



## Parrot Poop – January 2022



### January Phlocking at the Emerald Club

*Our January Phlocking is cancelled due to renovations scheduled for the Emerald Club that same week. Stay tuned for more information. Thanks, Matt, for the upgrade! We love our “nest.”*

## Greetings from Your Prez



**Thank You! Thank You! Thank You! The 2021 Island Santa Bar Crawl was a stunning success! We will be presenting a check to Make a Wish, Eastern North Carolina, for \$30,350! As President, I am humbled by the generosity of all who participated in this weekend celebration! The weather was beautiful, and your support was enormous. I am so thankful for the opportunity to see you all every year. Please keep coming! I would like to take a moment of your time and share with you the volunteers who made this happen!**

Big Birds, **Moh Traini and Jimi Crampton**, for their endless hours of dedication and service to this project. Moh claims that she is only a gopher, but we all know that is not true. She is vital to “getting the job done!”

**Matt Morel, owner of the Emerald Club, and Paul Musco, owner of 34 North Bar of Cedar Point**, for their time and money invested and the great service provided by their staff. These two venues were critical to the success of the weekend!

**Will & Tony Show** for donating their talents in providing free rocking tunes throughout the 34 North event



**Kathy Ruge** for sharing her “Birthday Celebration Wishes” donations.

**Georgia Ricks** for the “Wish Your Way Fundraising” at her Annual Christmas Bash.



**Each of the Bloody Mary Makers** and their contributing supporters. We learned a new way to “Party with a Purpose.”

**Jason Holland**, our talented and fearless auctioneer, and all who assisted him.

**Donors of door prizes and priceless items to the crawl raffle and live auction, including the Swag of Adams Distributors.**



**Joel Dunn and Carl Rauchenburg** for the technology involved in making online registration possible.

**James Hicks**, my dear husband for his moral support from beginning to end, with at least 10 trips to the storage room, hauling me and my STUFF back and forth.

**Maggie Rauschenberg and all of those who helped her** with the registration of over 350 participants.

**Rita Babich and our raffle teams.**

**Carol Lauback** for detailed financial tracking and **Cris Lauback** for his excellent photographing of the weekend events.

**Our fabulous 7 stops, Surf's Up, Trading Post, Beach Bums, Shark's Den, Island Time Tavern, The Growler and Gaffer's,** for allowing us to be crazy while we partied, and for their caring and patient staff.

**So many "behind the scenes" volunteers** for copying, cutting, running errands, putting up and taking down signs, assisting at the "big ticket raffle" and the "live auction," distributing literature, and more!

**The EIPHC Board is grateful to each of these volunteers who collectively contributed over 100 hours of service to the weekend events and for MAW. It is comforting to know that children and their families will see their wishes come true as a result of our efforts. Job well done everyone! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! Phins Up Ya'll! Jan H, President**

## **2022 MEMBERSHIP DUES**

January is the time to renew your annual dues. All 2022 dues must be paid by March 1. It doesn't matter what month you joined because our dues are only \$10.00 per person and we do not pro-rate them. There are three ways to pay your dues.

**Method 1** – Use our website to renew, [emeraldisleparrotheads.com](http://emeraldisleparrotheads.com). Use the Click here to Join or Renew picture (or click this link!) and follow the directions. You do not fill out a form to renew. There is a 61 cent fee that you need to add to your \$10.00 for each membership being renewed. This is the fee to PayPal. Also, you do not need to have a PayPal account. Any credit card can be used.



**Method 2-** Renew your membership through the mail. Send check to  
Emerald Isle Parrot Heads  
PO Box 4293  
Emerald Isle, NC 28594-4293

**Method 3-** Pay your dues at the February 4th Phlocking. January Phlocking is cancelled.

Please remember that if dues are paid later than February 28, you will have to rejoin the club and fill out the form again. Our data base is updated in March 1 to reflect current paid memberships. Our club dues are lower than any other club. After paying a small amount of each membership to the National Parrot Head Club, we use the rest to run projects to help the community.



## New Year's One Liners....

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• My New Year's resolution was to read more, so I turned on the subtitles on my TV.</li></ul>                                |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• I'm going to stay up late this New Year's Eve. Not to ring in the new year, but to make sure last year leaves.</li></ul>   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• My New Year's resolution is to procrastinate. I'll start tomorrow.</li></ul>   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• My New Year's resolution was to stay out of shape. Maybe I won't stick to this one either.</li></ul>                       |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• I was going to give up all of my bad habits for the new year, but then I remembered that no one likes a quitter.</li></ul> |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• I love when they drop the ball in Times Square. It's a nice reminder of what I did all year.</li></ul>                     |

# Look What We Did!!

December 3 – 5 (Friday, Saturday, AND Sunday)

What does a Fabulous Weekend of  
Fundraising Look Like?

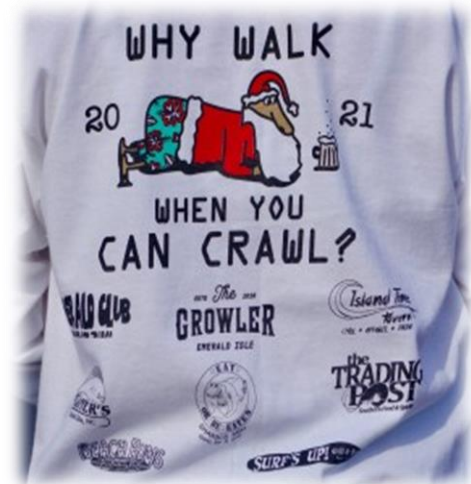
**\$30,350**

- ❖ Beginning Friday night, the December Phlocking at the Emerald Club kicked off the weekend long fundraiser for Make-A-Wish! A Christmas Pajama contest and a raffle topped the night. Thanks to Matt for the food and music and to Moh and Jimi for organizing the event!





