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2009

Virginia Beach Anglers Club.org  
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# *Tight Lines*



The Virginia Beach Anglers Club meets the first Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at Foundry United Methodist Church located at 2801 Virginia Beach Blvd., Virginia Beach, VA next to Beach Ford

- Guest Speakers
- Refreshments
- Raffles
- Prize Fish

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## GUEST SPEAKER

The guest speaker for the November meeting will be Max King. Max will be speaking on Striped Bass fishing.

Captain Max King has been fishing for Chesapeake stripers for 10 years. He has fished the bay since 1985. Captain King has won the Mid-Atlantic Rockfish Shootout in 2006 and 2008. In 2007, he finished fourth and seventh in the tournament. He also won the 2006 CCA Green top Deltaville Tournament. In 2006, he was the American Striped Bass Association Top Angler of the Year Runner Up. He has repeatedly placed in the top 10. Without a doubt, Capt. Max has a reputation for finding and landing big fish in a variety of ways.



Please don't forget to visit our web site at:  
[www.virginiabeachanglersclub.org](http://www.virginiabeachanglersclub.org)

## Officers and Board Members for 2009

### Officers

President	Butch Eason	424-3624
1st Vice President	Larry Regula	472-7183
2nd Vice President	Steve Wray	481-5719
Treasurer	Mike Anderson	481-1296
Recording Secretary	Russell Willoughby	965-4810
Corresponding Secretary	Bill Peebles	545-3326

**Please do not hesitate to call one of these people with any questions you may have.**

### Board Members

Robbie Parks	Jerry Mariano	Jack Guthrie
Rich Maguire	Bob Stulhman	Gary Doerhoff
Doug Wehner	Preston Mangum	Jerry Hughes

**Next Board Meeting:**  
@ Virginia Beach  
Middle School

## Members News

**Membership Dues:** The membership dues for the VBAC are \$20 for individual and \$30 for family. You can pay them at the meeting or mail to VBAC, P. O. Box 8602, Virginia Beach, VA 23450

### Have a boat and need a crew? Want to fish but need a boat?

Rich Maquire - needs crew 619-4851  
Bob Wuorinen - available 486-8588  
Leonard Harris - available 455-8667  
Jerry Mariano— available 563-6365  
Frankie Baker— available 321-7234  
David Harwood-available 340-6187  
Tony Carpinelli-Available 214-1480  
John Connelly-needs crew 971-2588  
Ben Krause— needs crew 486-3721  
Bruce Agnor—Available 302-562-4783  
Brian Brewster—Available 202-2580  
Wayne Burton—needs crew 420-3117 or 620-0413

Share the ride and share the expense. If you would like your name added or deleted call me Bill Peebles at 757-545-3326 or email bpeebles1@cox.net

### Club T-Shirts

The Club will be offering newly designed t-shirts for sale. See Ron Jeffords at the meeting for details or to buy t-shirts.

# November 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5 7:30 Meeting	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19 Board Meeting	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

## Upcoming Dates:

**November 13-14: Annual Charity Rockfish Tournament ( see Bill Peebles for details)**

**December: VBAC Rockfish Rodeo December 4-6 2009 ( see page 8 for details)**

**December: Monthly meeting for December will be our Christmas party meeting. No guest speaker.  
We ask that you bring a dish to share.**

**December: Catching for Kids Rockfish Tournament December 11-13 2009. We will discuss at November meeting. See web site: [www.catchingforkids.org/](http://www.catchingforkids.org/)**



**Its time to pay for 2010 membership dues!**

# VBAC Annual Oyster Roast

This years oyster roast was again a great success. There are a few people that need to be named that had a hand in making it all happen. That would be Steve Wray and his wife, for allowing us to have it at their home. Jerry Mariano, the Chef, if you were there you know how great of a job he did. Larry Regula, for helping out with the cooking and set-up. Sue Smith for setting up the raffle and prizes for the cake contest, and all the board members and everyone else that I may have left out for lending a hand with the cooking of the oysters and helping the kids with fishing.

From myself and the rest of the VBAC thanks for a great oyster roast!!!





