



May 2018

SAVE THESE DATES:

2018
April 29 Jazzercycle Bike Ride
May 6 A Walk in the Woods
June 1-3 Cape May Weekend
June 10 Kayaking at Quiet Waters Park
June 23 Trip Leaders' Party
September 13 – 22 Cruise to Nova Scotia
<http://www.bestconnectiontravel.com/clubcrabtownecruise.html>

Club Crabtowne: Newsletter, Web and Meetup

A great volunteer opportunity:
Contribute to publishing Club Crabtowne's Newsletter, maintaining our website or managing our Meetup site? We are looking for technical people that know Microsoft Word or HTML or feel comfortable managing our Meetup site.
If interested in any of these, please contact Eric Welch at 410 573-9010 or eric.welch@clubcrabtowne.org.

[Crabtowne Meetup Calendar](#) has the most up to date event information including map capability.

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General Membership Meeting

NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, April 24, 2018

Speaker: No Speaker This Meeting

May meeting speaker from the SPCA.

When: 4th Tuesday of every month –
6 – 7 p.m. Chat, Drinks & Dinner
7 – 7:30 p.m. Business Meeting
7:30 – 8 p.m. Speaker

Where: Fleet Reserve Club
100 Compromise Street
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
410-263-4614
Link: <http://www.frcannapolis.org>

NOTICE: The Fleet Reserve Club has returned to its original policy of only one check for each table. Please bring cash to pay for dinner, etc. There is an ATM available for cash if necessary.

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JAY CROUTERS

Greetings From The President

As I sit here writing this, in my winter clothes, trying to recover from a 15-day sailboat delivery from the west coast of Florida to Herrington Harbor, I'm wondering if warmer weather will ever return. The photo shows me after a week underway. I had 3 pair of socks, long-johns, 5 layers up top, ski gloves and hat and still couldn't get warm. After all that you might think I would give up sailing, but you would be wrong. In fact, I'm trying to get a boating program set up for this summer. I'll be sending out an email to everyone with some questions about sailing and skiing. I would appreciate your response, so the Board can figure out the best way forward for our club. We want to have activities that you really want to participate in.

We need an Activities Chairperson, a volunteer for President Elect and a Membership Chairperson. None of these jobs take a huge amount of time and will give you the opportunity to meet and interact with many members

of the club. The more people that volunteer a little time the less each of us have to do.

Please save the date of Saturday, 23 June, to attend our annual Trip Leader's Party. It's open to all Crabtowners. There will be a small fee (amount and time will be posted next month) but Trip Leaders are free.

Membership renewal is in June, the dues will remain unchanged and notices will come out in May. Please renew when you receive your notice to save the hassle of sending out reminders.

Consider talking with your friends about joining our wonderful club. If everyone would "get" one new member we would not only grow the club but have new ideas on activities to plan. In short, more members means more "Having fun since 1971"

Jay Crouthers
Club Crabtowne President
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Bike Committee Report

The biking season is just about to start. The start of the season is the Jazzercycle ride April 29. Please contact me with your ideas for bike rides and if you want to lead a ride or participate.me. Anytime! John Mantini will lead a ~12 mi ride in Davidsonville May 26. Keep any eye on Meetup for upcoming bike rides and of course a helmet to protect your precious head is required. Being a ride leader is not difficult and with more leaders and assistant ride leaders we can have more enjoyable rides. The focus of the club rides are relatively short rides with a casual pace so we bike and smell the roses. Cape May is the first weekend in June. The full details are in this newsletter and posted in the Crabtowne Meetup site. Please note the drop dead payment date for Cape May is April 28 so the rooms can be held. First to pay for Cape May lock in one of the 15 rooms. Chincoteague may move back to a late September (get back to school?)

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time frame. Below is the tentative bicycling schedule from April to November:

April 29 Jazzercycle (Galesville) [Leader: George Clinton]

May 6 A Walk in the Woods

May 26 Rossback Ramble (Davidsonville) [Leader John Mantini]

June 1-3 Cape May [Leaders: George Clinton & Molly Hochman]

July 27 NCR Trail (Whitehall MD to New Freedom PA) [Leader: Tom Cagle]

August 12 Chesapeake City rails-to-trails [Leader Bruce Hagelgans]

September TBD Chincoteague [Leaders: George Clinton & Molly Hochman]

October 14 Blackwater Refuge [Leader: Ingrid Lamb]

November 3 Kent Island South trail [Leader: Carol Moyer]

Happy Trails,

George Clinton

Biking Committee Chair

georgeclinton@crabtowne.org

Ski Committee Report

At the April 7 Ski/Bike meeting there were eight people that took the time to be there. George Clinton said that he would be the leader for the BRSC trip to Sun Valley. BRSC trips always have extras like dinners, happy hours, club racing, and a dance. Keep watching here for more information. And I plan to do Ski on Wednesdays again. More on that later.

