# Cape Story by the Sea Winter 2010

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# **33rd Annual Oyster Roast**

"The Best Three Hours in November"! This year's Oyster Roast certainly did live up to the slogan on the T-shirts, which were designed by Cape Story resident **Barbie Sherrill.** Fresh oysters, barbeque, chowder, hamburgers, dogs and sides kept the crowd fed, while music from **The Bartones** entertained the partygoers and volunteers. Thanks to everyone who pitched in to set up, cook, clean and serve. Special mention and thanks go to **Bob Spears** for heading up the volunteer team and keeping things on track, **Bill House** for coordinating door prizes, **Chris Mathews** for cooking the pork, **Tom Stewart** for the oyster steamer, **Mac MaConathy** and **Mark Virgili** for ordering food and supplies, and **David Albis** for coordinating ticket sales.

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## President's Report

Dear Cape Story by the Sea Residents,

WHAT AN OYSTER ROAST! - Good time had by allthe band, the food, the t-shirts, the door prizes, the friends and oh, yes, the OYSTERS.

A BIG THANK YOU to ALL who helped out and supported this Cape Story by the Sea Fund Raising Event, which in turn supports our neighborhood activities for the year and allows CSBTS to give to others.

I can't tell you enough times how AWESOME your Cape Story by the Sea (CSBTS) Officers and Street Captains and Committee chairs and Oyster Roast Planners and CSBTS members are who step up to champion the causes and the events of this neighborhood. WELL DONE.

Take a moment to say THANK YOU to these neighborhood heroes (many of their names are listed throughout the SkipJack) and congratulate yourself too if you are a MEMBER. The 2011 membership drive is OFF to a GREAT start with sign ups at the Oyster Roast. Did you know CSBTS neighbors hosted a chili cook off to support a local shelter? And CSBTS supports Pleasure House Point funding for open space? And Block parties to get to know neighbors and support charitable causes continue?

Because of the OUTSTANDING events and projects Cape Story by the Sea has arranged and supported over the years, when I speak with Virginia Beach City officials, they recognize CSBTS for the rational and due diligent effort already done before we seek assistance from City sources.

CSBTS has reconnected with the Joint Expeditionary Base (JEB) east campus (Ft. Story) neighbors to support military families and extended invitations to our military neighbors to attend our Santa in the Park, Spring Fling and  $4^{th}$  of July events.

Elections are over. We are the COLONY precinct in Virginia Beach (there are 161 precincts) and you saw CSBTS members as poll workers when you voted Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>. "ALL politics Is Local" and if you Google your favorite party - GOP, DEM, TEA, Fair Tax, GOOH you can find local listings if you would like to attend local meetings and get involved. Presidents of Civic Associations can see their community causes happen

quickly (repaving of walkways on Shore Drive, 35 mph speed, clearing on trees/brush on bike path) when we take issues up with City Council. With State and Federal elected offices, local community issues are broader and causes take longer to realize, but because of you, CSBTS has established credible connections with the representatives.

Please CONTINUE to CALL 385-1470 (Public Works) to REPORT all Storm Water Damage. Continue to comment and voice your concerns to Virginia Beach City Council, use <a href="mailto:ctyccom">ctycncl@vbgov.com</a> to reach ALL city council members and city manager.

CSBTS news and Quarterly Newsletters and PICTURES - on the web site <a href="https://www.capestory.org">www.capestory.org</a>

The SDCC-Shore Drive Community Coalitionwww.sdcc.info -for information on open space use of Pleasure House Point and Shore Drive information.

VBCCO (Virginia Beach Council of Civic Organizationswww.vbcco.org )-City wide information. ALL provide forums for discussion and to address concerns and to resolve and to compromise issues of community interest-Neighborhood and City and State.

If you are not getting CSBTS email from <a href="mailto:emunden@aol.com">emunden@aol.com</a> (me) please give me a call or email.

Christmas Lights and Sprit, Santa in the Park and Stumbling & Mumbling carolers are tuning up and the holiday giving to our families is starting NOW (FOUR big families- AMAZE Yourselves again with what you can do).

Thank you for All you do for the community and each other. Keep on being the GREAT Neighbors You Are.

CSBTS elections are coming in March 2011. Please let me know if YOU want to become more involved in YOUR community.

I CONTINUE TO ENJOY THE HONOR AND PRIVILAGE of BEING CSBTS "PREZ" and Shucking and Eating oysters.

Thank You! Empsy

Empsy Munden, President
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## **VA Aquarium**

The Virginia Aquarium is hosting a Volunteer Recruitment Event:

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Dec. 4, 2010 Sat. 2-4 pm Cape Santa in the Park Cape Story Neighborhood Park

Dec. 13, 2010 Mon. @ 7:30 pm CSBTS Members Holiday Party/Meeting Virginia Beach Resort Hotel

Dec. 17, 2010 Fri. @ 6:30 pm CSBTS Holiday Caroling Meet at the Stover's house 2214 Oak St.

