

THE HARBOUR LIGHT



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EVENTS IN SEPTEMBER

BOARD MEETING: 02 SEPTEMBER

7:00 P.M at the Community Center

MEMBERSHIP MEETING: 09 SEPTEMBER

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

8:00 pm Guest Speaker: Capt. George Karr, Topic, Striper fishing with Live Bait

➤ All-Present Fishing Discussion Break

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE by Vince Sibona

Fall Fishing! Some of the best fishing will begin to start soon. Most of us have been and are catching many fluke although they are mostly shorts, but still some nice keepers. Now the fall season presents a variety of fish to be caught, hopefully in abundance. Whether you fish by boat in the bay, the ocean or surf fish, the variety of fish should be good. Fluke should still be around until the end of the season. There have been some reports of weakfish and blowfish being caught and they should be around for a while. Striped Bass fishermen are waiting for the fall run which should be good this year. Sea Bass will be around for a while and big Bluefish usually show up in great numbers this time of year.

Polluting our fishing waters! This really irks me. I know most fisherman do not throw garbage overboard, on the beach or in the surf. Yet I see plastic bottles, plastic bags, soda and beer cans floating in the lagoons by my home, in areas of the bay and in the ocean. On my boat and on my fishing friend's boats, we have a 5 gallon plastic pail with a lid on it for garbage. We cut about a 3 1/2 inch diameter round hole in the center of the lid to put the garbage in. The lid keeps the garbage from blowing out.

Help keep our fishing waters clean and good fall fishing everyone.

Vince

2011 TROPHY FISH OF THE YEAR AS OF

07/30 by John Kleban

Winter Flounder	NONE		
Tog			
Weakfish			
Bluefish	Paul Galasso	18.0 lb.	7/2/2011
Fluke	Diane Kleban	10.30 lb.	7/24/2011
Sea Bass			
Striped Bass	John Kleban	40.25 lb.	6/5/2011

Congratulations to all those listed above.

2011 TROPHY FISH OF THE YEAR

PROGRAM by John Kleban

The same seven species will continue for our 2011Trophy Fish of the Year Program.

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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 2011, then you win the FOY trophy for that species. Note: your dues have to be paid before you catch an eligible fish.

2011 FISH OF THE MONTH AWARDS by John Kleban

The July FOM was Bluefish & Paul Galasso was the winner with an 18 lb. fish caught on July 2nd.

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

2011 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 2011 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.

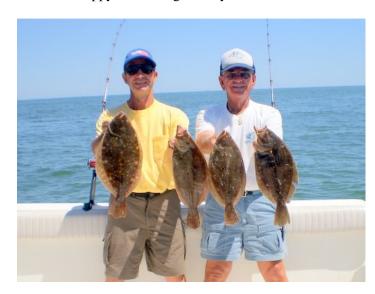
ROD RAFFLE by Vince Sibona

The VHFC is raffling off another fishing rod this year, a beautiful 7 foot spinning rod for boat or surf. This is a custom rod made by Manny Silva who has made the other rods. The rod is valued at \$400.00 and raffle tickets can be purchased for \$5.00 each at the VHFC Meetings. It will be raffled off at the September Meeting. Winner need not be present. A portion of the proceeds will benefit the RFA. By purchasing one or more tickets, you will be supporting the VHFC and the RFA and have a chance to win this beauty.

FISHING REPORT by Vince Sibona

Friday August 12, John Lysczarz and my brother Jim joined me on the SEA BONA for fluke fishing. We

left the dock at 6:30 AM. We went out of Barnegat Inlet and went up to the Island Beach State Park bathing beach. We started fishing about 7:30 in 40 feet of water. We only caught a few shorts in a half hour. John suggested we try deeper water, about 50 feet or more. We moved into 50+ feet of water and began to catch more fish much faster. The 3 of us caught about 35 fluke and had 6 keepers to 21 1/2 inches. At 12:30 PM we picked up and ran in. It's been a while since my brother Jim came fishing with me so I'm happy we had a good day.



Vince & Jim Sibona with a Nice Catch of Fluke!

FISHING REPORT by Walt Thomas

Tommy Malone and I went out today, August 16th, and fished around buoy 113 and boated 4 fluke. Unfortunately none were keepers. Due to the rain showers we decided to cut it short. Next shot Thursday and hopefully in the Ocean.

