



# THE HARBOUR LIGHT



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## EVENTS IN JUNE

### BOARD MEETING: 01 JUNE

7:30 P.M at the Community Center

### MEMBERSHIP MEETING: 08 JUNE

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
- Weakfish FOM Award
- Intro to North South Bay Tournament
- 2007 Tournament Plans
- Club Business
- All-Present Fishing Discussion Break
- Presentation: **Shell Caris "Boat & Surf Fishing Techniques"**

### **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE** by Ed Wetmore

Well, finally the fish have arrived and whether you are reading fishing magazines, fishing reports in the newspaper or talking to other fishermen you should know the bay is stirring with bluefish and stripers.

I have talked to many guys who have hit good size blues from the little egg inlet and grassy plains in Great Bay.

I have had reports that the blues and weakfish are having a strong appearance in the Barnegat Bay and inlet.

The strong winds have kept a lot of us from the ocean but the bay offers a triple delight in blues, weakfish and stripers so... go "Fishing" and enjoy yourselves.

The winner of April's fish of the month was Susan Gabler and it's nice to see the ladies involved in our club and I hope we see more of it.

Fish of the month for May is weakfish and as of this writing no one has caught or at least weighed one in at any of our weight stations, so I am hopeful that someone will weigh one in and win some money.

May 26<sup>th</sup> opens the summer fluke season and that leads into our fish of the month for June which is summer fluke and I hope we can have some good results.

I want to thank our members for voting in the VHFC by laws, these laws are important and we the board use these laws to run our club, so thanks again for reading them and voting in the affirmative.

Well, with that said let's start looking at the upcoming fishing tournament on June 23<sup>rd</sup>, the "North / South Tournament which is chaired by Ron Nachmann and he will have a application in this news letter for signing up and I want as many of you to support this tournament, it sounds like fun.

August 18<sup>th</sup> is the fluke and sea bass tournament and that flier will be out for the July general meeting The VHFC dinner dance will be August 31<sup>st</sup> and I will be getting a menu out very soon along with a cost, I am hopeful that I can keep the cost the same as last year's dinner.

We have had two great speakers at our last two meetings and June's meeting will be no different as we will have Shell Caris talking about "Boat and Surf Fishing Techniques", I am happy we are able to get great speakers and it's Bill Dabney's ability in searching for people with interesting subjects that brings these folks to our club.

The cost of gas is going crazy so remember those of you with boats, it might be nice to take a member with you out boat fishing and help you with the costs of that expensive petrol.

**Go fishing and have fun!!!!**

### **2006 TROPHY FISH OF THE YEAR** by Ron Nachmann

The winners of our 2006 Trophy Fish of the Year competition are:

Blackfish	5 lb 13 oz	Ron Nachmann
Bluefish	14 lb 11oz	Paul Galasso
Fluke	7 lb 15oz	Jeff Barnhart
Sea Bass	3 lb 10 oz	Bob Dodds
Striped Bass	29 lb 12oz	John Kleban

Weakfish (05/18) 4lb 5 oz John Kleban  
 W. Flounder 2 lb 4 oz Bill Logan

Congratulations to all those listed above.  
 Prizes for all the Trophy Fish of the Year winners were distributed during the April 2007 Membership Meeting.

**2007 TROPHY FISH OF THE YEAR PROGRAM**  
 by Ron Nachmann

The same seven species will continue for our 2007 Trophy Fish of the Year Program. As of 05/25/07 4 Winter Flounder, 3 Bluefish, 2 Stripers, 1 Weakfish, & 1 Sea Bass have been weighed in.

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 2007, then you win the FOY trophy for that species. Note: your dues have to be paid before you catch an eligible fish.

**2007 FISH OF THE MONTH AWARDS** by Ron Nachmann

The award for Winter Flounder was announced at the May General Membership meeting. Congratulations to Susan Gabler who weighed in a 2lb. 8 oz. fish. Bill Logan came in second with a fish a few ounces smaller.