Dec. 18, 2010 Mon. @ 6:00 pm CSBTS Holiday Lights Contest Judges will be touring the neighborhood Winners get a 2011 CSBTS membership

Jan. 10, 2012 Mon. @ 7:30 pm CSBTS Monthly Civic Meeting (Elections) Virginia Beach Resort Hotel

Jan. 31, 2011 Mon. @ 7:30 pm Shore Drive Community Coalition Ocean Park Fire & Rescue Hall

Feb. 14, 2011 Mon. @ 7:30 pm CSBTS Monthly Civic Meeting Virginia Beach Resort Hotel

Feb. 28, 2011 Mon. @ 7:30 pm Shore Drive Community Coalition Ocean Park Fire & Rescue Hall

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# Military Update

Greetings Cape Story by the Sea Civic League Members,

It has been a while since I provided input to your newsletter. I apologize for my absence, but I would like to update you on a few items.

As you are aware, on October 1, 2009, the former Naval Amphibious Base Little Creek and Army Garrison Command Fort Story were transformed to become Joint Expeditionary Base Little Creek-Fort Story (JEBLCFS) as part of the congressionally mandated Joint Basing process. In this instance, Navy was the lead agent and assumed overall management of both installations. Since that time, we have been conducting reviews of our processes and procedures to ensure we are aligned with current Department of Defense and Navy regional policies. In the next newsletter, I will have further updates on where we are in this process.

In March of this year, Navy Captain Charles Stuppard assumed duties as Commander, Joint Expeditionary Base Little Creek-Fort Story. Since that time, he has been actively engaged in meeting all the resident commanders, local city officials and congressional representatives. His schedule stays quite full, but he looks forward to meeting you all at a future meeting to be scheduled after the first of the year.

On October 20, Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Netzel assumed duties as the Deputy Commander for JEBLCFS. He took over from Lt. Col. Jayne Jansen who is now

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working on the development of the Navy and Army's new high speed vessels. She was also selected for promotion to Colonel. We congratulate her and thank her for her leadership and support during our Joint Basing process.

As a great neighbor, we can't go without thanking all of you again for your grateful support to our military personnel and their families. Your generosity and outpouring of appreciation to our service members are very much appreciated.

The holidays are quickly approaching. We hope you all have a safe and joyous time. On December 3, we will conduct the annual Grand Illumination of the Old Cape Henry Lighthouse. Santa Clause will also make a special appearance riding in on a fire truck. Please e-mail me at <a href="mailto:mcni\_nable\_pao@navy.mil">mcni\_nable\_pao@navy.mil</a> if you would like to attend.

As always, we at Joint Expeditionary Base Little Creek-Fort Story look forward to maintaining our positive relationship. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions about JEBLCFS. Thank you for your continued support of our service members and their families.

Sincerely,

Scott Mohr JEBLCFS Public Affairs 462-2640 scott.mohr@navy.mil

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# Shore Drive and City News Update

Todd Solomon, Secretary, Shore Drive Community Coalition

For up to date information on these issues and many more, go to the Shore Drive Community Coalition (SDCC) website at <a href="https://www.sdcc.info">www.sdcc.info</a>

# <u>Community Survey of Speed Limit Reduction on Shore Drive from Great Neck to Pleasure House</u>

In an effort to allow community input to be part of the City's speed limit reduction evaluation planned for the end of this year, SDCC has created an evaluation survey. The City has hired an engineering consultant to perform an evaluation study of the speed limit reduction. Results of this evaluation will be presented to City Council in a report scheduled for December 2010 or January 2011. The consultant's evaluation doesn't plan to take into account public input or dialogue. The SDCC survey will help to capture your opinions. SDCC will collect and submit all survey results, so please take the time to fill in the "other" or "comment" boxes.

Visit www.sdcc.info or the following direct link to take the survey http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/QCL6RTP

#### Lesner Bridge Concrete Repairs to Finish by Jan/Feb 2011

**Public Works Operations** is close to finishing repairs to the concrete beams on the Lesner Bridge. The repairs addressed aging patches of concrete and helped slow corrosion to extend the performance of the current bridge until the replacement bridge project can be funded.

The City's contractor will be on site until January/February 2011. Until then, repairs will continue to be performed from equipment both below the bridge and from the roadway, which will require some lane closures. If you have any questions or would like further information, please contact **Phillip Koetter** in **Public Works Operations** at **385-1470** or <a href="mailto:pkoetter@vbgov.com">pkoetter@vbgov.com</a>.

#### **Pleasure House Point**

Through a partnership with **Trust for Public Land**, the **Chesapeake Bay Foundation**, the **City of Virginia Beach** and the local community, the largest undeveloped parcel of land on the Lynnhaven River (122 acres) may be preserved instead of converted to high density development. The Trust for Public Land has initiated a plan to purchase the property and sell parcels to the Chesapeake Bay Foundation, the City of Virginia Beach and a yet to be determined commercial developer. Citizens and community groups have rallied in an effort to raise \$4M, so the entire property may be preserved as natural area, rather than having a portion commercially developed. The goal of this community-led campaign is to supplement the funds already committed for the purpose of acquiring the Pleasure House Point property for the people of the City of Virginia Beach, to increase the proposed municipal park and natural habitat preserve. The Virginia Beach Parks and Recreation Foundation has agreed to participate as the designated 501(c) (3) organization.

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# Park Beautification/Adoption

Our last Clean Up was Nov. 21. Thank you to everyone who help clean the bike path and Shore Drive: Todd and Mason Soloman, Dave Brayack, Empsy Munden, Lynn Knewstep, and Shirley Drye

Remember this can count as a service project for your children.

