



THE HARBOUR LIGHT



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EVENTS IN JULY

BOARD MEETING: 27 JUNE

7:30 P.M at the Community Center

MEMBERSHIP MEETING: 11 JULY

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
- Fluke FOM Award
- Club Business
- 2008 Tournament Plans
- Flea Market
- All-Present Fishing Discussion Break
- Presentation: **Tom Fote "Fighting for our Fishing Rights"**

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE by Ron Nachmann

Life is hectic this time of year so get your calendars and a red pen out. Friday, July 11...General meeting--Tom Fote, guest speaker, Dave of American Sportsman will be our guest sponsor, Flea Market...Bring your bargains from the last flea market you attended. They need a new home! We'll have tables set up. You bring the goods and/or SHOW US YOUR CASH!!!! Saturday, July 17...VHFC Dinner Dance at Ocean Acres Golf Club. Bill Logan and Ed Wetmore in charge. Reservations due no later than July 12, YOU SNOOZE...YOU LOSE!!!! Saturday, August 16...Fluke and Sea Bass Tournament....Bill Logan and Ed Wetmore presiding. Friday, November 14...Last general meeting of the year...NO NEWSLETTER TO REMIND YOU...Mark your calendar!!!! Lots of fishing stuff to talk about. See the regular schedule elsewhere in this newsletter for all the other events. This club has many things to offer...all you have to do is take advantage! I hope to see you all at the meeting Friday, 'til the next tide

Ron

Thought for today.....Don't be afraid to go out on a limb--remember, that's where the fruit is!

2007 TROPHY FISH OF THE YEAR by Ron

Nachmann		
Blackfish	No Entry	
Bluefish	14 lb 13oz	Ron Nachmann
Fluke	10 lb 9 oz	Vince Sibona
Sea Bass	2 lb 12 oz	Ron Nachmann
Striped Bass	37 lb 2 oz	Jim Hutchinson
Weakfish	4lb 13 oz	Robert Citarelli
W. Flounder	2 lb 8 oz	Susan Gabler

Congratulations to all those listed above.

Prizes for all the Trophy Fish of the Year winners were distributed during the April 2008 Membership Meeting.

2008 TROPHY FISH OF THE YEAR PROGRAM by Ron Nachmann

The same seven species will continue for our 2008 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 2008, then you win the FOY trophy for that species. Note: your dues have to be paid before you catch an eligible fish.

2008 FISH OF THE MONTH AWARDS by Ron Nachmann

The award for Fluke will be announced at the July General Membership meeting.

2008 FISH OF THE MONTH AND FISH OF THE YEAR AWARDS by Ron Nachmann

Due to changes in New Jersey Fishing Regs, there are changes in the 2008 Trophy Fish of the Month Program:

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

LUNAR CHART by Ed Wetmore

Lunar charts give you an estimate of feeding times based on the effects of moon and sun location. Many of us have seen similar tables in Field & Stream Magazine for years.

If you want to receive the latest table each month, simply send an email to Ed Wetmore (ejwetmore@comcast.net) and state your interest in receiving the Lunar Charts.

NEW ANGLER SURVEY by Bill Logan

The NJ DEP Division of Fish and Wildlife is implementing a new angler survey to collect information on certain marine fish important to recreational anglers. Current data collection efforts for recreational fisheries are hindered by sampling only a small portion of the fishing public and from collecting only minimal data on discarded fish. Information collected through this voluntary survey will provide data which may support alternative management strategies that increase fishing opportunities for the public.

The focus of this voluntary survey is catch and effort from fishing trips in marine and estuarine waters of the state and surrounding areas. For catch information, we are interested in collecting information on the number and size of both kept and released fish.

Thank you for your assistance with this project.

Please note that this is a new survey, so the appearance of the survey page may change slightly over time - we hope you'll be a regular contributor.

We value and appreciate your input toward the management of our marine resources. The survey is located at

<http://www.njfishandwildlife.com/marinesurvey08.htm> on the division's website. Anglers are encouraged to submit a survey whenever they return from saltwater fishing.

NEW SHELLFISH LICENSE by Bill Logan

On Tuesday, June 17, 2008, changes to the NJ shellfish statutes (Title 50) go into effect. A clamming license is now called a Shellfish License and is required for harvesting of all species of benthic mollusks with the exception of conchs, which are covered by commercial marine fisheries regulations. In addition, a new non-resident Commercial Shellfish License was established.