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Katie and Kevin Synoweic



Beth Synoweic

## Classified

One of our club members had a great idea to put a classified section in our news letter. If you have something that you would like to put in the classified section of the newsletter please let me know by e-mail or you can call me.

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### Two In One

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Tip sent in by member Jerry Hughes

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## Nomination of Officers

As you know we are nearing the end of 2009. This is the time of the year that we start taking nominations for VBAC officers and board members. Below is a list of the officers. We will be taking nominations at the November meeting.

<u>Office</u>	<u>Present Officer</u>
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## Tournament News

### Nags Head Surf Fishing Tournament

October 7-10, 2009, Carl McCoy, Robbie Parks, Larry Regula, Doug Wehner, Brian Francazio, and Jerry Mariano represented the Virginia Beach Anglers Club in the Nags Head Surf Fishing Tournament. Thursday's fishing was a little tough on the anglers, but was the best day of the two for catching. Friday was beautiful, but the fishing was not so much.



The Coast Guard in Hampton Roads has a new emergency number for mariners who can't use a radio channel, the primary method of communication.

Any mariner unable to use Marine VHF Radio Channel 16 (156.8 MHz) may now call a new toll-free emergency number: 1-877-SCCJSAR (1-877-722-5727).

Sector Hampton Roads, which will take calls from that emergency number, is responsible for responding to marine emergencies along the coast from the Delaware-Maryland border to the Virginia-North Carolina border, in the Chesapeake Bay south of the Potomac River and within Virginia's navigable rivers.





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**BLUEFISH ROUNDUP**  
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**Registration**  
**Captain's Meeting**  
**Lines In**  
**Weigh In**  
**Awards & Party**

Friday December 4th at 5:00 - 7:00 PM  
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Saturday December 5th at 1:00-4:00 PM  
December 6th - 4 PM  
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**ENTRY FORM**

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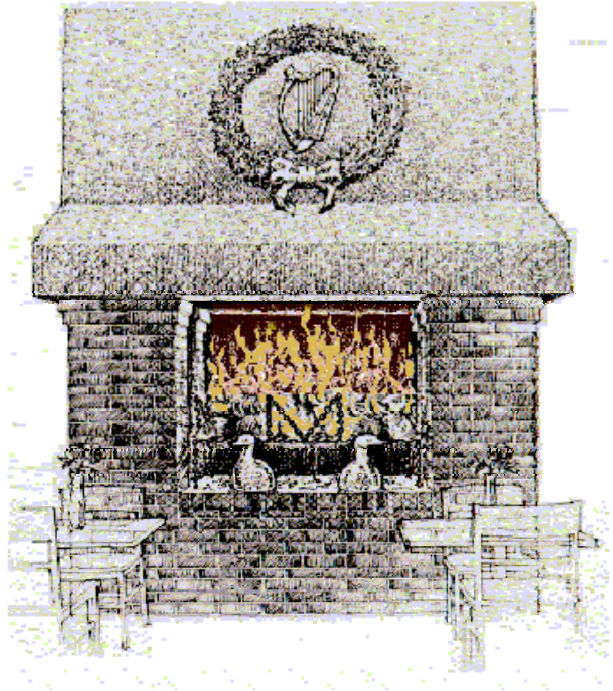
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### ***Our Mission***

The purpose of the VBAC is to encourage sport fishing, both freshwater and saltwater, while supporting prudent governmental and other policies that promote the preservation, conservation and ecology of all marine life.

### ***Our Objective***

- Monitor legislative and regulatory activities relating to management of local and regional fisheries and participating actively, where appropriate, to assure the adoption of sound management policy and practices that best serve the interests of VBAC members.
- Promote interest and participation in recreational angling by conducting programs and activities that encourage sport fishing.
- Educate members and others in the techniques of sport fishing to enhance their enjoyment of the sport.
- Conduct social activities that create a wholesome climate for deriving the maximum pleasure from sport fishing by members, their families and guests.
- Plan and conduct fund raising activities to provide the revenues needed to support these objectives.