For anyone that wants to go to Sunday River, we need a leader to collect the money and pass the trip information to the attendees for Club Crabtowne. Email me if you want more information.

2019 Blue Ridge Ski Council ski trips:

February 02-09 Sun Valley, Idaho Western Carnival - George, leader

March 08-13 Val di Fassa, Italy Eurofest

March 03-08 Sunday River, Maine Winterfest

Ski in excess!

Barb & Bruce Hagelgans

Club Crabtowne Ski Committee Chairs

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Membership Committee Report

The Club would like to welcome the following new members:

Robert Parks

Diane Sawyer

Also, the Club's membership year extends from June 30, 2017 to June 30, 2018. It will soon be time to renew your Club Crabtowne membership and continue to enjoy our many activities!

Members will receive an application to renew their membership via mail in May. You can renew using that paper application or by going online to Club Crabtowne.org and submitting a renewal electronically.

Please check your mail in May to renew!

Nancy Knight

Membership Chairperson

Light House Shelter Donations

Bruce and Barb are going to be collecting for the Lighthouse Shelter of Annapolis, and Bruce will be dropping these donations off at the Shelter. Please bring your donations to the general meeting. He will also take names of members that donate so they can possibly get a tax deduction.

New or used bikes are needed to help our residents get to and from work. If you are going to bring these, please contact Bruce and let him know.

New mothers at the Light House are in need of new or used strollers with removable baby carriers.

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They can always use bottled water, milk, caffeinated coffee and individual snack-sized bags of chips, pretzels, etc. to distribute to shelter residents and lunch-time clients.

Pantry needs – They are always in need of the following items: Mayonnaise, canned goods, chili, oatmeal, coffee, disposable hot cups, peanut butter, dried herbs, pancake mix, fruit juice, spaghetti/pasta, spaghetti sauce, hamburger helper, spaghetti-Os/ravioli, canned beans (all kinds), syrup, jelly, tuna, macaroni and cheese, 5 lb. bags of sugar, powdered creamer, canned tomatoes, and salad dressings.

Bruce & Barb Hagelgans

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Chronicle Submission

Deadline: *The Friday before the General Membership Meeting (4th Tuesday).*

Approval:

Proposals must be submitted through the appropriate Chair / Board and approved before inclusion.

Chair Articles can be submitted directly to the Chronicle.

Special Articles should come through the President.

Advertisements should be submitted directly to the Chronicle.

Submission: chronicle@clubcrabtowne.org

Photographs: Please post all photos on -

www.meetup.com/clubcrabtowne/photos

Otherwise we are an invisible organizations

Activities & Events

4/23 Dinner Out

When: Every Monday

Where: Seafood Palace Buffet

81 Forest Plaza, Store A

410 216-2125

Time: 6 p.m.

Cost: Pay as you go

Directions: In Parole near Home Depot

Leader: Dave Wood, 410 267-9537

dave.wood@clubcrabtowne.org

4/29 Jazzercycle 2018 Bicycle Ride

When: Sunday April 29, 2018

Time: 11:00 am – 2:00 pm

Where: Carrie Weedon Science Center 911 Galesville Rd, Galesville,

Cost: no cost

Payment: not applicable

Description: Begin and end on the waterfront in rural Galesville on the West River. We will ride at a leisurely bicycle pace about 10-12 mph. The path is approximately 18 miles in length with a cutoff to go ~13 miles.. (Optional) Finish this relaxing social setting with fine food at Pirate's Cove Restaurant. If the weather is nice we may eat at their ""dock bar"" outside of Pirates Cove. A bicycle helmet is required as for all bike rides. The Jazzercycle name came from when jazz bands would play at the local restaurants at lunch and we'd ride, and then eat to jazz music. The jazz bands are gone yet we've kept the name and the bike ride tradition.

Directions: Carrie Weedon Center – take Rt. 2 South, left on 255 Galesville – cross Muddy Creek Road and park at Carrie Weedon Science Center on right .05 mile. . The parking lot entrance is past a park on the right and just past a Hardesty funeral home.

Cancellation: If there is hard rain we won't go. Call the trip leader day of the ride and check Meetup for a cancellation notice – although there is some lag to Meetup.

Leader: George Clinton cell 410-507-1710

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4/30 Dinner Out

Refer to 4/23 for full details

5/1 Movie Tuesday

When: 1st Tuesday of each Month

Time: Between 6 - 7 p.m., depending on movie time. *To Be Announced & on Meetup.*

Where: Bow Tie Cinemas, Harbour 9

Annapolis Harbour Center
2474 Solomons Island Road
Annapolis, MD 21401
410 224-1145

Cost: Pay as you go. Tickets cost \$6.00 at the box office.

