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Dear Guests of the 70th Queen of the Chesapeake Pageant,

We hope you enjoy the 2017 Queen's Kedge. This year's Queen's Kedge marks the beginning of a new era in which the Queen of the Chesapeake Pageant stands on its own as a weekend long event.

In this booklet you will find information about the Pageant, including this year's Queen, the club Princesses, and the Pageant Judges. You will also find the 2017 schedule of events and a brief summary of the pageant's history.

The advertisements herein are an integral part of continuing our pageant tradition. Please be sure to support the businesses who have generously supported us.

And we look forward to seeing you next year at the 71st Queen of the Chesapeake Pageant!

Sincerely,

The Queen of the Chesapeake Committee

Committee mission statement

To empower young women of the Chesapeake Bay area yacht clubs through a unified, supportive community.

QUEEN OF THE CHESAPEAKE COMMITTEE

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THE QUEEN OF THE CHESAPEAKE PAGEANT IS A TRADEMARK OF MARYLAND YACHT CLUB

History

Racing Events, some with sailing yachts — some with hydroplanes, Regattas, a fantastic new club home — was not enough for Maryland Yacht Club Officers and members. They combined Flag-Raising ceremonies and the crowning of the "Queen of the Chesapeake" on the first Sunday in June 1947. Thus our Royal Beginning. Our first Queen was Mrs. Mae Sgerman of Towson.

In 1948 Flag-Raising ceremonies, crowning of the "Queen of the Chesapeake," introduction of a new speedboat class and three other events for powerboats highlighted the 40th anniversary opening of Maryland Yacht Club. This event, witnessed by over 5,000 spectators, was the first of its type to be televised on the Chesapeake Bay. Miss Rachel Holmes, representing the Bush River Yacht Club won the coveted crown as she competed against six other young ladies then dubbed "Princesses."

For many years this truly became a competition between Yacht Clubs to the 'girl next door' who can think on her feet and become a spectacular representative of each club. The pride that each club shows in their "Princess" is very special and feels the happiness and pride — not only of each girl and her family, but of each of the officers of her club.

Over the years, the number of Pageant contestants has greatly varied — starting with 6 clubs participating and peaking in 1997 with 20 or more entrants. Recently the number of Princesses competing ranges 3 to 8. In the early years — there were no microphones — and the audience made up of members of visiting clubs and families pressed the fence behind the judges table to hear the questions posed to the girls.

The Pageant has evolved to highlight the significant changes in roles of young women over the last 70 years, reflected in the Scoring Breakdown which equally weighs Achievements, Interview skills, and Poise/Presentation. Today's Queen of the Chesapeake and First Runner Up will receive scholarships toward her continuing education. We still hold strong to the tradition of wearing the beautiful white gown and speaking before judges, members of the yachting community as well as friends and family members.

In 2017, the 70th Queen of the Chesapeake Pageant has grown from the Sunday segment of Maryland Yacht Club's Opening Weekend to its own premiere, weekend long event focused on the Princesses and their achievements. The Weekend includes a themed boat decorating contest, scholarship fundraising activities, live music, food, and plenty of time to gather with friends as well as the traditional pageant ceremony. It is now takes place after all the yacht clubs have had their openings, which allows the Princesses to focus on their studies during finals and to attend as many openings as possible. All of these activities have been made possible by the yacht clubs coming together and combining their efforts to making this a memorable event for these young women; an event reflecting the true meaning of community that comes with being part of a yacht club on the Chesapeake Bay!

Schedule:

<u>Friday</u>

- 6-8pm- Crabcake Dinner Located in Clubhouse
- 6-7pm- "Disney Princess"
 Themed Boat Decorating
 Contest judging
- 8-11pm Queen Kylee's Farewell w/music by Don't Stop & Scholarship Fundraiser; Located in Clubhouse

<u>Saturday</u>

- 8-10am Continental Breakfast Located Carousel House Hill
- 11am-2pm-Lunch Fare Located Gazebo Lawn
- 12pm- QOTC Pageant Located at Gazebo
- Immed. after Pageant- 9pm-2017 Queen's Welcome Party w/DJ, Cake Cutting, & Boat Decorating Contest Winner Awarded Located Poolside
- <u>4-7pm</u>- Summer Cookout Dinner Located Poolside

Beverages:

Alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages offered at discounted pricing throughout weekend.





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Judges



ACHIEVEMENTS, INTERVIEWS

Joe Hellner has been plying waters of the Chesapeake Bay, sailing and power boating, since 1985. "The type of boat doesn't matter; if it floats, I like it." A decorated retired Naval officer, he has also served on the Boards of several Yacht Clubs around the Bay.

Joe has been an Alternate Judge and Tabulator for the Queen of the Chesapeake Pageant.

Joe loves to bicycle and sing, and has been spotted from time to time singing the National Anthem at yacht club affairs, either alone or in harmony with other singers.



ESSAY, INTERVIEWS

Renae Hunter was the Baltimore Yacht Club Princess 2007-2008, Queen of the Chesapeake 1st runner-up in 2007, and Queen of the Chesapeake in 2008. In 2013, she was State Finalist in the Miss Maryland USA pageant. Renae was a judge for the 2015 Bush River Yacht Club Princess Pageant.