Susan Gabler wins \$50 Gift Certificate for Winter Flounder FOM!

**2007 FISH OF THE MONTH AND FISH OF THE YEAR AWARDS** by Ron Nachmann

The same eight species will continue for our 2007 Trophy Fish of the Month Program:

March & April	Winter Flounder
May	Weakfish
June	Fluke
July	Bluefish
August	Sea Bass
September	Fluke & Croaker
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](mailto:ejwetmore@comcast.net)) and state your interest in receiving the Lunar Charts.

**FISH WITH LEMON & EGG SAUCE** by Flo Williams

Ingredients:

1 lb. fish filet, 1 cup water, 1 tsp. salt, dash pepper, 2 tbsp. olive oil, juice of 2 lemons, 2 eggs, fresh parsley

Instructions:

Place fish in a shallow pan. Add water, salt & oil. Cook in oven under medium heat for 10-12 minutes. Turn heat off. Beat eggs with lemon juice then add some hot juice from fish. Stir constantly until well mixed. Pour sauce over fish & add parsley, Serve hot or cold.

**HELP ME!** By Ray Williams

I need pictures & recaps of your fishing trips to put in the newsletter. They can be funny or serious. Get your name in the headlines! Thanks to those guys who have sent in info & pictures. However, we need more to publish. Call me at 609-978-1480 & I'll tell you how to send me your stories.

**MAY MEETING RECAP** by Ray Williams

Village Harbour Fishing Club had another very successful meeting with a large crowd in attendance. The amended By-Laws were passed unanimously & the Board would like to express

its appreciation to our membership for supporting us in our efforts to continue to improve our club. Bill Donovan & Darren Dorris gave a very interesting video presentation of in-shore trolling for off-shore species. The slides & videos were very informative.

**BEACH HAVEN WEST MAIN CHANNEL** by Coast Guard Auxiliary Member

This notice is intended for all members who traverse the channel entering or exiting Beach Haven West toward the "A" frame.

Please be advised that at mean low water, the port side of the channel departing or starboard side returning Beach Haven West has very little depth. When I ran through at appx. 1500 hours, the channel depth was only 1.5 to 2 feet at best.

Use extreme caution.

Regards -

Bruce G. Kreeger  
FSO-CS 7-12 5NR

**FISHING REPORT** by Bill Jann & Bill Dabney

From my fishing log...due to the rotten weather this was the first trip of the year. Nice way to start!

Bill Jann

Wednesday May 4, 2007 6:00am to 1:00pm

Went out with Captain Dave and Bill Dabney at 6:00am ... we were looking for Back Bay Bass, using live herring and jigs with Gulp! ... started out along the islands near the big windmills at Atlantic City ... got bites right away, on the incoming tide, some of the herring got bitten off by blues but we landed a 30" striper apiece ... Capt. Dave worked the jig/gulp combo and got several smaller bass ... the flats around there are 3 to 5 feet deep, but the currents have carved channels along the sod banks up to 25 feet deep ... the captain used a trolling motor to keep us in the channels as we drifted ... the bass were tentative on their bite today; we had a lot of hits that scaled the herring but didn't reach the hook ... later the bite slowed down so we worked our way northward and found a school of nice blues near Absecon Inlet ... they bit on both the herring and the jig/gulp combos ... all in all, it was a great way to start off the season, especially after all the miserable weather we'd been having ... didn't use the radio, so I don't know what else was going on, but there were only a small handful of other boats around



Nice Bluefish & Nice Hat!



Bill Dabney Strikes Again!





Striper!



Nice Catch...5-4-07

A Cooler of Nice Fish!

**RESCUE REEF** by Ron Nachmann

The Reef Rescue mission goes on. I attended a meeting on Wednesday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>. I'll get everyone up to speed at the June 8<sup>th</sup>. Meeting! If we speak up, we can win this important issue. Check out the website [www.njreefrescue.com](http://www.njreefrescue.com).