VESSEL SAFETY INSPECTIONS by Jeff Orsoe

I will be doing safety inspections on boats of club members. There are many advantages to getting this free inspection. First of all, you can feel more confident that your boat will be safe to use. In addition, your insurance company may give you a discount on boat insurance. If the Coast Guard is out on the water doing inspections, it is less likely that you will be boarded if they see your Vessel Safety Inspection Sticker. If you are interested in having your boat inspected, please call me at 732-672-5530. Please check the following before arranging for an

inspection. Check that your registration # is correct, HIN# (Hull Identification #) is correct & that your flares expiration dates are current & that your battery terminals are covered. These are common problems I see when inspecting boats. If you want a complete list of the items on the checklist, please call me or email me at jorsoe786@comcast.net.

RFA PRESS RELEASE by Jim Hutchinson, Jr.

SUMMER FLOUNDER & SCUP TO INCREASE IN 2012

Black Sea Bass To Take Another "Fatally Flawed" Hit

August 19, 2011 - In a joint meeting of the Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (Council) and the Black Sea Bass, Scup and Summer Flounder Management Board of the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission (Board) in Wilmington, DE on Wednesday, approval was given to recommendations to increase Summer Flounder and Scup quotas for the 2012 fishing season by 1.55 million pounds and 21.43 million pounds, respectively.

The overall black sea bass quota will be the same for 2012, however, the recreational catch target will be decreased by nearly a half million pounds to account for increases in discards.

Following the advice of the Council's Science and Statistical Committee (SSC), monitoring committee and staff, there was much debate about the summer flounder and scup quotas, but the final decision to increase the quotas was rendered with overwhelming support from both the Council and the Board.

Black sea bass, however, was far more contentious. Capt. Adam Nowalsky, chairman of the New Jersey chapter of the Recreational Fishing Alliance (RFA-NJ) and serving as New Jersey's Legislative Commissioner's Proxy to the ASMFC Board, put forth a motion with strong support from New Jersey's other Commissioners and Council members to keep the 2012 recreational catch target the same as for 2011. This motion passed the Council in a narrow 10-9 roll call vote, but was defeated by the Board 6-5. Since the species are jointly managed, both the Council and the Board must approve any measures, thus resulting in a failed motion.

A motion was then put forth that would have

reduced the black sea bass 2012 catch target by almost 700,000 pounds, but an amendment again put forth by Capt. Nowalsky won favor by both bodies resulting in a lesser 470,000-pound reduction.

"In making its recommendation, the monitoring committee cited concerns about increased discards in the recreational fishery as their basis for lowering the 2012 catch target," said Capt. Nowalsky. "Discards are a result of decreased quota and more restrictive management measures, combined with high abundance of black sea bass. Further restricting recreational fishermen's access to a stock that is not overfished and is not experiencing overfishing sends the wrong message," he added.

"If the discards are a problem, then they should be addressed through the recreational measures decided when the Council and Board jointly convene again in December," Nowalsky argued.

The majority of opposition to the motion for status quo came from representatives from southern states including Delaware, Virginia and North Carolina, while Maryland's representatives unanimously supported the status quo measures. Delaware, Maryland and Virginia were exempted from 2011's 43% decrease in harvest that was enacted due to lower landings in those states as compared to the northern states from New Jersey through Massachusetts. Connecticut also opposed the motion for status quo.

"Think about the ridiculousness of our management process, the fisheries service uses flawed recreational harvest data to show that we are fishing over our allowable limit, so they cut back that limit to such a draconian level that anglers are catching sea bass they're not allowed to catch," said RFA executive director Jim Donofrio. "Anglers can't get away from the sea bass, they're stumbling all over this fish because of its rebuilt status as a healthy stock, yet a fatally flawed harvest survey shows anglers are still catching and releasing black sea bass, which itself is considered overharvest."

Donofrio praised efforts of Nowalsky and other coastal fishing advocates who have continued to fight for more common sense at the regional level, but he said that hand-wringing in Congress is truly to blame for the current fisheries mess.

"NOAA Fisheries was told by Congress to fix the

recreational harvest surveys as of 2009, but here it is our third full fishing season since the mandatory deadline and we're still being ruined by a hopelessly inadequate survey system," Donofrio said. "Congress passed a broken fisheries law in 2006 when they passed Magnuson by unanimous consent, and Congress has failed our coastal fishermen by not fixing the issues nor holding the federal bureaucracy up to the same standards as our private citizens," Donofrio added.