The new statute means that anyone who wishes to harvest hard clams, soft clams, surf clams, oysters, bay scallops or mussels (or other molluscan shellfish excluding conchs) will need to obtain a Shellfish License. However, since these changes are being implemented in the middle of the calendar year, those who have already purchased a Clamming License will not need to purchase the new Shellfish License. Their existing 2008 Clamming License will have all the rights associated with the new Shellfish License.

The new Shellfish Licenses will be available via the Internet license site,

<http://www.wildlifelicense.com/nj/> beginning June 17. For information on the shellfish and other marine licenses, visit;

<http://www.njfishandwildlife.com/marinelicenses.htm> on the DEP Division of Fish and Wildlife's website.

BIG FLUKE IN THE BAY by Ray Williams

I'm one of those guys with a small boat & I fish the Bay a lot more than the ocean. I've always contended that I can find big fluke in the bay. On a recent Saturday, my brother from Pennsylvania visited me for the weekend & we went fishing. This Saturday, June 21st was very windy but we decided to try our luck. I took him to the area of Marshelder Channel & we got about 8 fluke with only one keeper. At that point, Dave Sikorski, who was out with Basil Dubrosky, gave me a call on his cell phone. He & Basil had gotten 4 keepers over by the Osprey nest in the Intracoastal. My brother & I crossed the sandbar from Marshelder (I don't recommend this) & joined them. We did a few drifts & got 2 more keepers & a lot of shorts. I decided to take my brother, Jerry, down to the Fish Factory. We tried a few drifts & were about to go home when I suggested "just one more drift". Jerry hooked up with what I thought was a large skate. After several runs we saw that it was a big fluke. Jerry caught a 6.46lb fluke on a small rod & reel.

So for the day & the record, he had 3 keepers including the big one & I had one keeper & a 21" Weakie. Boy do I wish I had caught the big one! The bottom line is that I know from this fish & others I caught in past years that there are large fish in the bay.



Jerry Williams & a 6.46lb Fluke

STRIPER FISHING by Larry Leary

This trip began early leaving the dock (4:00AM) June 21st targeting Strippers off Island Beach State Park. "The Jen-Jen Fishing Team" all members of the club had lines in the water @ 5:00 AM snagging Bunker along with 200 other boats. We were successful in landing (5)Bass the largest 33.5Lbs Weighed in by Captain Phil Savarese. Unfortunately we didn't think to log in the others for the Capt Mel award. However we had a 28.6 lb landed by Capt Larry Leary, 26.5lb First Mate Brian Leary and a 24.5lb & 25 lb Assistant Mate Mike Goszka. Great morning of fishing being back at the dock @ 11:00AM. Thanks to the crew and their dedication we finally made it happen.

Good Fishing From

"The Jen-Jen Fishing Team"



What a Nice Striper!



Brian Leary & the Next Generation of Fishermen

BLUES TRIP ON MAY 8TH by Bill Jann

Ed Note: From Bill's Fishing Log

place Barney and ocean to the south

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weather & wind: Windy and cloudy early, then calm and

temperature: air: °62 to 70 bay:

catch: 1 fluke, 15 blues, 1 skate

comments and radio talk:

4 of us, from the VHFC, chartered out with Capt. Steve Purul, looking for stripers ... things didn't look good at first ... a stiff NW wind and some ominous clouds ... we drifted between 42 marker and Gulf Point and got lots of bites from blues in the 1 to 3 pound range, casting and using jig/plastic combos ... the wind settled down after about an hour, so we went to Barnegat Inlet ... at the ocean end of the inlet we found a bunch of birds working and started casting the jig/plastics ... we were using light tackle and these were some serious blues, in the 9 to 12 pound range ... lots of bite-offs and hookups ... the light tackle made it a lot of fun ... the wind eased off some more so we went outside looking for bunker schools ... after travelling down to the Surf City area we found them ...the Capt. broke out some snagging rigs and we managed to put about 15 into the live well ... I'd never done any snagging before ... it was a lot of fun! ... we fished the bunker under the schools, but didn't get any bites, so we headed back to the inlet and fished it from inside the lighthouse out to the outer rocks ... got some more nice blues but no stripers ... all in all, a great day and my thanks to Capt. Steve



Steve and his Fluke



John's Big One!



It's a Big Blue!