Our next clean up will be in January/February. Watch for e-mails and we hope you can join us then

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## **Christmas Events**

#### **COOKIES FOR THE TROOPS**

Teri Doddy is coordinating a special CSBTS cookie delivery to the military men and women at Fort Story and Little Creek as well as for our local Fire Station on Thanksgiving and Christmas. This is YOUR OPPORTUNITY to support the troops in a very COOL way. If you'd like to help call or email Teri at teredod7@aol.com or 621-6724 and get YOUR cookies added to the batches being delivered for a special homemade THANK YOU!! They will deliver the trays of cookies on Thanksgiving and Christmas mornings. So get those Holiday cookies baked and to Teri (2219 Bayberry St) by Thanksgiving Eve and Christmas Eve.!!

#### **Holiday Lights Contest**

Judges will be traveling around the neighborhood starting at 6 pm. There are several categories to compete in. The prizes will be a CSBTS 2011 membership.

Best Party/Child Labor Most Lights Best Bribe

Most Traditional Most Spirited Best Beverage Most Tasteful Most Snowflakes Most Original

**Best Street Participation** 

Tips, bribes and refreshments always joyfully accepted.















#### **CAPE STORY CAROLERS** Aka Stumblers & Mumblers

The "Cape Story Carolers" will be out in force on Friday, Dec. 17th. Singers, roadies and aroupies: meet at the home of Tracy & Ginnie Stover - 2214 Oak St.- starting around 6:00 pm to pick up lyric sheets and have a cup of spiced cider before we hit the streets.

If you know someone in Cape Story who would appreciate being Caroled to, please drop us an email: g.t.stover@cox.net Refreshments always joyfully accepted.

#### **CAPE SANTA**

Thanks to everyone who joined us on Saturday December 4, 2010 for a cook out with Santa! Mat Angelo donated his time and photography skills, so if your kids, your dogs, or yourselves had pictures taken, you should have received a card with the picture number(s). Email a request with the your picture numbers to g.t.stover@cox.net, and we'll send you the file!



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# 'Holiday Giving' Families

It's that time of year when we open our hearts and help those who are less fortunate. We are "adopting" three families for the holidays. Please call Teri Doddy (621-6724) if you have any questions.

Please make your drop-offs to Teri at 2219 Bayberry Street. Please wrap presents and indicate the family and family member the gift is for, and the type of gift (toy, clothing, books, etc). All food and gifts are needed by Sunday December 12th.

\*Gift cards are always appreciated\*

Thanks again for all your support!

#### Family A - Military single mother of 8

Mom- Did not ask for anything.\*

Grace (Girl 20) -pants 5, short tops, med-large junior's; shoes: 5 ½ \*\* Wish List: Border's gift card and art supplies Joan (Girl 16) - pants 3, reg tops small-med junior's; shoes 7 ½ \*\*Wish List: I tunes gift card, Victoria Secret gift card

Cora (Girl 13) - pants 0/1 regular tops small juniors; shoes 8 \*\*Wish List: mall gift card

Bethany (Girl 12) - pants 12/14, slim tops small; shoes 6 \*\*Wish List: bike

Cleveland, (Boy 10) - pants 10/12, regular tops large; shoes 7 \*\*Wish List: Game Stop gift card

Cameron (Boy 9) - pants 8 slim tops medium; shoes 5 \*\*Wish List: sketchbook, pencils & remote control airplane

Christian (Boy 9) - pants 8 slim tops medium; shoes 6 \*\*Wish List: bike

#### Family B - Military family

Mom & Dad - Did not ask for anything.\*

Caitlyn (Girl 9) - shirt 12-14; pants 14R; shoes 4-4 ½ \*\*Wish List:doodle & draw and board games

Ethan (Boy 8) - shirt youth medium 9; pants 9; shoes 6; \*\*Wish List: Tek Dek and Match Box cars

Kendal (Girl 5) - shirt 5-6; pants 5-6; shoes 13; \*\*Wish List: toy Horses

Maddox (Boy 4) - shirt 4T; pants 4-5; shoes 11; \*\*Wish List: Toy Story "Woody" doll

Matthew (Boy 2) - shirt 4T; pants 4-5; shoes 10; \*\*Wish List: Thomas the Train, Elmo

#### Family C - Local family

Mom - Purse

Thomas (boy 20) - sweater xxl

Amber (girl 13) - skinny jeans 3, tops medium, scarf, gloves, hat (blue set); \*\*Wish List: art set

Josh (boy 5) - jeans slim 6, tops 6-8; \*\*Wish List: beylades, lego blocks (big size)

#### Family D -Military family

Mom - Didn't ask for anything for herself.