A Summa Cum Laude graduate of Stevenson University, Renae is the Art Director at Plank Industries.

Renae grew up in the boating world and feels most at home on the water. She enjoys baking pies, painting and drawing, and reading.

Judges



Angela Lindenmuth has a BS in Nutrition from Cornell and a Doctor of Chiropractic from Palmer College of Chiropractic where she was the Valedictorian in 2003. She owns and has operated White Rose Family Chiropractic since 2010.

Angela volunteers at her sons' schools, and is active in the Chamber of Commerce, Young Women's Club of York, Welcome Wagon, and Young Professionals group for York Traditions Bank.

Angela grew up in a boating family, vacationing, waterskiing, and tubing. She enjoys running, reading, and spending quality time with her family.



ESSAY, OPENINGS AND POISE/PRESENTATION

Marietta Ries is an award-winning Interior Designer, whose designs have been featured in *Traditional Home Magazine*, *The Baltimore Sun/Chesapeake Home + Living 2015*, and was American Craft Council, American Craft Show 2013: Featured Designer.

Marietta is a Senior Interior Designer at Alexander Blank Fabrics and Design, Inc., and a member of several professional associations, and the Chair of Bedazzled in Baltimore, and Design Chair of The Park School Auction, also in Baltimore.

Marietta enjoys tennis, antiquing, music and hiking.

Judges



ESSAY, INTERVIEW

Chris Schenck participated in and won pageants as a teenager, has judged Pennsylvania science fairs, and math, spelling, geography, writing, robotics, and science competitions for gifted high school and middle school students.

Director of State Legislation for Pennsylvania and Delaware for Chesapeake Bay Yacht Clubs Association, Past First Lady of Susquehanna Yacht Club, Bodkin Yacht Club, and Veterans Yacht Club, 36 vears of sailing experience.

Family: husband Gene Schenck, daughter Hunter Schenck (Past Princess of Bodkin Yacht Club), son Horace Schenck, III.



ESSAY, INTERVIEW, OPENINGS

Maegan Totten won both the Queen of the Chesapeake and Miss NJ Star Pageants in 2007, and is the first Queen to represent Great Oak Yacht Club.

She is working on her BSN at Neumann University in Aston, PA, and working as Patient Coordinator; she was the Phi Theta Kappa National Honor Society Commencement speaker at Camden Community College.

Maegan has been boating since childhood, and also enjoys fishing, running, and dancing.

Tabulators

Jerry Selig, P/C Red Eye YC and Entertainment officer of Chesapeake Commodores Club

Gene Schenck, P/C Susquehanna YC, Bodkin YC, Veterans YC Association and currant Vice Commodore of the Chesapeake Bay Yacht Club Association

Shelly Speicher-Allocco, P/C Galloway YC and currant Membership chair of the Chesapeake Commodores Club



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Scoring Breakdown & Criteria

Achievement — 25%

The Contestant's achievement will count for 25% of her final score. Her achievement score will be based on the information she provides in the achievement section of her Queen of the Chesapeake Pageant application. Achievements can include any extracurricular activities, leadership experience, academic honors, and awards received. Categories include school honors, sports activities, school organizations, and community activities.

Essay — 15%

The Contestant's essay will count for 15% of her final score. Her essay should be 200-225 words on the specific topic which is included in her application. It should be submitted with her completed pageant application. Content will be the primary scoring criteria for this category. Willingness to follow guidelines and ability to use proper grammar will also be considered.

Interview — 25%

The Contestant's interview will count for 25% of her final score. She will be expected to wear professional attire. The actual interview will consist of the Contestant talking to a panel of three judges for 10 minutes. They will ask questions about the Contestant such as her interests, her aspirations, and her opinion on general subjects. Their goal is to learn more about the Contestant's personality as well as her ability to be engaging during a conversation. They will not ask her any trick questions or ask her questions with right or wrong answers.

Scoring Breakdown & Criteria, continued



Openings — 10%

The Contestant's total number of yacht club openings that she has attended this season will count for 10% of her final score. Her attendance at openings reflects her participation and commitment to the yacht club community. She will announce this number during her introduction on Pageant Day. The judges will calculate her openings score using the following scale:

Openings Attended 20+ = 10 Points 18-19 Openings Attended 9 Points = 16-17 Openings Attended 8 Points 14-15 Openings Attended 7 Points = 12-14 Openings Attended = 6 Points 10-11 Openings Attended 5 Points Openings Attended 8-9 = 4 Points Openings Attended 6-7 = 3 Points 4-5 Openings Attended = 2 Points 2-3 Openings Attended = 1 Points

Poise/Presentation — 25%

The Contestant's poise/presentation will count for 25% of her final score. The Contestant's poise/presentation score will be based on the judges' overall impression while she is escorted, seated on stage, and speaking publicly during the Sunday portion of the Pageant. They will be looking for her ability to speak effectively and intelligently during her introduction, speech, and while answering questions. Her score will also be influenced by her ability to command both the judges' and the audience's attention by her poise and confidence.



