHFC members only pay \$9.50 for a year of Boat U.S. Forms for members' use will be at VHFC meetings</p>	<p>L&H Woods & Water 403 Route 9 Waretown 242-1812 10% off any purchase</p>
<p>THE CHUM BUCKET BAIT & TACKLE 381 Rte. 9, West Creek, NJ 294-2500 10% discount on purchases of \$10 or more</p>	<p>CAUSEWAY BOAT RENTALS On the LBI Causeway 494-1371 10% discount on bait and tackle.</p>	<p>GALLIVANT GRAPHICS BOAT LETTERING We come to you ---- 10% off for members 609-812-9883</p>
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