Bill Dabney & "A Friend"

SAVE THE SUMMER FLOUNDER FISHERY FUND by Bill Dabney

This organization seeks to safeguard and improve fishing access to summer flounder, for those who enjoy it and to ensure the survival of those who depend on it, through scientific and legislative means. Please check out their web site.
<http://www.ssfff.net/id54.html>

AUGUST SPEAKER by Bill Dabney

Adam Nowalsky, captain of the Karen Ann II, and a board member of the SSFFF, Save Summer Fluke Fishing Fund, will be our speaker on Aug 8th. This group has been very aggressive in fighting the elitists and anti-fishing fanatics that govern many of our fishing activities. They have commissioned a new fluke survey with prominent scientists and also have hired a lobbyist to help in the fight against these outdated fishing regulations. Check their website.

FLEA MARKET COMING UP by Ron Nachmann

We will have a flea market during intermission at the July 11th general meeting. We'll have tables set up so you can bring your excess stuff to become new treasures for other people to store in their sheds till we have another sale next year.

Bring lots of cash and a big wagon to take your bargains home!!!

JCAA FLUKE TOURNAMENT AND THE BENEFITS OF BELONGING TO THE

VILLAGE HARBOUR FISHING CLUB BY Bill Logan

I had signed up for the JCAA Fluke Tournament and ask both my sons Bill Jr, Mike Sr and Grandson In-law Alan to come along. BUT, before I tell you about our fishing trip let me tell you about our June membership meeting Friday night. Both of our speakers were excellent. Senator Adler told us of his support for the recreational fisherman and his intentions of helping the recreational fisherman.

Bill Figley shared his expertise on anchoring and drift fishing on New Jersey reefs, this was first hand expert information as Mr. Figley is one of our local fishermen who saw a need years ago for the recreational fisherman and started the New Jersey Reef Program. Mr. Figley is retired from the New Jersey Fish and Wildlife Commission, but is still very active with the New Jersey Save the Reefs Program. When the club meeting broke for the usual coffee break I asked two of our long time and very knowledgeable members where would be a good place to fish for the tournament, (this is another benefit of belonging to the club)I listened to their suggestions and decided that is where I was going. Well one of them must have listened to himself because he came in winning the 4th position out of 10 at the Long Beach Island Port (Fisherman Headquarters). I applied some of Mr. Figley's information to my day of fishing and had a great time fishing the L.E. Reef.

We left the dock around 7: am, this may be a little late for some but my crew had an hour and half drive and I did not want a tired crew showing up. I picked my first spot on the L.E. Reef and after 20 minutes we did nothing, then I remembered what Mr. Figley had said the night before at the club meeting, I adjusted my Fish/Dept finder from 200 MHz to 50 MHz and adjusted the Gain and then started to watch for some type of structure on the bottom, when something showed up we started getting hits and bringing in Fluke and Sea Bass, I marked the spot on my chart plotter and kept drifting back over it. When I saw we where hitting Sea Bass I knew from Mr. Figleys talk that we where on top of some type of structure. He had said that the fluke would be on the side of the structure and Sea Bass would be on top and that is just the way we where catching fish, Fluke first then Sea Bass then back to Fluke, we had a lot of short Fluke we lost count, Sea Bass where plentiful well over the 12 inch limit, and we only kept 3 (I know Mr. Figley will be happy about that) and 3 nice size Fluke all well over 19 inches with one being 20 1/4 inches . I lost 10th place position at the JCAA Long Beach Island Port (Fisherman Headquarters) by

1/4 of an inch. Bottom line to this story is not me being able to fish with family for a day although I did enjoy it, but what this club has done to help me fish better, HOW, by making me more aware that we are now in a very tender and fragile sport and there are some people out there who are trying to break it for us. With our club bring people in like Sen. Adler and Mr. Figley to our meetings, who offer us first hand information and suggestions as to how to combat the people who are trying to shut us down. My thanks to Bill Dabney for putting together an excellent speaker program for this year.

FLUKE FISHING by Vince Sibona

Thursday, June 12. Bill Dabney and John Lyszczarz came fishing with me on the SEA BONA on the Little Egg Reef. It was a beautiful sunny day. Air temperature, mid to upper 70's. Water temperature, 57-58 degrees. We caught 4 keeper fluke to 26 1/2 inches and 8 shorts. The 26 1/2 inch, 6 lbs. 11 oz. fluke was caught by John, the "Duke of Fluke". Way to go John. We also caught 3 keeper sea bass and 2 shorts.