Princesses, a Queen, and maybe a future Princess?

Past Queens

1948	Rachel Holmes	Bush River Yacht Cl	ub 19	983	Laurie Anderson	Galloway Yacht Club
1949	Jane Brooks	Colonial Beach Yacht Cl	ub 19	984	Lisa Rae Gundersdorf	West River Yacht Club
1950	Charolette Phillips	Cambridge Yacht Cl	ub 19	985	Kimberly Reichart	Otter Point Yacht Club
1951	Mary Lou King	Maryland Yacht Cl	ub 19	986	Carol Ann Doetlaff	Maryland Yacht Club
1952	Sylvia Ann Jarboe	Miles River Yacht Cl	ub 19	987	Collen Cunningham	Harbour North Yacht Club
1953	Diane Maxa	North East River Yacht Cl	ub 19	988	Tracy Leaman	Boumi Temple Yacht Club
1954	Jackie Rew	Boumi Temple Yacht Cl	ub 19	989	Shelley Filar	Eastern Yacht Club
1955	Mary Elizabeth Ewell	Cambridge Yacht Cl	ub 19	990	Kimberly Joan Frederick	Baltimore Yacht Club
1956	Barbara Kenny	Boumi Temple Yacht Cl	ub 19	991	Amy Lynn Pirozzi	Riverside Yacht Club
1957	Maria Simmons	Cambridge Yacht Cl	ub 19	992	Tina Bressi	Trojan Harbor Yacht Club
1958	Mary Williams	Baltimore Yacht Cl	ub 19	993	Tammy Anderson	Maryland Cruising Club
1959	Joan Peters	Cambridge Yacht Cl	ub 19	994	Kelly Darlynne McGonigal	White Rocks Yacht Club
1960	Linda Watkins	Baltimore Yacht Cl	ub 19	995	Sonja Rae Gladwin	Bodkin Yacht Club
1961	Virginia Davis	Bush River Yacht Cl	ub 19	996	Rhonda Renee Knight	Maryland Cruising Club
1962	Alice Krizek	Crescent Yacht Cl	ub 19	997	Katie Murray	Maryland Cruising Club
1963	Margret Porter	Solomon's Island Yacht Cl	ub 19	998	Kathryn Watson	Kent Island Yacht Club
1964	Ruth Ann Curry	Bush River Yacht Cl	ub 19	999	Tricia Figallo	Bodkin Yacht Club
1965	Carol Ann Matlock	Boumi Temple Yacht Cl	ub 20	000	Dayle Daneker	Bodkin Yacht Club
1966	Catherine Ugis	Capitol Yacht Cl	ub 20	001	Candice Ann Steele	Crescent Yacht Club
1967	Terry Ugis	Capitol Yacht Cl	ub 20	002	Bridgt Smith	North East River Yacht Club
1968	Paula Haisip	Rose Haven Yacht Cl	ub 20	003	Crystal Guthrie	Otter Point Yacht Club
1969	Linda Sue Rabley	Red Eye Yacht Cl	ub 20	004	Amber Venanzi	Sue Haven Yacht Club
1970	Mary Ellen Porter	Maryland Yacht Cl	ub 20	005	Erin Rumbley	Middle River Yacht Club
1971	Diane Kazanarakis	Rose Haven Yacht Cl	ub 20	006	Lacie Bunting	Red Eye Yacht Club
1972	Jennifer Lynn Dobson	Miles River Yacht Cl	ub 20	007	Maegan Kyser	Great Oak Yacht Club
1973	Kathi Peterman	Cambridge Yacht Cl	ub 20	800	Renae Hunter	Baltimore Yacht Club
1974	Debra Ann Studer	Harbour North Yacht Cl	ub 20	009	Kimberly Samm	Eastern Yacht Club
1975	Joanne Hockman	Sue Haven Yacht Cl	ub 20	010	Caitlin Campbell	Middle River Yacht Club
1976	Cynthia Ripple	Nabbs Creek Yacht Cl	ub 20	011	Courtney Reed	Red Eye Yacht Club
1977	Kelle Kipp	Baltimore Yacht Cl	ub 20)12	Lillian Vogelsong	Top of the Bay Yacht Club
1978	Natalie Phillips	South River Yacht Cl	ub 20	013	Shannon Czapla	Eastern Yacht Club
1979	Karen Marie Seymour	Rose Haven Yacht Cl	ub 20	014	Katie Lindsay	Bush River Yacht Club
1980	Kathleen Mary Quinn	Bush River Yacht Cl	ub 20)15	Ashley Lindsay	Bush River Yacht Club
1981	Susan Denise Jeffrey	Baltimore Yacht Cl	ub 20	016	Kylee Mills	Kent Island Yacht Club
	Louisa Plummer	Kent Island Yacht Cl				



Queen Kylee

Here's to my last greetings to the yacht club community!