RFA said Mid-Atlantic anglers are lucky that some limited management flexibility was incorporated into the 2006 reauthorization of the Magnuson Stevens Act, as key lawmakers from New Jersey and New York were successful in incorporating a provision to extend the rebuilding timeframe for summer flounder by three years. "We warned Congress and other national fishing groups that restrictive language written into the law in 2006 coupled with the public sector's unwillingness to address private sector issues would lead these continued problems with sea bass, red snapper, scup, grouper and every other fishery managed under Magnuson," Donofrio said.

"Unless Congress steps in now and helps fix this problem, questionable science, inadequate survey programs, arbitrary deadlines and restrictive management measures are going to cost more American jobs in the days ahead," he said.

Black sea bass is scheduled for a peer reviewed stock assessment later this fall, the results of which will be available in early 2012. If the results of that assessment further bolster the evidence of a fully rebuilt stock and offers a reduction in the scientific uncertainty about the stock, a reconsideration of the quota may occur by the Council's SSC. A revised quota recommendation may result in modifications to the sector specific catch targets.

"The question everyone is now asking is what this will mean for 2012 recreational size, season and bag limits for all three species," Nowalsky said, adding "that answer will not be known until December, when both management bodies will reconvene to review the performance of 2011's measures."

About Recreational Fishing Alliance

The Recreational Fishing Alliance is a national, grassroots political action organization representing

recreational fishermen and the recreational fishing industry on marine fisheries issues. The RFA Mission is to safeguard the rights of saltwater anglers, protect marine, boat and tackle industry jobs, and ensure the long-term sustainability of our Nation's saltwater fisheries. For more information, call 888-JOIN-RFA or visit www.joinrfa.org.

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.

4 Offshore Rods and Reels for Sale by Vince Sibona

- 2 Seeker 6' Stand Up-Trolling rods 40-100 lb. class with roller stripper guides and roller tips. Shimano Triton Trolling Series 50 lb. preset lever drag reels. Excellent condition.
- 1 Sam Scott Custom 7' trolling rod with Aftco aluminum reel seat and butt. Aftco roller guides and tip. Penn Special Senator high speed 6/0 reel. Very good condition.
- 1 Sam Scott Custom 6' 6" trolling rod with Aftco roller guides and tip. Shakespeare Sigma Series reel. Very good condition. Selling as a package. Bargain priced at \$450.00 firm. Must see. 609 597 6162

2000 BOSTON WHALER FOR SALE

18' Dauntless center console with 2004 150 hp Yamaha 4 stroke. 2004 Loadrite trailer. GPS, fish finder, VHF radio. Power tilt steering, live well. Great fishing boat for the bay. Excellent condition, all maintence done on schedule. \$18,500. Call Ray Williams at 597-3656.

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 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.

Joe Marone is looking to fish with other members. He no longer has a boat but he is willing to share costs. Please call him at 732-674-9448.

DOROTHY STORY MAKES GIFT TO VHFC IN MEMEORY OF TOM & JIM by Vince Sibona

Dorothy Story, widow of Tom Story & mother of Jim Story, has donated \$200 to our club to be used in memory of her late son Jim & late husband Tom. She told me that Jim & Tom enjoyed going to our meetings. They also volunteered for the club & were in charge of refreshments. Board Members are thinking of using the money to buy a fishing reference book & other items for the library. These items will be marked as donated in memory of Tom & Jim. We would like to thank Dorothy for her generosity in memory of these two fine men.

OCTOBER SPEAKER ANNOUNCED by Bill Dabney

Our October speaker will be Jim Shockley, one of the finest marine mechanics in Ocean County. He will speak on winterizing your boat. Jim will go through the proper procedures for preparing your boat for winter & has some new information on winterizing when dealing with ethanol gas. He spoke several years ago to our club & was one of our most interesting speakers.

A VISITOR TO MY DOCK by Donna Harris

Have any of you seen anything like this living in the lagoons? My son took the attached picture today of what looks like a little sea otter (the picture quality isn't good - he took it from inside the house on a camera phone!). The otter (or whatever it is) climbed out of the lagoon, hung out a bit on our dock, and then went swimming back down the lagoon (mill creek). I actually think has been visiting our dock regularly over the last week using it as his porta potty, when we came down this week, the dock was a bit of a mess right where you see him standing in this picture (thought it was the geese). We have a ramp at the end of the dock (put there in case our not so smart lab falls into the lagoon), so there is easy access up to the yard. Just wondering if you would have any idea what this is!