**NEW SUGGESTION FORM** by Ron Nachmann.

The Board of directors is very interested in hearing any suggestions or complaints of our members. There will be a "Suggestion Box" available at all meetings for you to place your comments in for our consideration. You will find this form at all Meetings.

**ABLE WEST FISHING TRIP** by Tim Montagano

Hello, Ray. Thank you for my first VHFC newsletter. I had been interested in the club for some time, and finally found reason to get over there and join. Would you pass on the note below to the members?

For the past three years I have been working with a local non-profit, Able West in Tuckerton, to arrange fishing trips for people with disabilities. This year our trip will be on Sept. 8th on the Carolyn Ann III out of Barnegat Light. We have received donations so that the price is only \$20 per person. Each person may bring a guest to assist, if necessary. To date, we have 4 people who use wheelchairs, and we can take a maximum of 10. However, we have another 40 slots for people who can walk on. Our purpose for these trips is to raise awareness in the angling community as to the needs of disabled anglers and encourage them to improve accessibility. If anyone or their friends or family members are interested, they can call me at (609) 597-1977 or Richard West at (609)296-1043. **EDITOR'S NOTE: TIM IS A NEW MEMBER THIS YEAR. THIS TRIP IS A GREAT WAY FOR OUR MEMBERS TO SUPPORT FISHING FOR DISABLED ANGLERS & HAVE A GREAT TIME IN THE PROCESS.**

**STRIPED BASS BONUS TAGS AVAILABLE ON LINE** by Dick Vesper

Striped bass bonus program permits can now be obtained online through the Division of Fish and Wildlife's license Web site. A DEP News Release regarding the program can be found at [http://www.nj.gov/dep/newsrel/2007/07\\_0015.htm](http://www.nj.gov/dep/newsrel/2007/07_0015.htm).

Making the permits available online, as well as at license agents, makes the process faster and easier than in the past. Permits can still be obtained through the mail. For information on changes in the application and reporting process, as well as a link to the license site where permits can be obtained, visit the Striped Bass Bonus Program page at <http://www.njfishandwildlife.com/bonusbas.htm> on the Division of Fish and Wildlife's Web site.

**CLASSIFIED ADS** by Ray Williams

1 Ritchie Compass w/ Light, 2 five gallon gas cans (New), 1 vest Type C.G.A. Life Vest, Some fishing poles, 4 umbrella rigs, several 4 to 12 ounce trolling sinkers, 1 Olin Marine Signal Kit, 2 live bait aerators, 3 360 GPH Rule pumps (1 new, 2 in good condition), 1 custom reel line remover, 1 set outboard motor fins, 1 grease gun (pump type). Call George Fruh at 597-4588  
10' 6" U. S. Marine Inflatable Boat, Max 15 H.P., Load Capacity 1500 lbs. Has 4 air chambers. Includes 2

aluminum oars, air pump, carrying bag, repair kit, retractable wheels, only \$400. Call Walt at 492-2655

**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.

**VILLAGE HARBOUR FISHING CLUB, INC.  
2007 BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

**Officers:**

President Ed Wetmore (294-6956)  
1<sup>st</sup> Vice President Ron Nachmann (698-1430)  
2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President Vacant

Treasurer Bill Logan (597-0784)  
Secretary John Borick (597-8592)

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Sergeant at Arms Charlie Kochka  
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Membership Data Base John Nonnenmacher (597-5383)  
Guest Speakers Bill Dabney (978-6893)  
Immediate Past Pres. John Borick (597-8592)  
Communications Roland Dixon (494-0543)  
Newsletter Ray Williams (978-1480)

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Vessel Safety Ed Wetmore (294-6956)  
JCAA/Regulations John Borick (507-8592)  
Past Presidents Dave Sikorski (978-0437)  
Ray Williams (978-1480))  
Fishing Hands On Vacant  
Tournament Director Don Longstreet  
All Past Presidents, not listed above, are non-voting Board members.