I want to finish up with telling everyone of how crazy and wonderful my year has been. Everyone knows me in my role as the Queen of the Chesapeake, but very few have known of my activities outside of being Queen throughout the year. I am involved in my school's interact club, volleyball team, and I have also been voted class President for the past two years. I am also extremely excited about my recent acceptance into my school's National Honors Society and shortly after our induction, I was elected NHS Vice-President. After doing all of this, I was still able to maintain a 4.25 GPA while being enrolled in all Honors and AP classes during the school year.

All of my extracurricular activities are extremely important to me and I have always enjoyed participating in each of them. However, representing the yacht club community as the Queen of the Chesapeake is most certainly at the top of that list. This past year as Queen has been a year of growth for me. I have gotten to experience something that very few girls ever will and I am forever grateful for this opportunity. I have done things and met people who will forever impact my life. I have grown not just in my position as Queen of the Chesapeake, but as a young women, whether it be my people skills, my public speaking, or just who I am as a person, I have grown.

I would like to take the time now to thank everyone in the yacht club community for the endless support throughout my reign. I could not have done it without each and every one of you. I look forward to seeing everyone at future events and throughout this wonderful journey of life.

I will finish out my reign with a quote, something I want everyone to remember me by, "She believed she could, so she did."

With lots of love, Queen Kylee Mills



Princess Kat

Hi, I'm Princess Kat DeSantis, and I am representing Baltimore Yacht Club for the 2017 year!

I love being a part of my boating community, because I get to connect with boaters all along the Chesapeake.

I have also enjoyed raising money for my charity this year, which is the Powerpacks Project of Lancaster.

Along with volunteering, I also enjoy being apart of my Jewish youth group, running cross country, and making new friends!

I wish everyone a happy and peaceful year.



Princess Mia

Serving as Bodkin Yacht Club's Princess is both an honor and a dream of mine since my family became members in 2005. Growing up at BYC, I have always enjoyed visiting other clubs while cruising the Chesapeake Bay.

I am currently a high school freshman at Notre Dame Prep, a Catholic school for girls, where I am a member of the Women in Medicine club. I run on the JV cross country and track and field teams.

To align with my love of the water, the charity I am supporting is the Chesapeake Bay Foundation (CBF). I want to help raise awareness about things that can be done both big and small to help preserve the Bay, so we can all create lasting memories for years to come.

During my reign I have enjoyed attending balls with all of the other princesses. I look forward to representing BYC at club openings and everything else that lies ahead this boating season.



Princess Delaney

Hello! I'm princess Delaney from Bush River Yacht Club. This is my second year being part of the Chesapeake Royalty and it has been nothing short of amazing. The people I've met and memories I've made have truly made a lasting impact on my life.

I currently attend North Harford High School and I am going into my senior year.

When I'm not representing my favorite yacht club on the Bay I am cheerleading, acting, and hanging out with my loved ones.

My charity this year is Chesapeake Region Accessible Boating which offers people with mental and physical disabilities the chance to enjoy what the beautiful bay has to offer all of us.

Thank you all for your ongoing love and support these past two years!



Princess Emma

Hello! I am Princess Emma Strauss of Maryland Yacht Club. This is my second year being princess for this amazing club.

At school, I am currently in a few clubs: Future Business Leaders of America, Interact, and GSA. In band, I play the bass clarinet and Bb (B flat) clarinet.

I love being princess for my club because it allows for to meet and get to know the members. I also love to participate in the children's events because I get to see all of their expressions of excitement and happiness.

Finally, I love to represent my club at sister club's Commodore's balls, and openings. I am also able to enjoy meeting and chatting with new and old friends around the bay. To keep up with my new adventures, you can follow my Facebook page: Princess Emma Strauss, Maryland Yacht Club.

I hope to see you all around the bay!!



Princess Stephanie

My name is Stephanie Glinsky and I am Middle River Yacht Clubs 2017 princess. I go to North Harford high school. I am extremely grateful to have the opportunity of being princess!

Music plays a big role as something I enjoy doing for fun. I'm a member of Bel Canto at my school, which is an advanced women's choir. In my free time, I enjoy doing volunteering. I do vacation bible school as well as many other volunteer duties. However, my favorite place to help with is the homeless shelter near riverside where church members and I go and prepare meals for them. I believe that giving back to the community can only help.

This upcoming year as princess, I plan to represent our club as a friendly active club and while representing MRYC I plan to not only meet and get to know other yacht clubs but I plan on leaving a wonderful impression of MRYC. I hope to become more enriched in the nautical field. I am looking forward to the continuing support from all around the bay.

I would like to thank all the clubs on the bay for giving me so many amazing memories, and for giving me the opportunity to be princess.



Princess Meghan

As the new princess at North East River Yacht Club, and the first princess in over 5 years, I look forward to becoming an active presence in the Chesapeake Bay yacht club community.

Being a sailing instructor at North East's very own junior sailing program I get my fair share of the bay! I thoroughly appreciate nature as I participate in outdoor sports as an avid rower and horseback rider.

Meeting new people is something I love to do whether through volunteering, the North East River Yacht Club, or extracurricular activities.

I look forward to the opportunity to become acquainted with all of you who share my love of boating. I am excited to make memories with my fellow princesses and enjoy the Chesapeake Bay while representing our clubs!