My Mystery Guest!

NJ SALT WATER REGISTRY by Dave Sikorski The registry is up and running. If you plan to fish in NJ, you must register.

I did already, it only took 2 minutes. It's free to register, and if you get caught fishing without it, it will cost at least \$3000 in fines.

So register today! Visit www.saltwaterregistry.nj.gov

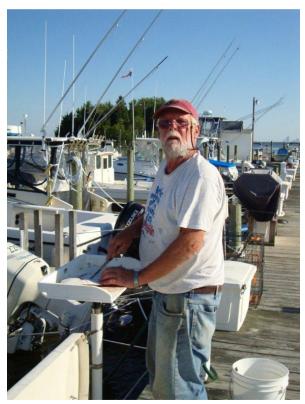
FISHING REPORT by Ed Wetmore

Bill Dabney, Russ Dent and myself went out yesterday to the Red tower locations (off LBI) and on the Little Egg reef. We caught 4 keeper fluke and one blue fish and many shorts some that were 17 1/2 inches but had good weather (1.5-2 knot drift) and a good time. Oh, the fluke in the picture was caught by me.

The day was great. I also caught a blue fish. We fished the red tower locations off LBI and then Little Egg Reef. We decided to show the finished product in these pictures so the bag that Bill is holding is several fluke fillets.



We're Smiling Cause We're Eating Fluke
Tonight!



Russ Denton Cleaning the Day's Catch!



Yes, That Hand Belongs To Ed Wetmore!

DEP RESPONDS TO NJOA, REEF RESCUE"GIVE US BACK OUR REEFS" Initiative by Bill Figley

Attached is a portion of a NJOA news release that contains a response from Director Chanda regarding all the mail that has been hitting DEP Commissioner regarding traps on reefs. It APPEARS that the DEP is finally going to look at this problem and HOPRFULLY develop some sort of regulation. I expect it to be a compromise that we will not be 100 percent happy with. However, I think we need to keep the pressure on to make sure something happens.

Dear Concerned Citizen:

Restoration Program.

"I am writing in response to your recent correspondence to Commissioner Martin regarding potential regulations that would restrict gear such as fish and lobster traps on the State's two amficial reef sites.

The Commissioner is aware, and understands the

concerns, about the potential conflicts occurring between recreational anglers and commercial fishing gear and the implications for US Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) Sport Fish Restoration funds appropriated to New Jersey's Artificial Reef Program. The Department of Environmental Protection (the Department) is working to address the situation and supports a compromise position to resolve the conflict issues similar to the previous proposal developed by the New Jersey Marine Fisheries Council's Reef Committee. The Department will be working with both the recreational and commercial fishing sectors to develop a quick compromise that will satisfy all access issues while meeting the

Thank you for your interest. and continued support of New Jersey's Artificial Reef Program. Sincerely, David Chanda Director"

requirements of the US Fish and Wildlife's Sport Fish

VILLAGE HARBOUR FISHING CLUB, INC.
2011 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

Print Name*: Me	mber #:Nickname:	
Signature*: Dat	se: <u>/ /</u>	
	ems must be completed	
Renewals: Please insert any cha		
New Applicants: Please complet		
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, plea	se complete the following:	
Print Name of Boat: Length (ft.):		
2011 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 13, 2011		
Note: All 5 * ite	ms 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 empile Circle Ves on No. A year will save the slub printing & mailing costs		
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 wellbeing 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 13, 2011.		
Sponsor's Name*:	Sponsor's Member #:	
Sponsor's Signature*: Date*:	/ / Relation to Applicant*:	
-	rs, please complete the following:	
Print Name of Roots	Length (ft.):	