Bill, John & Vince Show off their Catch

SALT WATER FISHING LICENSE by Dave Sikorski

You may have recently heard or read about the possibility of a Saltwater Fishing License in New Jersey. The genesis of the recent discussion has to do with a proposed rule making notice released in the June 12, 2008 Federal Register. In short, this proposed rule will require Saltwater Angler Registration. This rule is intended to improve the data collection process for saltwater recreational fishing; a system we all recognize is sorely in need of improvement. The intention is to create a national registry of saltwater anglers so that more accurate surveys can be conducted.

Please read the NOAA press release at:

http://www.st.nmfs.noaa.gov/mrip/aboutus/organization/downloads/national_angler_registry_press_release.pdf

Interestingly, if the state of NJ were to create a saltwater fishing license and collect the appropriate angler contact information, we would be exempt from this national registry. Our concern with that alternative is that the state would certainly collect licensing fees, which is exactly what we would prefer to avoid. A federally funded national registry seems like a better solution, as opposed to an unfunded federal mandate.

The VHFC and the JCAA agree with the concept of a national registry of saltwater anglers for the purpose of improving the data collection process. However, we do not believe that any fees need to be collected to implement this program. It is estimated that the cost to implement such a registry would be on the order of 50 cents per angler. This could be funded by the Wallop-Breaux federal excise tax on fishing tackle, which is a user-in, user-out funding system and is already in place.

We encourage all angling enthusiasts to submit comments during the open public comment period which ends on August 11, 2008. The best outcome we can hope for is a national registry without any new fees. Please submit your comments via the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <http://www.regulations.gov>

Look for RIN 0648-AW10

Marine Recreational Fisheries of the United States; National Saltwater Angler Registry Program

Docket ID: NOAA-NMFS-2007-0815

Document ID: NOAA-NMFS-2007-0815-0001

The full text of the document is available at:

<http://www.regulations.gov/fdmspublic/ContentView?objectId=0900006480620f04&disposition=attachment&contentType=pdf>

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.

FOR SALE
MINN-KOTA POWER DRIVE 40PD
TROLLING MOTOR WITH FOOT PEDAL
12V ELECTRIC MOTOR, 48 INCH SHAFT.
ONLINE PRICES RANGE FROM \$379.00 TO
\$419.00 NEW
CONDITION: VERY GOOD.
OUR PRICE \$350.00.
Call 609-597-0784 ASK FOR BILL

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.

Walter Maier, a new member, 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.

Bob Bittle, a new member, is looking for fellow VHFC members to fish with. His number is 609-489-0339.

VHFC ANGLER OF THE YEAR AWARD by Ron Nachmann

Jim Hutchinson Sr. and his son, Jim, Jr. have set up an award to honor the memory of Captain Melanie Boytos. This prestigious award will be presented each year to a member of our club.



State Senator Adler, Candidate for Jim Saxton's Seat, speaks at June 13th meeting.

ANNUAL DINNER DANCE by Ed Wetmore

We have a great dinner dance scheduled for Saturday July 19th. This event is an excellent opportunity to make friends in the club for both fishermen & their wives. We'll have a delicious dinner, plenty of door prizes & dancing. Please send in your form today!



Bill Figley Speaks at June Meeting on Reef Fishing

CRABBING REPORT by Bill Jann

Guys Here are my log entries from the last 2 crabbing trips. Compared to last year the numbers are a whole lot better, even though the size is still less than average. One more full moon and it should be a good year. Bill

trip #: 7 date: 6/10/08
 place CAUSEWAY AREA
 weather & wind: Hot and sunny
 temperature: air: 80 to 90
 catch: 36 crabs
 comments and radio talk:

Went out early to see if any crabs were around and, if not, to try for some fluke ... started crabbing, with chicken as bait, at 67B ... got small ones at first but they were only one shed away from being keepers, so things should be good after the next full moon ... around 8 o'clock I started picking up some keepers ... it was a slow and steady pick, nothing really big, mostly 4 1/2" to 5 1/2" ... after a few hours I moved to the Beach Haven West channel, where the tide runs a little stronger ... the crabs there were a little bigger but hard to net in the fast tide ... I ended up with 3 dozen keepers when the bite shut off abruptly, around 11:00am, so I came back in ... had some trouble with the motor bucking and coughing, so I didn't attempt to go down bay for fluke ... at the dock it was 20 degrees hotter than out on the water, probably near 90

trip #: 8 date: 6/17/08 day:
 place Causeway area
 weather & wind: Mostly sunny, warm, nice breeze @
 day: tuesday time: 07:20am to 11:30am bay:
 temperature: air: 72 to 80
 catch: party: 38 crabs
 comments and radio talk: tide: Slow outgoing

bay: 081 ocean: ???
 Went down to do some crabbing and replace the fuel filter ... the crabs cooperated ... I anchored up at 67B, with chicken as bait, and had a steady slow pick of keepers ... the full moon is due in 2 days, and a lot of them were freshly shed ... the water was incoming, slowly, all morning ... as the water slowed, so did the bite, so I moved to the Beach Haven West channel where the tide runs more strongly ... I got the majority of the crabs there, almost an even split between males and females, and the bite was still on when I decided I'd had enough to clean and went back to the dock about 11:30... after cleaning and icing down the crabs I tried replacing the filter but I didn't do so well ... thought I had a clear access to it but there are 2 fuel lines in the way and I couldn't get the wrench to get a good grip on it ... in my younger days I'd done it by hand but, alas, age has taken its toll ... time to con a younger buck to give me a hand, I guess

**VILLAGE HARBOUR FISHING CLUB, INC.
 2008 BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Officers:

President Ron Nachmann (698-1430)
 1st Vice President John Henson (978-0312)
 2nd Vice President Vacant

Treasurer Bill Logan (597-0784)
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 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 Annual VHFC Dinner Dance

- The Cost - \$30.00 per person (Tax and gratuities included)
- The location- Ocean Acres Golf Club
- The Date and Time- Saturday; July 19,2008: 7:30PM-10:30PM
- Dancing to the 50's and 60's music performed by "The Prescriptions"
- The Menu:
 - Tossed Salad with Blue Cheese or Vinaigrette
 - Melon with Prosciutto
 - Vegetables: Asparagus & Dutchess Potato
 - Entrees: Any one of the following:
 1. Prime Rib,
 2. Chicken In Puff Pastry , or
 3. Broiled Seafood Combo (Includes shrimp, scallops and flounder)
 - Dessert - Banana Foster, Coffee, Tea
 - Door Prizes
- Reservations accepted no later than July 12,2008

DIRECTIONS: Rt. 72 West (under parkway). Pass 1st traffic light & make a right onto the next street; Lighthouse Rd. Stay on Lighthouse for about 1 1/2 miles to Buccaneer Rd. turn right onto Buccaneer for mile. Ocean Acres Country Club is about 2/10 mile on the right.

 Complete the following form &, with your check payable to VHFC, mail it to:

VHFC, PO Box 1026, Manahawkin, NJ 08050

RESERVATIONS ACCEPTED NO LATER THAN JULY 12,2008

Please Print: **Member Name:** _____ **Tel.#:** _____

ENTER BELOW THE NUMBER OF DINNERS YOU WANT FOR EACH OPTION:

SEAFOOD:__ __ **CHICKEN:**__ **PRIME RIB: WELL**__ **MEDIUM** __ **RARE**__

TOTAL # PERSONS_____ **TOTAL AMT. PAID \$**_____

VILLAGE HARBOUR FISHING CLUB, INC.
2008 Form for Member Renewals and New Applications
MAIL COMPETED 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 09, 2008

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

Signature*: _____ Date: ____ / ____ / ____

Note: Both * items must be completed

Renewals: Please insert any changes from 2007 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.
2008 Form for Junior Angler Renewals and New Applications
MAIL COMPETED 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 09, 2008

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 09, 2008.