Dad - Winter Coat XL

Zakery (Boy 10) - shirt L or 14; pants 10-14; Shoes 5; \*\*Wish List: Pokeman, Bakugans, Aliens in the Attack movie

Holden (Boy 8) - shirt M or 8-9; pants 8-9; Shoes 4; \*\*Wish List: Pokeman, Sky High movie, Puzzles, Coloring Books

Domonic (Boy 7) - shirt 7-8; pants 7-8; shoes 3½; \*\*Wish List: WWE things, Arts & Crafts, Puzzles, Books

Trevor (Boy 5) - shirt 5-6; pants 5-6, shoes  $2\frac{1}{2}$  or 3; coat 6; \*\*Wish List: Trucks, Cars, Puzzles

Jocelyn (Girl 4) - \*\*Wish List: Barbie or Princess things, Babies, Baby things, Tinker Bell things

Household items - Gas Cards, Towels, Pots & Pans, Sheets: Twin, Full & Queen











# Oyster



















# Roast







### Pet Parade



#### Hi Guys and Gals,

#### The Midnight Christmas Present

Not so very long ago, in the store-room at Howard's Hardware, there lived a Mama Cat and her brood, consisting of three very precocious kittens. One early morning as Howard's wife Martha was opening the store, one of the kittens who had been exploring around the hardware store slipped past Martha and several incoming customers. She made it all the way down the stairs and into the Christmas tree lot. Can you just imagine her delight when she saw all of those trees to climb? In one fell swoop, up a tree she went, to the very top. Hidden by all of the branches, no one knew the secret the tree held. It was just then that Timmy and Marcie, the Wilson children, shrieked with delight,

"We found it! This is the one! It's beautiful! Come quick, Dad!"

It had long been the tradition of the Wilson family to get their tree from Howard's. Mr. Wilson agreed that it was a fine tree, and the decision was made. As Mr. Wilson hoisted the tree into the pickup truck, no one had any idea what was in store, and the poor little startled kitten didn't know what to do. She was too scared! She hung on to the tree for dear life with her tiny paws.

The long ride down the bumpy road added to the kitten's fright, but she held on with all her might. At last the ride home was over, and the pickup came to a stop in front of the Wilson's farm house. Mr. Wilson took the tree from the back of the truck and gave it a good shake to loosen up the branches, but still the kitten held strong to the top and didn't make a sound.

The children ran on ahead to tell their mom that they had found the most beautiful Christmas tree, and to come and see. Mr. Wilson carried the tree into the living room and placed it in the big front window. "Irene, this is a very special tree", he said, and they both hugged and smiled gazing at the 8' tall balsam tree. Mom went back into the kitchen to check on her cookies in the oven. Dad and the children followed her, hoping to sample some of her homemade holiday treats, and warm up with some hot cocoa.

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"We found it! This is the one. It's beautiful! Come quick, Dad!"

Just then Timmy thought he heard a funny noise in the living room. Everyone stopped to listen, but they heard nothing. Later during dinner Marcie thought she heard a noise in the living room too, and asked to be excused to go and investigate. She didn't hear the noise again and soon forgot about it.

After the dinner dishes were done Dad fetched the big box of tree lights from the attic and began testing bulbs, before stringing the tree with the lights. It was getting late, and Mom insisted that the children get ready for bed. She promised that right after breakfast the next morning they would all decorate the tree. "And I get to put the star on the top," said Timmy, "Right?"

"Yes, dear now go brush your teeth and climb into bed" Mom said.

Irene and Phil were just turning in themselves when they heard a crashing noise coming from downstairs. In fact it made such a commotion that even the children were awakened, and everyone went rushing downstairs. Rubbing their sleepy eyes, the children couldn't believe what they were seeing, and had to do a double-take to be sure.

"Where on earth did that come from?" Dad asked. Lying in the box of tree lights, looking dazed and confused, was a tiny jet black kitten with blue eyes and a small tip of white fur on its tail.

"Mew, mew!" the kitten cried, and Marcie picked her up to comfort her. There was a broken branch at the top of the Christmas tree and some tell-tale balsam needles stuck to the kitten's fur. "It looks like she just might have been hiding in the tree" Dad said. Mom said "Phil, you were right this is a special tree", and everyone laughed.

"Can we keep her?"

"Well first things first. I'll call Mr. Howard in the morning when the store opens, and we'll see." said Dad. Mom went to get a big wicker laundry basket and a towel to put the kitten in for the night. "What can we call her?" Timmy asked. Just then the old grandfather clock in the hallway chimed: one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve!

"How about Midnight?" Mom said with a chuckle, and the children loved it. "It's perfect! She's beautiful and black and she is our Midnight Christmas present." said Marcie.

Early the next morning while the rest of the house was still fast asleep after their Midnight surprise, Dad called George Howard. They both had a good laugh over the kitten's adventurous story and decided that it was a Christmas story that they would tell for years to come. It was decided that Midnight was home; after all she had worked so hard to get there!

Hope you enjoyed the tale of Midnight, and a Happy Holiday to All!

See you around the neighborhood~ Max and Annie

We are planning to create a list for our community of Pet Walkers and Sitters. If you would like to be on the list please email your information to Pet Parade at <a href="mailto:bandersonstyle@aol.com">bandersonstyle@aol.com</a>.

Please be neighborly and remember to "scoop the poop"!

Please continue to send your Cape Story Pet stories and topics of interest to: Jessie Drew @ bandersonstyle@aol.com

#### "Cape Stories" Book Club

Calling all readers! "Cape Stories", your friendly neighborhood book club, invites you to participate in one of our upcoming book discussions. Our fall/winter selections include White Tiger by Aravind Adiga (November), Cutting for Stone by Abraham Verghese (January) and The Corrections by Jonathan Franzen (February). Please contact Patty at mclaughlin.patty@gmail.com or 749-2558 if you are interesting in joining.