**REMEMBER THE OLD DAYS?** By George Fruh

VHFC members might enjoy this fishing report I saved from the July 6, 1985 SandPaper.

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** The writer of this column, Mr. Kunze, has a good point. Read the excerpt below. If it weren't for efforts 22 years ago, the fluke fishery might be extinct. Size & bag limitations are very difficult to stomach but they do work!

“Dormant Doormats”

The minimum size limit for fluke will be 12 inches starting July 15, 1985, and that is welcome news to thousands of sportsmen. Most people look with disdain at anyone who catches a fish that is too small to give a decent fight and too small to have enough meat on it to make it worth cleaning.

Now maybe after a few years of progressively lengthening the minimum size of fluke, we will again be able to catch some doormats. For those of you who do not know what a doormat is, it's an undersized fluke that was put back into the water and given a chance to grow up to be a 10 or 12 pounder or more. To many who always take but never return, this may sound like a lot of malarkey, but if you ever do catch a very large fluke which can range from 8 to 20 pounds you may have some regrets about the small fish that you have taken.

I can still recall many fluke fishing trips, mostly along the oceanfront on the old *Queen of Hearts*, when all fluke under 2 pounds were returned to the water, and today many dedicated fishermen still do that. I still think that a minimum size should be placed on weakfish and kingfish, which are still being taken when they are very small. I have caught weakfish that weighed up to 14 pounds and kingfish that were 21 inches long, which gave me a greater thrill than if I had caught 15 of each of the undersized ones. The small fish do not raise your status as a sportsman and do not provide a good meal. There are always those that will take anything that they can sink a hook into, which is why laws must be passed to protect nature's creatures so that they can reach an adult stage in life and reproduce. That way future generations can enjoy nature's bounty.

**VHFC WEBSITE BY** Dave Sikorski, VHFC Webmaster

Hi Guys,

For those of you who are interested, I have successfully updated our website. Please let me know of any problems you may encounter on our website, as you use it. Also, and more importantly, let me know of any new and relevant information or links that I can add to the site.

## North & South Bay Tournament on June 23rd, 2007

This fishing event is open to all active members, co-members, & junior anglers (2007 dues paid) with or without boats. Entry Fee is \$10 per angler & all entry fees will be distributed as prize money.

We are asking all participating boats to fly the club flag, so we can identify each other and aid one another as needed.

**Entries:** Prizes will only be awarded to current (dues paid) members who have signed up for this event before it starts; either at a club meeting or by mail received before the event. We need you to sign the Signup Sheet and thereby acknowledge your understanding of the rules and responsibilities for the event.

**Prizes:** One third of the total entry fees will be awarded for each of the heaviest keeper Fluke, Weakfish and Bluefish (the bluefish must be over 2 pounds). In the event that no fish of a species is caught, prize money will be split among other species. In case of equal weights, the longer fish will win & if lengths are equal, the first fish weighed in wins.

**VHF channel 72** is the day's communication channel **Hail on Channel 9**

**Fishing Time** will be from sun-up to 4pm Sat June 23rd

**Fishing Area** BARNEGAT, MANAHAWKIN, & GREAT BAYS FROM 2 MILES NORTH OF BARNEGAT INLET TO 2 MILES SOUTH OF LITTLE EGG INLET

**Co-Chairmen:** Ron Nachmann, (698-1430) & Bill Logan, (597-0784)

**Chairman's Boat** will be "R & R", captained by Ron Nachmann

**Schedule:** Weigh-ins must be Fish caught & weighed in at Fisherman's Headquarters, The Chum Bucket, or American Sportsman before June 23rd at 5pm.