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.): _____

2008 Village Harbour Fishing Club, Inc. Meeting and Events Schedule (Revised 7/7/08)

<p align="center">April 11 2008</p> <p>Fish of the Month: Winter Flounder 7:45 APRIL 11: > Club business > 2007 Awards Presentations for 7 "Trophy Fish of the Year" & for the Oct & Nov Fish of the Month > Intro - Surf Tournament > All Present - Fishing Discussion > Speakers: Steve Purul</p>	<p align="center">May 09 2008</p> <p align="center">-DUES ARE DUE BY MAY 09-</p> <p>Fish of the Month: WEAKFISH 7:45 MAY 09: > Club business > W. Flounder FoM Award > Update - Surf Tourney > All Present - Fishing Discussion > Speakers: Jim Hutchinson Sr. & Jr. Liveling & bait fishing Stripers > Flea Market Coming Soon!</p>	<p align="center">May 17th</p> <p align="center">SURF TOURNAMENT Chairmen: Dave Sikorski Ron Nachmann Entry Form in this issue</p>
<p align="center">JUNE 13 2008</p> <p>Fish of the Month: FLUKE 7:45 June 13: > Club business > Weakfish Fish of the Month Award > Report - Surf Tournament > Speakers: Bill Figley "Reef Fishing" > Flea Market at July Meeting</p>	<p align="center">July 11th</p> <p align="center"><u>FLEA MARKET AT MEETING</u></p> <p align="center">BRING YOUR JUNK & SELL IT TO SOMEONE WHO NEEDS NEW TREASURE! FREE TO ALL VHFC MEMBERS</p> <p align="center">Chairman: Ron Nachmann</p>	<p align="center">JULY 11 2008</p> <p>Fish of the Month: BLUEFISH 7:45 July 11: > Club Business > Fluke Fish of the Month Award > Flea Market > Intro-Fluke & Sea Bass Tourney > Intro to VHFC Dinner > All Present - Fishing Discussion > Speakers: Tom Fote of JCAA "The Fight For Your Fishing Rights"</p>
<p align="center">AUGUST 16TH</p> <p align="center">FLUKE & SEA BASS</p> <p align="center">TOURNEY</p> <p align="center">CHAIRMEN: BILL LOGAN & ED WETMORE</p> <p align="center">Species: Fluke & Sea Bass</p>	<p align="center">AUGUST 08 2008</p> <p>Fish of the Month: SEA BASS & FLUKE 7:45 Aug. 08: > Club business > Bluefish of the Month Award > All-Present - Fishing Discussion > Intro-Fluke & Sea Bass Tourney ></p>	<p align="center">JULY 19TH, 2008</p> <p align="center">VILLAGE HARBOUR</p> <p align="center">FISHING CLUB DINNER</p> <p align="center">CHAIRMEN: Bill Logan & Ed Wetmore</p> <p align="center">DINNER AT THE OCEAN ACRES GOLF CLUB</p>
<p align="center">SEPTEMBER 12 2008</p> <p>Fish of the Month: SEA BASS 7:45 Sept. 12: > Club business > Sea Bass & Fluke Fish of the Month Award > Report - Fluke & Sea Bass Tournament > Intro - Fall Surf Tournament > All-Present - Fishing Discussion > <u>Hands-On Surf Fishing</u></p>	<p align="center">October 10 2008</p> <p>Fish of the Month: Striped Bass & Bluefish 7:45 Oct. 10: > Sept. Fish of the Month Award > Report on Fluke & Sea Bass Tournament > All Present - Fishing Discussion > Speaker Unknown > Fall 3 week Tourney Begins</p>	<p align="center">NOVEMBER 14, 2008</p> <p align="center">GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING IN NOVEMBER.</p> <p align="center">7:45 NOV 14</p> <p align="center">ALL PRESENT- FISHING DISCUSSION</p> <p align="center">NO SPEAKER</p> <p align="center">FALL TOURNEY CONTINUES!</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.

**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>BOBBIES 7th & Bay Ave., Barnegat Light, NJ 494-1345 10% discount on bait & tackle</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 bait & tackle</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>
<p>AMERICAN SPORTSMAN BAIT & TACKLE Mill Creek Plaza 597-4104 10% discount on bait & tackle</p>	<p>THE BOAT SHOP 756 E. Bay Ave., Manahawkin, NJ 597-1271 10% discount on regular prices www.theboatshoponline.com</p>	<p>BARNEGAT LIGHT BAIT & TACKLE Bay Avenue & 15th St., Barnegat Lt. 494-4566 10% discount on bait & tackle</p>
<p>REVOLUTION MARINE & SPORTS CENTER 294 0166 227 Main Street, Tuckerton, NJ 10% discount on bait , tackle, clothing & batteries</p>	<p>OCEANSIDE BAIT & TACKLE 8201 Long Beach Boulevard Brighton Beach, NJ. 08008 609-361-9800</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 or call Charlie Kochka</p>

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