Princess Gabby

Hello, my name is Gabriella Kastrunes, Princess of Riverside Yacht club. I am a junior at Notre Dame Preparatory School, where I am a member of the Women in Medicine Club, Environmental Club, Peace Club, and six National Honor Societies. On the weekends and during the summer, I volunteer with Club Umoja, a camp for children from public housing in Baltimore. I am the student leader for this program, so I organize events and recruit volunteers.

My charity is a non-profit, which I am developing, Sea the Future. The mission statement of this organization is to educate Maryland youth about the bay, empowering them to make a difference. I will be traveling around Maryland to give presentations about the Chesapeake Bay and ways to keep it healthy. I am so excited that my charity combines my love for children and the environment. I look forward to seeing everyone around the bay!



Thank You Princess Kat!

From the Officers, Board of Governors &
All the Members of Baltimore Yacht Club
Good Luck to all of the Princesses in the Pageant

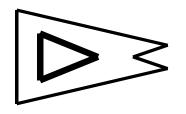


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"May your dreams come true and the friendships made along the waterways of the Chesapeake Bay remain with you forever"



The Officers and I want to
wish all the Princesses,
Good Luck
in the upcoming
Queens Pageant
and
Best Wishes in the future to
Queen Kylee Mills

Commodore Wade Graham, the Line Officers and

Members of the Bush River Yacht Club
Wish

Princess Delaney Bosworth

The best of luck in the

Queen of the Chesapeake Pageant!

We love you!





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Best Of Luck To Our Princess, Delaney Bosworth We are so proud of you!

BEST WISHES TO ALL THE PRINCESSES AND THANKS TO QUEEN KYLEE









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Chesapeake Bay Yacht Clubs Association



CBYCA thanks Kylee Mills for her remarkable efforts to be at the many events that were held during the past year. It seems she was everywhere. Thanks Kylee, for finding the time for so many of us in your busy young life.

At the same time the Chesapeake Bay Yacht Clubs Association salutes all the Princesses from all the clubs here on the Chesapeake and on the Delaware River who have represented their clubs through the years. Good luck to this year's contestants and the best to each of you as you head into the future.

Best Wishes from Past Princess Hunter!



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The EYC Gulls Ladies Auxiliary would like to wish the best of luck to the Princesses and Queen on Pageant Weekend!

Best of Luck to the Queen and Princesses From Eastern Yacht Club









Best Wishes and Special Thanks to Queen Kylee for doing a Great Job as our Queen this past year.

Good Luck to all the Princesses as they compete to become our new Queen.

Members of Middle River Yacht Club

The Maryland Yacht ClubAuxiliary Welcomes all the Visiting Princesses!! Good Luck Ladies, you have all done an awesome job.



A Very Special Shout Out to our own Princess Emma!!!

You have done so much to help the Auxiliary, we are sending you

Love and Good Wishes!!!!!



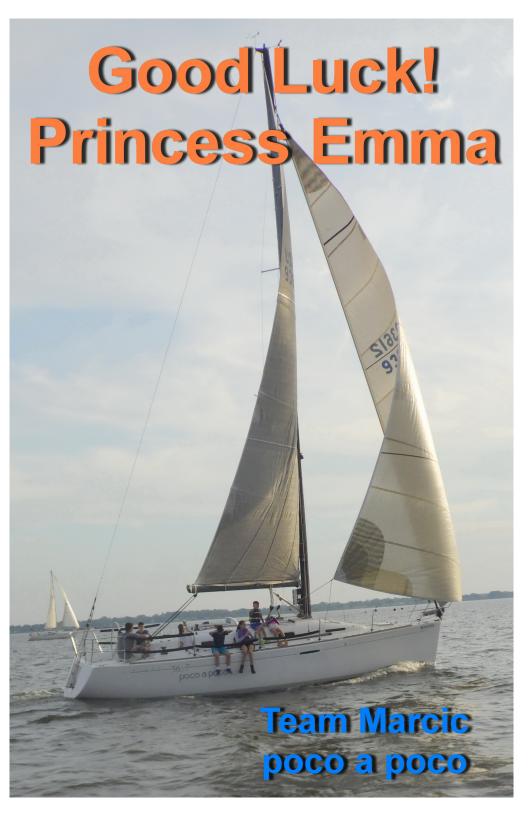
Dear Princesses,

You have truly touched our hearts. Thank you for a year of laughter. May the future you imagined become your reality. And dream; always dream....

- Larry and Cindy Korpanty

Laughter is timeless imagination has no age dreams are forever

- Walt Disney



NO WITCHES HERE AT OUR 70TH QUEEN OF THE CHESAPEAKE PAGEANT

Just beautiful, confident young ladies...



MARYLAND YACHT CLUB EXTENDS THE WARMEST OF WISHES TO EACH PRINCESS, COMPETING AND NON-COMPETING, FOR A MEMORABLE PAGEANT AND THE BEST OF LIFE IN THE YEARS TO COME.

GOOD LUCK TO OUR PRINCESS EMMA!!!



Gabby, you have made us so proud this year.