**Prize Awards:** Prizes will be distributed at the July Membership Meeting.

### SIGN UP SHEET

- Signed entries can be mailed to VHFC, South Bay Tournament, PO Box 1026, Manahawkin, NJ 08050.
- Formal participation includes a commitment to hold harmless the Village Harbour Fishing Club, Inc, its officers and directors for any damage or injury which may result from participation in this event.
- Each Captain is responsible for the safety of his or her boat and all the people aboard.
- Village Harbour Fishing Club, Inc. does not inspect the boats or assess the training and experience of the Captain or crew.
- Each Captain is responsible for all the decisions regarding the safe operation of their vessels, including the decision to leave the dock.
- Event dates are scheduled well in advance of any weather forecast. Conditions necessary for safe operation are different for different vessels and Captain and crew experience levels. The Captain of the participating vessel who signs this entry form agrees to take full responsibility for all decisions affecting the safe operation of his vessel and agrees to indemnify and hold the club harmless from any claims made by anyone affected by the operation of the Captain's vessel.

Captain's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Boat Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Crew Names	Signatures	Date
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**VILLAGE HARBOUR FISHING CLUB, INC.**  
**2007 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 11, 2007**

Print Name\*: \_\_\_\_\_ Member #: \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature\*: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Note: Both \* items must be completed

Renewals: Please insert any changes from 2006 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.**  
**2007 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 11, 2007**

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:

<b>SPONSOR MEMBER'S INFORMATION (ALL ARE REQUIRED EACH YEAR)</b>	
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 11, 2007.	
Sponsor's Name*:	Sponsor's Member #:
Sponsor's Signature*:	Relation to Applicant*:
Date*: ____ / ____ / ____	

Junior Angler Boat Owners, please complete the following:

Print Name of Boat: \_\_\_\_\_ Length (ft.): \_\_\_\_\_



2007 Village Harbour Fishing Club, Inc. Meeting and Events Schedule (Revised 5/31/07)

<p><b>April 13 2007</b>  Fish of the Month: Winter Flounder  <b>7:45 APRIL 13:</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Club business</li> <li>➤ 2006 Awards Presentations for 7 "Trophy Fish of the Year" &amp; for the Oct &amp; Nov Fish of the Month</li> <li>➤ Intro - Surf Tournament</li> <li>➤ All Present - Fishing Discussion</li> <li>➤ Speakers: Steve Purul "Striper Fishing with Bucktails &amp; Live Lining"</li> </ul> </p>	<p><b>May 11 2007</b>  <b>-DUES ARE DUE BY MAY 11-</b>  Fish of the Month: WEAKFISH  <b>7:45 MAY 11:</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Club business</li> <li>➤ W. Flounder FoM Award</li> <li>➤ Update - Surf Tourney</li> <li>➤ All Present - Fishing Discussion</li> <li>➤ Speakers: Bill Donovan &amp; Darren Dorris "Small boat Trolling"</li> <li>➤ Flea Market Coming Soon!</li> </ul> </p>	<p><b>May 5th</b>   <b>SURF TOURNAMENT</b>  Chairmen: John Borick  Ron Nachmann  Entry Form in this issue</p>
<p><b>JUNE 8 2007</b>  Fish of the Month: FLUKE  <b>7:45 June 8:</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Club business</li> <li>➤ Weakfish Fish of the Month Award</li> <li>➤ Report - Surf Tournament</li> <li>➤ Intro to North &amp; South Bay Fishing Tourney</li> <li>➤ Speakers: Shell Caris "Boat &amp; Surf Fishing Techniques"</li> <li>➤ Flea Market</li> </ul> </p>	<p><b>June 23rd</b>   <b>NORTH &amp; SOUTH BAY FISHING TOURNAMENT</b>   Chairman:  Ron Nachmann</p>	<p><b>JULY 13 2007</b>  Fish of the Month: BLUEFISH  <b>7:45 July 13:</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Club Business</li> <li>➤ Fluke Fish of the Month Award</li> <li>➤ Report -N. &amp; S. Bay Fishing Tourney</li> <li>➤ Intro-Fluke &amp; Sea Bass Tourney</li> <li>➤ Intro to VHFC Dinner</li> <li>➤ All Present - Fishing Discussion</li> <li>➤ Speakers: Hugh Carberry "Reef Fishing Techniques"</li> </ul> </p>
<p><b>AUGUST 18TH</b>  <b>FLUKE &amp; SEA BASS TOURNAY</b>  <b>CHAIRMEN: BILL LOGAN &amp; ED WETMORE</b>  Species: Fluke &amp; Sea Bass</p>	<p><b>AUGUST 10 2007</b>  Fish of the Month: SEA BASS  <b>7:45 Aug. 10:</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Club business</li> <li>➤ Bluefish of the Month Award</li> <li>➤ All-Present - Fishing Discussion</li> <li>➤ Intro-Fluke &amp; Sea Bass Tourney</li> <li>➤</li> </ul> </p>	<p><b>AUGUST 31, 2007</b>  <b>VILLAGE HARBOUR FISHING CLUB DINNER</b>  <b>CHAIRMEN: Bill Logan &amp; Ed Wetmore</b>  <b>DINNER AT THE OCEAN ACRES GOLF CLUB</b>  <b>7:30PM</b></p>
<p><b>SEPTEMBER 14 2007</b>  Fish of the Month: FLUKE &amp; CROAKER  <b>7:45 Sept. 14:</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Club business</li> <li>➤ Sea Bass Fish of the Month Award</li> <li>➤ Report - Fluke &amp; Sea Bass Tournament</li> <li>➤ Intro - Surf Tournament</li> <li>➤ All-Present - Fishing Discussion</li> <li>➤ <u>Hands-On Surf Fishing</u></li> </ul> </p>	<p><b>October 12 2007</b>  Fish of the Month: Striped Bass &amp; Bluefish  <b>7:45 Oct. 12:</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Sept. Fish of the Month Award</li> <li>➤ Report on Fluke &amp; Sea Bass Tournament</li> <li>➤ All Present - Fishing Discussion</li> <li>➤ Speaker Unknown</li> </ul> </p>	<p><b>NOVEMBER 9, 2007</b>  <b>GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING IN NOVEMBER.</b>  <b>7:45 NOV 12</b>  <b>ALL PRESENT- FISHING DISCUSSION</b>  <b>NO SPEAKER</b></p>