Description: Join us at the movies: We will also post the title and starting time on Meetup, and meet in the theater lobby. We will take our seats 10 minutes before the start of the film.

Directions: Cinema is in the Annapolis Harbour Center, Rte.2, (Solomons Island Road) / Rte.665. For further directions, see map or contact one of the co-leaders.

Leader: Nancy Miller, 410-956-1585 h, 443-254-8316 c
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Co-Leader: Elizabeth Woodruff, 410-266-1427 h,
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5/2 TGIW

When: 1st Wednesday of every month

Where: Brio Tuscan Grille

Annapolis Town Center
305 Sail Place
Annapolis, MD 21401
410 571-5660

Time: 6 - 8 p.m.

Cost: Pay As You Go

Leader: Tom Cagle, 443 623-7435 c
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5/6 A Walk in the Woods

When: Sunday, May 6

Time: 8:30 a.m. to early afternoon.

Where: Patuxent Research Refuge, North Tract Trails

Cost: Pay as you go.

Payment: N/A

Description: Come join us for an easy walk in flat terrain through wooded acreage. The walk will be 3+ miles with stops at the Visitor Station and possible half-hour tram tour. All ages and abilities welcome so bring your friends and family. The outing includes an option to eat lunch out after our walk.

Directions: Meet at the Benfield Blvd Park and Ride near Benfield Blvd. and I-97 at 8:30 a.m. The Park and Ride is located behind the Exxon Station at the corner of Benfield Blvd. and I-97 right next to the Severna Park Racquet Ball Club. Or you may meet us at the Refuge by 9 a.m. The North Tract part of the Refuge is located at 230 Bald Eagle Drive, Laurel, MD. [Link to directions to the North Tract from Annapolis and Baltimore](#)

Directions from Annapolis are: Route 50 West to Exit 11, Route 197/Collington Rd Bowie. Follow Route 197 North for ~ 7 miles, past Bowie State College. Turn left at Powder Mill Road. Follow Powder Mill Road ~1/2 mile, turn left into Visitor Center entrance (Scarlet Tanager Loop). Go 1.4 miles to Visitor Center Parking area.

Cancellation: (Standard Club Policy Unless Otherwise Noted)

Leader: Christine Hunt, H - 410-923-6129,
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Assistant: Rosemary Council, H - 410-956-3586,
rosemary.council@crabtowne.org

5/9 Shoot Pool with Don

When: 2nd & 4th Wednesday of every month

Where: Union Jack's British Pub

2072 Somerville Road
Annapolis, MD 21401
410 266-5681

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Cost: Pay as you go.

Description: Come join the fun! A great place for men and women. Team play. Free Parking. Great tasty bar food (pay as you go). Come learn or hone your skills the tables are newly covered; it's great fun!

Directions: Given at Sign-Up

Cancellation: SCP

Leader: Don Chase, 443 994-6961
don.chase@clubcrabtowne.org

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5/10 Ladies Book Club

When: 2nd Thursday of each month

Where: Call the Trip Leader

What: Old Filth, by Jane Gardam

Leader: Marilyn Recknor, 410 626-8456

marilyn.recknor@clubcrabtowne.org

5/14 Bridge Anyone?

When: 2nd and 4th Monday of each month

Time: 7 - 9:15 p.m. *Sharp*

Where: Contact Leader

Cost: Pay as you go

Description: We are playing contract bridge on the 2nd and 4th Monday evenings of each month at 7pm. All are welcome to join us. Come earlier if you would like to eat and/or have something to drink before bridge ... or to simply socialize. Just remember: the more you play the better or more skilled you become. This meetup are for those who have a basic knowledge of bridge; hand evaluation, bidding, playing and defending.

Directions: Contact Leader

Leader: Jane Brinson, 410 693-3496

jane.brinson@clubcrabtowne.org

5/14 Dinner Out

Refer to 4/23 for full details.

5/23 Shoot Pool with Don

Refer to 5/9 for full details

5/26 Rossback Ramble 2018 Bicycle Ride

When: Saturday May 26, 2018

Time: 10 am - noon

Where: Davidsonville Park and Ride

Cost: no cost

Payment: not applicable

Description: Begin from the Davidsonville Park and Ride and ride along Rossback Road and the surrounding area in Davidsonville. The ride will be approximately 12 miles in length on relatively flat terrain with a few mild hills. A bicycle helmet is required as for all bike rides. Optional lunch in the nearby area (pay as you go), perhaps Killarney House on Central Avenue.