It was a privilege to have you by my side.

We can only wish that all your heart desires come true.

All our love Nana and Dad Dad



Gabriella Kastrunes-Princess of Riverside Yacht Club

Gabriella, you are an amazing girl. You were born a princess. We have watched you grow into the beautiful young woman that you are, both inside and outside. We are so proud of you. Love, Mom, Dad, and Angela

"For beautiful eyes, look for the good in others,

For beautiful words, speak only words of kindness,

And for poise, walk with the knowledge that you are never alone"----Audrey Hepburn

This year has been about making memories that will last you a life time. Enjoy the remainder of your reign and remember to dream big because dreams do come true. Best of luck in the Queen of The Chesapeake Contest

Joe and Faye Broseker



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The Officers and Members of RYC Wish Our PRINCESS GABRIEL KUSTRUNES

The Best of Luck in the Queen of the Chesapeake Pageant

Princess Gabby

Thank you for always having a smile and a kind word, we wish you the best of luck in the Queen pageant and thank you for representing RYC.



PRESIDENT, JOE BROSEKER

To All the Princesses

The Best of Luck in the Queen of the Chesapeake Pageant as well as good luck in all your future endeavors.

Be true to yourself, respect others and follow your dream.







- Boaters are noticing that the shorelines and water quality in Back River are greatly
 improving due to the efforts of the Back River Restoration Committee, Inc. (BRRC) and
 the upgrades to the Back River River Wastewater Treatment Plant. Both institutions
 have been working diligently to protect the future of Back River and the Chesapeake
 Bay.
- In 2016, BRRC and its volunteers prevented over 1,000 tires and an additional 801,000 pounds of trash and debris from flowing into the Chesapeake bay. To help with storm water runoff, 125 trees were planted and over 200 storm drains were marked. Marking storm drains make people aware that runoff flows directly into our waterways. This is just one way BRRC educates the public and raises awareness. Trash does not fall from the sky, it starts in our backyards.
- BRRC, a non-profit grass roots organization was extremely proud of their six
 environmental students working as summer interns in 2016. These students from CCBC,
 Towson and West Virginia Universities came in with only classroom knowledge and were
 able to apply it in the field to gain real life experience such as operating a boat, learning
 tides, plants, wildlife and more. They worked tirelessly on water and land, pulling in over
 170.000 pounds of trash. BRRC will be continuing this program in 2017.
- Through the generosity of supporters, BRRC was able to acquire much needed
 equipment such as a push boat and 2 barges to expand their clean up capabilities.
 Fundraising efforts this year will focus on an excavator to pull large debris and sunken,
 abandoned boats from the river. BRRC worked with Delegate Long to assure that
 HB1253, the Abandoned Boat Act, passed through legislation and these hazards can be
 removed from our waterways.



In addition to the BRRC cleanups, the Back River WWTP has invested over \$500 million on facility improvements to reduce nutrients released in the effluent. This project is part of Maryland's Chesapeake Bay Restoration Program that aims to reduce nitrogen. Levels are expected to be cut by 90%.

Back River is the gateway to the Chesapeake and a great place to spend the day boating, fishing or crabbing. For more information about BRRC, volunteering, events or donations, visit savebackriver.org

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OBJECTIVES: The objectives of this club shall be to encourage boating as well as all other related sports; safety at sea, the science of navigation and seamanship; and to provide and maintain suitable facilities for the recreation of its members and the mooring of boats.

CLUB and FACILITIES: Pleasant Yacht Club – Wharf Road, Just before North Point Yacht Club.

DIRECTIONS: By Car: From the south, Key Bridge to Exit 43 MD-158, Bethlehem Blvd. to Peninsula Expressway/Sparrows Point and MD-157. Go southeast for 1000 ft. turn left on Bethlehem Blvd. and go east for 0.6 miles and turn right on Wharf RD, and go south for 0.9 miles to NPYC. From the north, take I-695 Baltimore Beltway Inner Loop to Exit 42 MD-151 to Sparrows Point. Go south for 0.6 miles. Turn right on Bethlehem Blvd. Md-158 and go southwest 0.8 miles to Pleasant Yacht Club.

Directions by Boat: Patapsco River to Old Road Bay between Sparrows Point and Forth Howard light. Follow channel markers to Jones Creek on the port side, Pleasant is on the port side after entering Jones Creek and passing North Point Yacht Club.

Wellwood Yacht Club







Princess Devan Commodore Don & the Wellwood
Yacht Club say "Go for it and
Have Fun!".



Princess Devan

- Titanium Backbone
- ROTC
- Lover of Animals
- Future Veterinarian
- Water Baby
- Wellwood Princess

What more can we say, cause we know you'll do great!

Love -

G'ma & Happaw

Mom

AD

Big D & Trish



Wellwood Yacht Club









Princess Devan & The 2017 Bridge of the WYC

Wellwood Yacht Club is on-board with Princess Devan.
Sunny skies and smooth seas ahead.