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# Happenings

#### 4th Annual Chili Cook-off Fundraiser to Benefit H.E.R

On Sunday, October 24, Cape Story resident, Royce Ambrose and co-host Stacey Goforth, held the 4th annual chili cook-off fundraiser to benefit Help and Emergency Response (H.E.R.) Shelter. The Shelter provides services for women and children who are victims of domestic violence.

The Cook-off raised over \$2,200 for the non-profit H.E.R. Shelter. Several Cape Story residents were winners! Congrats to Jenn Poole for 1st place chili, Terry and Sonja Neilson for 2nd place Chili and Jason Brackley for 3rd place chili. Cornbread winners were 1st place Terry and Sonja Neilson, 2nd place Wendy Ward of Pirates Cove Restaurant, and 3rd place Dick Brothers. Special thanks to Shorebreak Pizza and Billiards for donating pizzas to go along with the Chili, cornbread, hot dogs, beer, wine and desserts.

Royce and Stacey are members of the Board of H.E.R. and would like to thank the many volunteers for their help in making the event a success.

If you have any interest in supporting this worthy cause next year or are interested in learning more about the Shelter and its services, feel free to contact Royce Ambrose @ royceambrose@cox.net or view the Shelter's website/donate on line at www.hershelter.com.













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# Happenings

#### 5th annual Oak St. Chili & Chowder Cookoff

This event, in its 5<sup>th</sup> year, provides an opportunity for Oak Street neighbors to get together for a fun Fall afternoon, while enjoying the variety of chili dishes and chowders prepared for the event. Thanks to the Benson's for hosting the event. Joe and Kathy both retired from the Virginia Beach Public School system this year. They were surprised with the presentation of a retirement cake while Alice Cooper's "School's Out" played!

Our cook off winners were: Best chili – Kim LaCroix, runner up Kurt Neitzke; Best chowder - Brian Cooper, runner up Jenny Demers.

This year, we decided to use the opportunity to support two local animal rescue groups as well. Over \$200 in cash donations and 2 bags of doggy toys and supplies were collected and divided between Rainbow Animal Rescue (rainbowanimalrescue.net) and K-9 New Life (K9newlife.org).









