

MASCF XXIX

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Thursday, September 29

Join the annual "gunkholin" overnight trip to Wye Island. Contact Pete Leshar for more information at widgeon@verizon.net. Pre-registration is absolutely required.

Friday, September 30

Arrive anytime; registration booth opens at 2 pm. Spend the day getting reacquainted, setting up your campsite, and messin' about.

5:30pm – Informal Cookout

Bring your own delicacies to grill, Museum provides soft drinks and a sampling (not enough for dinner!) of local seafood.

6:30pm – The Royal Oak Players

Bay-related folk music provided by locally-grown players.

10:00pm – Quiet time for campers

Late-nighters should remain in the cookout area.

Saturday, October 1

Messin' about starts anytime you want!

7:00am – Coffee, donuts, muffins, and like fare available

Served in the Van Lennep Auditorium till about 9:00am.

8:30am – Registration booth reopens

9:00am – Judging begins

9:00am – Craft Workshop (Van Lennep Auditorium)

Broaden your "off-the-water" nautical expertise: St. Michaels photo coasters. You may have to attend jus to find out what they are! All materials provided.

9:00am – Dinghy Cruisin' (near the Steamboat Building)

Spend about an hour with Greg Boyd and his uniquely designed car-top, single-hand, sleeps one dinghy cruiser.

9:30am – Kid's model building and sailing (under the big tent)

Join George and Marla Surgent under the tent. Launching to follow on the Steamboat Building deck.

10:00am – The Rebirth of Rosie Parks (in the Museum's Boat Yard)

Join Master Shipwright Marc Barto, who is heading up the restoration efforts on the Museum's skipjack Rosie Parks, as he explains the challenges and the rewards that make up his project.

10:00am – 4:00pm – On-going Demonstrations (near the Steamboat Building)

The folks from Chesapeake Wooden Boat Builders School are back to demo a variety of maritime skills, including painting, varnishing, oar making, and fitting out sails.

10:30am – Log Canoe Edmee S. Tours (Waterman's Wharf)

Join Capt. Marshall Patterson and crew for a sail on the log canoe Edmee S. (weather permitting). Boarding will be via a "tender" running from the Museum docks and back.

10:30am – Noon (or until they run out) – Grab a Dog!

If you want a quick bite to eat, hot dogs are available under the tent till noonish or the dogs run out!

Noon – Sailing skipper’s meeting

Followed by the sailing races at 1:00 pm.

2:00pm – Rowing workshop for kids

Get the “skippers-to-be” ready for the races to follow.

3:00pm – Rowing skipper’s meeting

Followed by the rowing races at 3:30pm

3:30pm – Kid’s kite making workshop (Van Lennep Auditorium)

Design and construct your own kite.

6:00pm – Dinner is served (under the tent adjacent to the Lighthouse and Bandstand)

Awards ceremony to follow.

7:30pm – Keynote Speaker: Pete Leshner (Van Lennep Auditorium)

Pete Leshner, Chief Curator at CBMM, will share stories and experiences of a nearly-lifetime’s worth of researching and using small craft.

(After Speaker’s Remarks) – Andre De Bardelaben (near the Steamboat Building)

Join Andre on the deck of the Steamboat Building for star gazing and astronomy talks.

Sunday, October 2

Messin’ about starts anytime you want!

7:00am – Coffee, donuts, muffins, and like fare available

Served in the Van Lennep Auditorium till about 9am.

9:00am – Worship on the Water (Steamboat Building)

All are welcome.

10:00am – Three-legged race (or some facsimile thereof)

Located in the harbor near the Museum’s docks.

10:30am – Scavenger Hunt

Kids of all ages are invited to meet under the tent for a pirate adventure. Bring your friends, siblings or parents along to help you find the treasure! Starts underneath the tent.

Noon (or sooner) – Swap meet (under the tent)

Bring nautical items to swap or sell.

2:00pm – Wrap up meeting

*All are welcome. Critique MASCF XXIX and make suggestions for MASCF XXX – **The Big 3-0!!***