2012 P/C Chesapeake Commodores Club and 1998 Belvedere P/C Bob Davis,

2003 P/C and 2017 Treasurer White Rocks Yacht Club 2012 Chesapeske Commodores Club 1st Lady and Member of the Queen of the Chesapeake Pageant Committee Anna M Davis,

Y2K P/C White Rocks Yacht Club Bobby Davis, Jr, First Lady Stacy and Future Princess Payje,

2008 and 2012 P/C and 2017 Vice Commodore Whtie Rocks Yacht Club and Member of the Queen of the Chesapeake Pageant Committee Karen M. Davis







Wish

Princess Delaney, Princess Emma, Princess Gabby and Princess Devon the best of Luck in the Queen of the Chesapeake Pageant

YACHT CLUBS OF MARYLAND



Our Officers and Member Clubs Wish ALL THE PRINCESSES

The Best of Luck in the Queen of the Chesapeake Pageant

You have done a terrific job representing your clubs and we really appreciate all your efforts and your devotion to duty. We wish all your dreams to come true.

The Queen of the Galley Slaves (Shelly Speicher Allocco) and the King of the Chesapeake (Randy Hamilton), wish Queen Kylee a bright & happy future. We also wish the best of luck to all the Princesses in the Contest.

Princess Delaney

Rocking and Rolling her way into everyone's heart!

We love you!

Fondly, Mom, Dad, Dakotah, Nick, Kara, Brady, Ryan, Beckham, Dempsey, Harper, Katniss and The Duck

Thank you Queen Kylee for being an amazing role model this year to all of your princesses.

Good luck to all of the girls competing in the 70th Queen of the Chesapeake pageant!

Love you girls, Princess Mia Sokol (Bodkin Yacht Club)





Our Members and Officers Wish All the competing Princesses The Best of Luck in the Queen of the Chesapeake Pageant.

All of you have done a wonderful job this year representing your clubs.

Congratulations Queen Kylee for a reign to be proud of.



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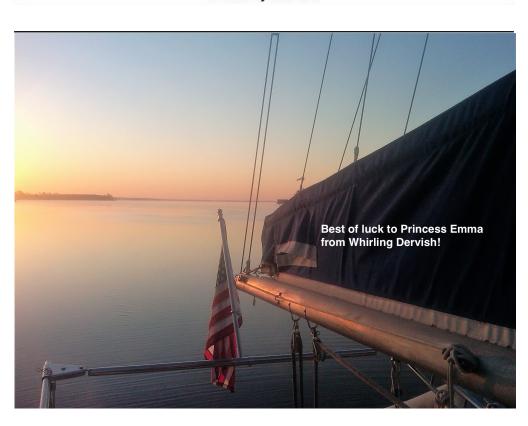
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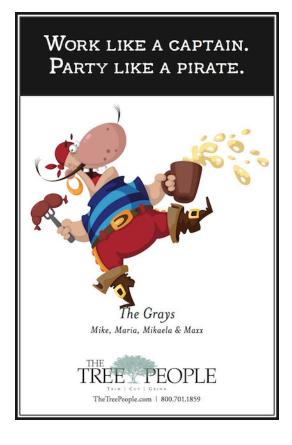


Life is great at MYC – just ask Linda, Joe & Jake Grunder.

Second Chance

Come join us!





White Rocks Yacht Club



Ms. Kelly Darlynne McGonigal

In Loving Memory of her Commodores 1994, 2007, 2011 P/C Donald Monaghan 1995 P/C Will Reckline

We wish all the 2017 Contestant the best of luck at the Pageant



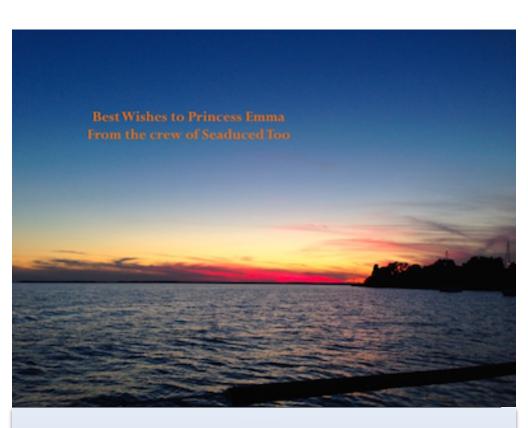
Good luck Princess Emma and thank you Queen Kylee for the wonderful year

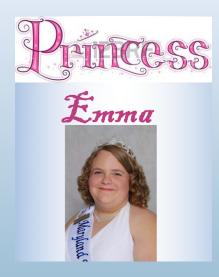
From Vickie & Jim Dulko at Maryland Yacht Club



On behalf of Sue Haven Yacht Club, Commodore Matt & First Lady Khrissie would like to thank Queen Kylee Mills for blessing us with her grace, beauty and gentleness during her reign as Queen of the Chesapeake.

To all the Princesses we extend our gratitude for the commitment and dedication you have given to your role. Each of your clubs should be very proud. Best wishes and congratulations to the new Queen of the Chesapeake.





Maryland Yacht Club is extremely proud and honored to have YOU as our Princess. We wish you the best of luck in the pageant and always.