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# 2010 Membership

| raid Members as of July 20                    | 2010 WICI   |   |  |
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| Acey, Nancy                                   | Caruana, Brenda                                       | Frye, Michael & Tonya                           | Kumer, Rick & Connie                             |
| Adams, Alex & Dawn                            | Castle, Cathy   | Gergory/Woolard, Mark/Bonnie                    | LaCroix, Kim & Sean                              |
| Adams, Don & Shirley                          | Cawley, Pete & Mary                                   | Gordon, John, Susie &<br>Madeline               | Land, Fred & Sue                                 |
| Albis, David & Diana                          | Cayce, Ellen  | Graper/Peppard, Tom & Becky                     | Lang, Vicki                                      |
| Alvstad, Rodney                               | Celesia, Angelo & Sherry                              | Green, Mithra & Jennifer                        | Lant, Jim  |
| Anderson, Allen                               | Christensen, Ernie & Leslie                           | Greene, Ken                                     | Lawson, Susan                                    |
| Anderson, Wes & Barbara                       | Cochrane, John  | Greer, Robert & Jane                            | LeBlanc, Christine and<br>Matthew                |
| Anderton, Ross & Carole                       | Cohoon, Tosh & Chris                                  | Griffin, Frank & Leslie                         | Leitch, David                                    |
| Ash, Lorraine                                 | Collier, Josie & Raz                                  | Griffiths, Adele                                | Lerner, Paul & Hedi                              |
| Baan, Andy                                    | Cornett, Mike   | Hajzak/Mobley, Chris/Ken                        | Lyons, Bret & Christi                            |
| Bailey, Jef & Lisa                            | Corzatt, Jim & Denyce                                 | Hall, Doug                                      | Macchia, William & Christine                     |
| Baity, Laura                                  | Courter, Stephen & Cynthia                            | Hanes, Robert & Lee                             | MacDonald/Delossantos,<br>Ken & April            |
| Balderson, Ami & Bob                          | Cowan, Bob & Teri                                     | Hansen, Caitlin                                 | Mallery, Jack & Brenda                           |
| Ballard, Bill                                 | Craig/Farlow, Mary/Kent                               | Hansen, Rich & Cherrie                          | Markel, Doug & Susan                             |
| Barboza, Mark & Laura<br>Bawcom, Linda & Mark | Cranford, John & Nancy Danehy/Fortier, Matthew/Judith | Harlow, Leslie, Lorreta & Jackie<br>Haupt Diane | Marshall, Bill & Virginia<br>Matchler, Jan       |
| Baylor, Bill & Linda                          | Davis, Alex & JoAnne                                  | Hauserman, Audrey                               | Matthews, Beverly                                |
| Belka, Alfred & Donna                         | Davis, Robin  | Hayes, Anita & Mike                             | McClure, Brian & Susie                           |
| Benson, Joe & Kathy                           | DeArmond, Jenny                                       | Hayes, Dempsy & Cindy                           | McCully, Nickolas                                |
| Berryman, Eric & Roberta                      | DeChaney, Clista                                      | Hayford, Loretta & Jim                          | McLaughlin, Bob & Pat                            |
| Billington, Ryan & Kate                       | DeFoor, Jim & Norma                                   | Hayselett, Carey & Rus                          | McLean, Michael & Mary-                          |
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| Bishop, Joe & Gwen                            | Demasi, Patricia                                      | Herron, Mike & Elyse                            | Meyer, Dale & Tracy                              |
| Bishop, Tom & Adelaide                        | Demeglio, Frank & Kathleen                            | Hilliard, David & Dorothy                       | Miles, Madelynn                                  |
| Bobbitt, Betsy                                | Demers, Dan   | Hitchler, Stacie & Steve                        | Miller, Susie                                    |
| Bondurant, Anna & Walton                      | Doddy, Chris & Teri                                   | Hollingsworth, Allen & Janet                    | Miller/D'huyuetler, Leslie & Tony                |
| Bondurant, Walton & Nancy                     | _   | House, Robyn & Bill                             | Mirenda, Frauke                                  |
| Bonner, Tina & Charles                        | Dornford, MJ  | Intlehouse, Jack & Marion                       | Mirmelstein-Geklinsky,<br>Janie & John           |
| Bradshaw, Denis & Lisa                        | Drye, Shirley   | Jennings, Tim & Cathy                           | Mitchell, Kathrerine                             |
| Brayock, David                                | East/Phillips, Debbie/Suzy                            | Jepson/Leidy, Jeanne/Mike                       | Montgomery, Nancy & Charles                      |
| Brigulio, Jason & Jessica                     | Edwards, Chad & Charis                                | Jessup, Doug & Jean                             | Moore, Catherine                                 |
| Brinkley, Kyllie                              | Erwin, Beth   | Jones, Kevin & Maggie                           | Moore, Mark & Dede                               |
| Brothers, Dick & Betty                        | Estep, Sam & Tracy                                    | Jones, Megan & Casey                            | Morgan, Phil                                     |
| Brown, Don & Janet                            | Etheridge, Eddie<br>Evans, Gene & Pat                 | Jones, William<br>Josey, Carolyn                | Mulligan, Brian & Marisa                         |
| Brown, Elizabeth<br>Bruner, Cliff & Sarah     | Fantone, Michael                                      | Judge, Joe & Marianne                           | Munden, Richard & Empsy<br>Muriano, Alisa & Dean |
| Buck, Rick                                    | Ferrigno, Kenny & Nancy                               | Karides, James                                  | Murphy, Ryan & Kate                              |
| Bunch, Herman & Roberta                       | Fineman, Sheldon & Nancy                              | Kean, Thomas & Wanda                            | Neitzke, Kurt                                    |
| Burd, Deborah                                 | Fisher, Steven & Kimberly                             | Kitchin, Joan                                   | Obara, Zoe & Steve                               |
| Burket, Joe & Linda                           | Fitte, Betty  | Kittler, Reinhold & Heike                       | O'Brien, Clare & Joe                             |
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| Callnin, Kathleen                             | Forehand, Denise                                      | Kohout, Frances & John                          | Onufer, John & Karen                             |
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| Pulido, Phil & Charlotte              | Siegel, Candi            | Svete, Sharon              | Weeks, Katie & Richard           |
| Ralston, Jim, Susan & Jacob           | Simpson, Dee             | Swiery, Eli                | Weinbrecht, Danny &<br>Elayne    |
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| Robinson/Greenstreet, Roy/<br>Barbara | Smith, Jo Anne & Harry   | Sykes, Cathie & Kona       | Westra, Johnny                   |
| Rogers, Julie & Patrick               | Smith, Virginia          | Tackett, Dennis & Judi     | White, Ernest & Barbara          |
| Rose, Wendy                           | Solomon, Todd & Jenifer  | Taliaferro, Lois           | White/Ambrose, Kenneth/<br>Royce |
| Roy, Susan & Matthew                  | Spayd, Diane & Philip    | Talley, Louis & Doris      | Wilson, Craig & Christine        |
| Royals, Ginger                        | Spears/Flinn, Bob/Debbie | Tennant, Freda & John      | Wilson, Jamie                    |
| Ruiz, Bridget & Coleman               | Spencer, Jim             | Thibodeau, Ed & Lona       | Windley, Inez                    |
| Russell, Paul & Kara                  | Stahlbock, Jim & Patti   | Thurston/Lynch, Mark/Mary  | Winters, Jeannie                 |
| Sadowski, Steve & Karin               | Stauch, Anne and Patrick | Topolcic, Irene & George   | Woodward, Peggy                  |
| Sagedy, Debbie & Brian                | Stewart, Tom             | Underhill, Donna Marie     | Wroblewski, John & Cindy         |
| Salon de Bella,                       | Stiffler, J. Douglas     | Vatidis, Chris & Dee       | Younkin, Tim & Merle             |
| Sanders, Christina                    | Stinard, Fred & Cindy    | Virgili, Mark              | Zengilowski, Angie & John        |

We have a total of 260 members for 2010! Please take a minute to join by sending in your dues. Membership is open to ALL (Owners and Renters) persons who live in Cape Story.