Directions: Davidsonville Park and Ride is off Davidsonville Road (Rt. 424) near the Route 50

interchange for Davidsonville. The street address is Davidson Crossing, Davidsonville, MD 21035. From Route 50 going east take the Davidsonville exit bear left and the park and ride is on the left.

Cancellation: If there is hard rain we won't go. Call the trip leader day of the ride and check Meetup for a cancellation notice – although there is some lag to Meetup.

Leader: John Mantini cell: 443-977-7836

5/28 Bridge Anyone?

Refer to 5/14 for full details.

5/28 Dinner Out

Refer to 4/23 for full details.

6/1-3/2018 Cape May Weekend 2018

When: [Friday-Sunday] June 1-23, 2018

Time: Check in 3 pm June 1 and check out 11 am June 3, 2018 [two nights lodging]

Where: Capri Motor Lodge

1033 Beach and Madison Ave., Cape May, NJ 08204

Cost: For a member or BRSC member the cost is \$362 per room (double occupancy) non-members/guests \$30 more to join for a year.

Roommates [2 per room can split the cost.] So with a roommate the cost is \$181 each for two nights lodging.

Description: For \$362 you can stay two nights at the charming room at the Capri Motor Lode in Cape May. Each room will have two double beds so you can split the cost (\$181 each) if you find a roommate.

Full payment is needed by April 28 if you don't pay you don't play.

We only have 15 rooms reserved which will be first paid, first made in the shade.

The trip leader and assistant help find roommates if you are seeking a roommate.

There will be a welcoming party Friday evening (covered in fee).

We'll try to meet up for dinners in the evenings (dinners are pay as you go).

We'll do a bike ride around the area on Saturday with plenty of time to dine, beach and shop.

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The hotel has A/C, outdoor pool, bike racks, shuffleboard, an outdoor sundeck that looks directly out to the ocean, and one reserved parking spot per room.

Directions: Take ferry from Lewes DE to Cape May Or drive around via the Delaware/NJ Memorial Bridge.

Cancellation: Standard Club Policy Unless Otherwise Noted

Leader: George Clinton cell phone: 410-507-1710

Assistant: Molly Hochman Cell phone 443-694-8210

6/10 Kayaking at Quiet Waters Park

When: Sunday, June 10, 2018

Time: 10:00 A.M.-11:00 A.M.

Where: 600 Quiet Waters Park Road, Annapolis 21403 (Meet at the boat rental site in Quiet Waters Park. It is about ¼ mile from the “T” parking lot (Blue Heron Center Parking Lot).

Cost: Rental Fee/Hour: \$15.00 for a single kayak and \$20.00 for a double kayak. The daily rate is \$45 for a single kayak and \$60 for a double kayak.

There is a daily vehicle entry fee of \$6.00 per car. Those who are interested in carpooling into the park can meet at the Bay View Shopping Center (West Marine, Grumps, etc.) across from the Quiet Waters Park entrance.

Payment: Pay when you arrive at the boat rental kiosk.

Description: Join Crabtowne members at Quiet Waters Park on Sunday, June 10th. Explore Harness Creek and enjoy the blue herons and ospreys. It is important to get to the boat rental site in Quiet Waters Park early to be sure that a kayak is available for the 10:00 A.M. launch time.

Directions: From Annapolis, take US-50 west. Take Exit 22, Route 665 (Aris T. Allen Blvd). Stay on Route 665 until it merges with Forest Drive. Follow Forest Drive for 2 miles. Turn right at the Exxon Station onto Hillsmere Drive (There is a sign in front of Exxon saying “Quiet Waters Park-Next Right”). The park entrance is 100 yards on the right-hand side.

Cancellation: N/A

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Personal Ads

COOKING INSTRUCTION, and KITCHEN ORGANIZATION

Ann Carrig - Culinary Institute Of America Graduate
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Personals Ads are FREE to Dues paying members. No activities or trips allowed. Ads run for three months, as space allows, unless editor is notified otherwise. Approx. 50 word limit. Your full name & home phone must be included. Deliver by e-mail to the editor.

Ocean City Fountainhead Towers

Penthouse Suite. High Rise Pool Tennis. The Suite's large bedroom faces the ocean with 18 foot sliding glass door. The Ocean can be viewed from the king size bed. The living room faces the bay. Panoramic views from both balconies, ocean and bay. Two Adults only. Rates vary by the week and range from \$725 to \$1150. (\$50 off for Crabtowne members). Enar Sanders 301-814-9840

Business Ads

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Bowie Md. 20715

410-349-3659

6111 Columbian Way

Bowie Md. 20715

410-349-3659

www.lasinglesbwa.com

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824 East College Parkway

Annapolis, MD 21409

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7:30 – 8 p.m. Social

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