2011 Village Harbour Fishing Club, Inc. Meeting and Events Schedule (Revised 8/30/11)

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April 08 2011	May 13 2011	Tentative Date	
Fish of the Month: Winter Flounder	-DUES ARE DUE BY MAY 09-	TBA	
7:45 APRIL 10:	Fish of the Month: STRIPED		
> Club business	BASS	NODTH DAY FLEET	
> 2010 Awards Presentations for 7	7:45 MAY 08:	NORTH BAY FLEET	
"Trophy Fish of the Year" & for the	> W. Flounder FOM Award	OUTING	
Oct & Nov Fish of the Month	Update - North Bay Fleet Outing		
> Intro - North Bay Fleet Outing	Capt. Melanie Boytos Award		
> All Present - Fishing Discussion	Presentation		
Speaker: John Henson "Spring Surf	Speaker: Steve Purul (Reel		
Fishing and Driving on the Beach"	Fantasea) will be discussing		
	techniques for using top water lures		
	for striper fishing.		
	> Club business		
JUNE 10 2011		JULY 08 2011	
Fish of the Month: FLUKE		Fish of the Month: BLUEFISH	
7:45 June 12:		<u>7:45 July 08</u> :	
> Club business	ANNUAL DINNER DANCE	> Club Business	
> Striped Bass Fish of the Month	CANCELED	> Fluke Fish of the Month Award	
Award	CANCELED	Club Fishing Forum	
> Report - North Bay fleet Outing		> All Present - Fishing Discussion	
Speakers: Capt. HaroldMcMasterCoastal Obsession		Speaker: Jennifer Sibiga,Dermatology Nurse PractitionerUV	
Charters TopicStriper trolling with		Skin Protection	
bunker spoons and wreck fishing for		Skiii i i o recitori	
blackfish			
	AUGUST 12 2011		
	Fish of the Month: FLUKE		
	7:45 Aug. 14:		
	> Club business		
	> Fish of the Month Award		
	All-Present - Fishing		
	Discussion		
CENTEMPED 22 2211	Oatshan 14 2011	NOVEMBED 11 2011	
SEPTEMBER 09 2011	October 14 2011	NOVEMBER 11 2011 GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING	
Fish of the Month: SEA BASS &	Fish of the Month: Striped Bass		
WEAKFISH	& Bluefish	IN NOVEMBER.	
7:45 Sept. 11:	7:45 Oct. 09: > Sept. Fish of the Month Award	7:45 NOV 13 ALL PRESENT- FISHING	
Club businessFluke Fish of the Month	> All Present - Fishing Discussion	DISCUSSION	
Award	> Speaker: Jim Shockley,	NO SPEAKER	
> All-Present - Fishing Discussion	Winterizing Your Boat	INTRO TO NEW OFFICERS	
> Speaker: Capt. George Karr,		FOR 2012	
> Topic, Striper fishing with Live		1 OK 2012	
Bait			

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

OUR CLUB WEBSITE by John Kleban

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

2011 DUES MUST BE PAID BY MAY 13TH 2011!

VILLAGE HARBOUR FISHING CLUB, INC. 2011 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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2 nd Vice President	Open	Sponsors	To Be Assigned
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		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		
FISHERMAN'S HEADQUARTERS Causeway, Ship Bottom, NJ 494-5739 10% discount on bait & tackle	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 Jeff Orsoe 494-6415	L&H Woods & Water 403 Route 9 Waretown 242-1812 10% off any purchase
THE CHUM BUCKET BAIT & TACKLE 381 Rte. 9, West Creek, NJ 294-2500 10% discount on purchases of \$10 or more	CAUSEWAY BOAT RENTALS On the LBI Causeway 494-1371 10% discount on bait and tackle.	GALLIVANT GRAPHICS BOAT LETTERING We come to you 10% off for members 609-812-9883
AMERICAN SPORTSMAN BAIT & TACKLE Mill Creek Plaza 597-4104 10% discount on bait & tackle	THE BOAT SHOP 756 E. Bay Ave., Manahawkin, NJ 597-1271 10% discount on regular prices www.theboatshoponline.com	BARNEGAT BAY BAIT & TACKLE 451 East Bay Avenue, Barnegat 609-488-5692 10% discount on everything in the shop, EXCEPT FUEL AND OILS. Present VHFC card before purchase.
BRASWELL TROPHY & ENGRAVING Ken Braswell, Owner 618-1744 10% Discount to VHFC Members	OCEANSIDE BAIT & TACKLE 8201 Long Beach Boulevard Brighton Beach, NJ. 08008 609-361-9800 10% off any purchase	WEST CREEK KAYAK & CANOE 224 Main St., West Creek 296-3030 10% off Accessories

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