Membership Dues are good for that calendar year only. Dues are only \$10, and are used to support all of the following civic functions: CSBTS Newsletter, Event Flyers, CSBTS Park Electric Bill, Dues to VBCCO & SDCC, Spring Fling, 4th of July Brunch, Oyster Roast, Santa in the Park, and the CSBTS Members Holiday Party.

When filling in your form, please remember to include your email address and to check a volunteer box.

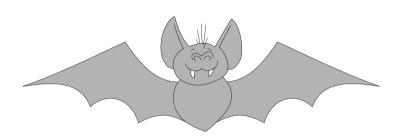
#### Join the Cape Story by-the-Sea Civic Association for 2011! Membership dues are only \$10.00 per family per calendar year. Please make checks payable to Cape Story Civic Association Name(s): Address: Phone: Email: I am interested in participating in: (you do not have to be a member to participate) Teen Event Spring Fling Fireworks Committee **Oyster Roast** 4th of July Parade/Brunch Newsletter / Columnist **CSBTS** Website Park Beautification Bike Path / Storm Water Other Mail this form and \$10.00 dues to: CSBTS Civic Association, P.O. Box 700, Virginia Beach, VA 23451

## Got Bats??

Maybe you should! Did you know that a single little brown bat can catch more than 1,000 mosquito sized insects in an hour? Bats are not blind, do not become entangled in human hair, and seldom transmit diseases. They are essential in keeping populations of night flying insects in balance.

Bats are exceptionally vulnerable to extinction. They are one of the slowest reproducing mammals for their size, most producing only one young annually. More than 50% of American bat species are endangered, or declining in number sufficiently to cause concern. Loss of bat populations increases demand for chemical pesticides and may jeopardize whole eco-systems.

There are things we can do to help. Susan Elwell is spearheading an effort to put up bat houses in the Cape Story by the Sea area. Please contact her at <a href="mailto:susan@beachbutterflies.org">susan@beachbutterflies.org</a> for more information.



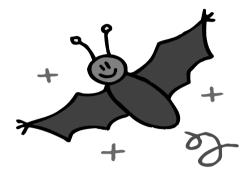
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# Neighborhood Watch

#### Neighborhood Watch Block Coordinators

#### Beech St. Wake Forest St. Cindy Hayes Carole Anderton Patty Pezzella Adelaide Bishop Donna Lewis Anne Stauch Kathleen Callin Norma DeFoor Zoe Obara Oak St. Jim Hayford Jenny Demers Brian Cooper Hatton St. Kim Cohen Dick Brothers Joan Kitchin Maple St. Linda Gallant Walke St. Mary Rau Joe Judge Debbie Jordal Tracy Estep First Landing Ln. Adele Griffiths Todd Soloman Ed Smith Calvert St. Sandalwood Rd Cindy Stinard David Burton Mary Bottomley Pat Evans Phil Pulido Kendall St Paula Dodd Roy Robinson Bayberry St. Poinciana St. Charis Edwards Katie Weeks Terry Doddy Empsy Munden Ocean Shore Ave Jan Trombly Sherry Celesia Joan Kitchen Tracy Meyer

#### HOME SECURITY - DID YOU KNOW?

The Virginia Beach Police Department is seeing an increase in burglaries where large screen televisions in particular are being targeted. With the holidays approaching in the next couple of months, now is the time to take action. The following tips can reduce your chances of being burglarized:

- · Make sure exterior doors are solid hardwood or metal-clad with deadbolt locks
- · Have a wide-angle peep-hole in the front door and never open your door to a stranger
- · Make sure glass panels near or around doors are shatter-proof · Make sure all doors, including the garage door, and windows are securely locked when leaving
- · Shrubs and bushes should be trimmed back to eliminate hiding spots
- · Keep lights on around all entrances of the house at night
- · Make sure your house number is clearly displayed and visible from street
- · Keep a list of the make, model & serial number of all electronics and valuables photograph or videotape all valuables and keep the list & photos/videos in a secure place
- · Call the Police Non-emergency number (3ll 911 for emergencies (crimes in progress)
- · Participate in Neighborhood Watch; if you don't have one in your community, now's the time to start one!

#### WHEN GOING ON VACATION

- Set up light timers for interior lights to go on and off inside your home at night; dusk to dawn lights should be installed on exterior light fixtures
- · Have a trusted neighbor bring in your newspaper, mail, and miscellaneous flyers and ads every day
- Ask that trusted neighbor if he or she would park their car in your driveway to give the appearance house is still occupied

Please contact the VBPD Crime Prevention Unit at 385-1757 for further tips on how to stay safe!



#### REMEMBER:

There are only two requirements to Participate in the Neighborhood Watch Program:

- 1. Be alert to things happening on your block
- 2. To report ANY suspicious activities!

#### **IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS:**

The Public Information Office is staffed 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year. Citizens should dial 9-1-1 only when they have an emergency.