Monthly meetings are 2<sup>nd</sup> 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><b>FISHERMAN'S HEADQUARTERS</b> Causeway, Ship Bottom, NJ 494-5739 10% discount on bait &amp; tackle</p>	<p><b>BOBBIES</b> 7<sup>th</sup> &amp; Bay Ave., Barnegat Light, NJ 494-1345 10% discount on bait &amp; tackle</p>	<p><b>L&amp;H Woods &amp; Water</b> 403 Route 9 Waretown 242-1812 10% off any purchase</p>
<p><b>THE CHUM BUCKET BAIT &amp; TACKLE</b> 381 Rte. 9, West Creek, NJ 294-2500 10% discount on bait &amp; tackle</p>	<p><b>CAUSEWAY BOAT RENTALS</b> On the LBI Causeway 494-1371 10% discount on bait and tackle.</p>	<p><b>GALLIVANT GRAPHICS BOAT LETTERING</b> We come to you ---- 10% off for members 609-812-9883</p>
<p><b>AMERICAN SPORTSMAN BAIT &amp; TACKLE</b> Mill Creek Plaza 597-4104 10% discount on bait &amp; tackle</p>	<p><b>THE BOAT SHOP</b> 756 E. Bay Ave., Manahawkin, NJ 597-1271 10% discount on regular prices</p>	<p><b>BARNEGAT LIGHT BAIT &amp; TACKLE</b> Bay Avenue &amp; 15<sup>th</sup> St., Barnegat Lt. 494-4566 10% discount on bait &amp; tackle</p>
<p><b>FIRST BRIDGE MARINA &amp; KAYAKS</b> 500 Great Bay Boulevard, Tuckerton 296-1888 10% discount on bait &amp; tackle</p>		<p><b>BOAT U.S.</b> VHFC members only pay \$12.50 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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