Commodore Barbara and Captain Greg Franklin

Mahalo for all you do. May you always find the strength to lead!



Best wishes from APC R/C Jon, Lee, Aoe, Gil, & Baniel Budar-Banoff





To my beautiful princess sisters,

I am so grateful that I have gotten to know all of you. You have helped me grow into the person I am today. Kylee, thank you for being the best queen and friend I could ask for. You're such a kind-hearted person and I know you'll do great things! Good luck to all the girls competing!

Love, Princess Gabby RYC



Best of luck to our beautiful contestants for the pageant!

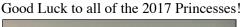
We love you all!

Don, Mary Anne and Queen Shannon 2013.



QUEEN OF THE CHESAPEAKE







Princess Kat, Baltimore Yacht Club





Patron Ads

R/C Bill & Sandy Morgan Baltimore Yacht Club

Joe Vislocki & Ruthie Baltimore Yacht Club

Barry & Adele Cohan Baltimore Yacht Club

Ken & Debbie Gasior Baltimore Yacht Club

P/C Phil Hock & PFL Lady Betty Baltimore Yacht Club

P/C 2016 Jay Hurd & PFL Lisa Baltimore Yacht Club

P/C 1997 John Hammond & Laverne Baltimore Yacht Club

P/C 2011 Jerry Smith & PFL Robin Baltimore Yacht Club

P/C 2012 Ken Horne & Peggy Baltimore Yacht Club

P/C Scott Tenyson & PFL Sarah Baltimore Yacht Club & 3C's

Bill & Karen Corun Baltimore Yacht Club

P/C Kathy Hellner Belvedere Yacht Club

P/C Joe Hellner Belvedere Yacht Club

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Paul Yecker Bush River Yacht Club

Carol Burdette Bush River Yacht Club

Charlie & Sandy Gill Bush River Yacht Club

Don & Nancy Schlissler Bush River Yacht Club

P/C Bill Corun & Lady Karen Bush River Yacht Club

Kathy LaMartina Bush River Yacht Club

Bob & Jackie Parsons 2011 & 2012 CBYCA

R/C Bill & Karen Corun Chesapeake Commodores Club

P/C Joe Broseker and Lady Faye Chesapeake Commodores Club

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P/C Pete Beyrodt & PFL Julie Eastern Yacht Club

P/C Frank Winterling Eastern Yacht Club

Sheri Lynn Galloway Yacht Club

Patricia & Robert Hamilton Kent Island Yacht Club

P/C Clint McLamb Marley Boat Club

Past Princess Summer Tysor Marley Boat Club

V/C Larry Korpanty & Cindy Maryland Yacht Club

Irma & Richard Cullins Maryland Yacht Club

Brad Houck Maryland Yacht Club

Princess Stephanie Glinsky Middle River Yacht Club

Commodore Kyle Gray & First Lady Middle River Yacht Club

Karissa

Junior Princess Erica Otte Middle River Yacht Club

Commodore Jack D'Angelo & First Lady North Point Yacht Club

Laura

P/C Barry Scott & PFL Pat Otter Point Yacht Club

Commodore Derrick Jones Pleasant Yacht Club

P/C Steve Rockel Red Eye Yacht Club

V/C Mike Gaff & R/C Steph Gaff & Katie Red Eye Yacht Club

P/C Karen Frey Red Eye Yacht Club

F/C Kim Ryan & P/C Bob "Santa" Carr Red Eye Yacht Club

P/C Jerry Selig & P/C Liz Selig Red Eye Yacht Club

P/C Bill Bory Red Eye & Veterans Yacht Clubs

Commodore Debbie Crist & P/C Richard Riverside Yacht Club

P/C Vernon McCarty & P/C Janet Riverside Yacht Club

McCarty

P/C Al Adamitis Top of The Bay Cruising Assoc.

P/C Cheryl & P/C Rucker Blakey Wellwood Yacht Club

Commodore Jeff and 1st Lady Phyllis Yacht Clubs of Maryland

Underland

Captain Phil



Join us as the Chesapeake Commodores Club

"Goes To Disney"

2018 Commodore Gary Blankenship and First Lady Deb invite you to join us in the magical celebration at the 2018 Commodores Ball held at the Princess Royale Hotel in Ocean City, Maryland on Friday, January 12 through Sunday, January 14, 2018.

The price per couple will be \$459.00. Payments can be mailed to:



E/O Jerry Selig 1345 Sweetbriar Lane Bel Air, MD 21014 443-465-0973 jerry4155@aol.com



Payment Schedules:

CCC Members:

You can make a payment in full of \$459.00 or three payments of \$153.00 due April 1, May 1 and June 1. Make checks payable to Chesapeake Commodore Club.

Send your "magical" payment to: E/O Jerry Selig 1345 Sweetbriar Lane Bel Air, MD 21014

Payment for Yacht Club Members:

You can make payment in full of \$459.00 or three payments of \$153.00 due May 1, June 1 and July 1. Make checks payable to Chesapeake Commodore Club and give them to your yacht club's contact person who will forward it to the E/O

Singles:

Full payment of \$309.00 due September 1 if single rooms are still available







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