Dial 3-1-1 for:Dial 9-1-1 for:Dial 385-5000 for:City InformationMedical EmergenciesReporting SuspiciousCity ServicesFiresPeople and Events

City News Reporting Accidents

Kim LaCroix

City Events Reporting Crimes in Progress

Please notify the Neighborhood Watch Coordinator, Regina Wallace at 496-6458 or neighborhoodwatch1@cox.net for:

- (1) Any crimes that have occurred so they can be shared with the other residents of Cape Story by the Sea.
- (2) If you would like to be added to the email list,
- (3) If you have changed your email address

Civic League Information

| 2010 OFFICERS    |              |                     |  |
|------------------|--------------|---------------------|--|
| President:       | Empsy Munden | 481-0482            |  |
| 1st V Pres:      | Tracy Stover | 222-9661            |  |
| 2nd V Pres:      | Diana Albis  | 496-0304            |  |
| Treasurer:       | Dave Albis   | 496-0304            |  |
| Secretary:       | Todd Solomon | 496-5733            |  |
| STREET CAPTAINS  |              |                     |  |
| <u>Landside</u>  |              |                     |  |
| Poinciana /Beech |              | Cindy Hayes         |  |
| 2201 Beech       |              | 481-3553            |  |
| Oak              |              | Dee Simpson         |  |
| 2210 Oak         |              | 481-1245            |  |
| Maple            |              | Mark Moore          |  |
| 2231 Maple       |              | 409-5658            |  |
| Sandalwood       |              | Bob Spears          |  |
| 2126 Sandalwood  |              | 496-3636            |  |
| Bayberry         |              | Charis Edwards      |  |
| 2113 Bayberry    |              | 496-2210            |  |
| Wake Forest      |              | Katie/Richard Weeks |  |
| 2611 Poinciana   |              | 496-9396            |  |

| 2265 Calvert             | 496-7313           |  |
|--------------------------|--------------------|--|
| <u>BayFront</u>          |                    |  |
| Beech to Maple           | Doug & Jean Jessup |  |
| 2303 Oak                 | 412-2184           |  |
| Sandalwood to WakeForest | Jim DeFoor         |  |
| 2301Wake Forest          | 496-0742           |  |
| Hatton to First Landing  | Joan Kitchen       |  |
| 2312 Hatton St.          | 496-3932           |  |
| Calvert to Kendall       | Sharon Svette      |  |
| 2644 Ocean Shore Ave.    | 572-1248           |  |

Todd/Jenifer Solomon

Shannon Townsend

496-5733

Hatton/Walke/First Landing

2260 First Landing Calvert/Kendall

#### **CSBTS BABYSITTERS**

| -        |          |                    |
|----------|----------|--------------------|
|          | 271-6942 | Cindy Wroblewski   |
|          | 333-6822 | Sarah Poole        |
|          | 481-4329 | Sara & Paul Cohoon |
|          | 496-2019 | Corey Prentice     |
|          | 481-4098 | Tasha Dokes        |
|          | 481-6996 | Pierce Hall        |
|          | 502-4260 | Erinn Crispo       |
|          | 481-7856 | Karri Taylor       |
|          | 646-4719 | Tina Ferrari       |
|          | 227-9127 | Elli Mirenda       |
|          | 412-1166 | Gina DeMasi        |
|          | 481-3456 | Kelly Frostick     |
|          | 496-0304 | Emily Albis        |
| l ⋤      | 560-3881 | Kelsy Cochrane     |
| To       | 496-4169 | Jacki Wilson       |
| pl       | 496-8699 | Caitlin Womack     |
| Po       | 481-4793 | Anna & Lydia Greer |
| se       | 496-5947 | Catherine Carlisle |
| - 0 1(71 | 496-0969 | Amanda Hunt        |
| G Dole   | 395-0972 | Avalon Manolas     |
| 18       | 119,00   | I Lake             |
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| TREASURER'S REPORT (11/20/10 Dave Albis | 0)              |
|---|-----------------|
| Beginning Balances:                     |                 |
| Checking Account                        | \$1,644.51      |
| Savings Account - Money Market          | \$8,621.89      |
| Total                                   | \$10,266.40     |
| Receipts:                               |                 |
| 2011 Membership Dues                    | \$340.00        |
| Food Drive Donations                    | \$181.00        |
| Oyster Roast(O.R.) Sales                | \$13,354.00     |
| Petty Cash Return (from O.R.)           | <u>\$150.00</u> |
| Note: Not all O.R. Receipts have        |                 |
| been received                           |                 |
| Income:                                 |                 |
| Sub-total                               | \$14,025.00     |
| Expenses:                               |                 |
| Cape Santa Advance & Flyer              | \$493.24        |
| Oyster Roast Expenses                   | \$8,110.19      |
| Note: Not all O.R. Expenses have        | ·               |
| been paid                               |                 |
| Parks & Rec (Indigo Dunes)              | \$2,500.00      |
| Sub-total                               | \$11,103.43     |
| Transfers:                              |                 |
| To Checking from Savings                | \$7000.00       |
| Ending Balances:                        |                 |
| Checking Account                        | \$11,566.08     |
| Saving Account - Money Market           | \$1,624.89      |
| Total                                   | \$13,190.97     |
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Fireworks Account:

Balance \$7,863.05



To add or take a name off of the babysitter list, please call 222-9661 or email <u>g.t.stover@cox.net</u>. Parents, it is advised that you interview the sitter to see if he/she is the right fit for your family.

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