❖ Saturday from 1 to 5 featured the sizzling, phun-philled day of the Santa Bar Crawl. Pholks “crawled” to Surf’s Up, Trading Post, Beach Bums, Sharks Dean, Island Time Tavern, Gaffers, and The Growler having an awesome time, great drinks, and good food as they looked for Scavenger items along the way. Thanks to all our sponsors and all the dedicated Parrot Heads for making this day an outstanding success!!



❖ Sunday at noon ended the three-day event at 34 North Bar in Cedar Point with music provided by the Will and Tony Show. An auction, a Build-A-Bloody Mary contest, raffle tickets, and donations made this day a phenomenal success. Thanks to Paul Musco, the owner for providing the perfect venue and for donating his time, energy, and donations to the project.





**A Special Shout Out to Moh Traini and Jimi Crampton for organizing the Make-A-Wish Weekend and for the countless Parrot Heads that assisted in making this event such a huge success!**



**Whaz Coming Up?**

**Sunday, January 23 at 4:00 p.m.**

## **2022 PHLUFF UP THE PHLOCK ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING**

As a member of the Emerald Isle Parrot Head Club\*, you are invited to attend EIPHC's PHLUFF UP THE PHLOCK annual membership meeting at 4 pm on Sunday, January 23. If you are interested in joining us by virtual ZOOM, see below for Zoom Invite instructions. If you decide to join us "IN PERSON," the PHluffing will be held at the home of Lois Gray at 6717 Ocean Dr., Emerald Isle, NC, and pre-registration is unnecessary. There is plenty of meeting space and an elevator available.

The focus of the meeting is to elect our 2022 Board members and Members at Large and to plan our events and monthly phlockings for the New Year! This is your opportunity to serve on the Board, volunteer for a "Big Bird" position, be a committee member, suggest a new event or just VOICE your opinion! Our BYLAWS contain the description and qualification for each position and can be reviewed



at [www.emeraldisleparrotheads.com](http://www.emeraldisleparrotheads.com) on the MENU entitled "Membership." Be advised that our meeting is casual and open-minded. New and fresh ideas are welcomed!

The positions are voted upon yearly as follows and will include the incumbent(s) if they wish to remain in office:

**Officers/Board:**

President  
Vice President  
Secretary  
Treasurer(s)

**Members at Large:**

Activities Director(s)  
Membership Director(s)  
Technology Director  
Communications Director

In addition, attendees will have an opportunity to review the Annual Report for year ending 2021, prepared by Betty Strader, Secretary, which includes all events, the hours of service by volunteers and all funds donated to charities throughout 2021. This report and membership dues are required by our national club, Parrot Heads in Paradise "PHIP" in January of each year, to be officially and nationally recognized as a club chapter member.

We are looking forward to seeing you. Come ready to "PHluff up your PHeathers" by contributing to this NEW YEAR of 2022!

## Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82365113038?pwd=KzFmbW10Qlp0RzI0VDB1S3Y4b2ZlZz09>

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**\*You must be a current member of EIPHC to attend and vote\***

## Welcome New Members!

Jennifer Alford Emerald Isle, NC	Linda Cook Shelby, NC
Roxanna Champion Emerald Isle, NC	Brandan Cooper Jacksonville, NC
Claire and Bob Garlick Emerald Isle, NC	
Chris Strader Emerald Isle, NC	



## Parrot Head January Birthdays

**(It's your birthday. Stop by the membership table and pick up your pass for a free beer!)**

Mac Nelson	Jan 3	Bethany Bridwell	Jan 19
Jacj Harnatkiewicz	Jan 9	Travis Toth	Jan 20
Claire Garlick	Jan 9	Zoey Stull	Jan 20
Teresa Patterson	Jan 10	Beth Maun	Jan 21
Weezie Tuttle	Jan 11	D J Metzger	Jan 21
Clyde Yancey	Jan 11	Jill Croom	Jan 21
Joseph Perry Alexander	Jan 13	Kira Shapira	Jan 23
Crystal Hooper	Jan 13	Michael Rudasill	Jan 23
Michael McCarson	Jan 14	BR Browder	Jan 23
Jane Bailey	Jan 15	Midge Brown	Jan 26
Andy Lane	Jan 15	Dena Anbar	Jan 26
M J Forrest	Jan 16	Ellen Thompson	Jan 27
Deb Black	Jan 17	Andy McCarron	Jan 27
Bill Wolf	Jan 18	Rose Malay	Jan 27
Deb Walling	Jan 19	Sandy Farrell	Jan 29



# Your Parrot Head Board

## Officers/Board:

**President**

**Jan Hicks**

**Vice President**

**Jimi Crampton**

**Secretary**

**Betty Strader**

**Treasurers**

**Carl Rauschenberg**

**Carol Lauback**

## Members at Large:

**Activities Directors**

**Donna Grady**

**Moh Traini**

**Membership Directors**

**Maggie Rauchenberg**

**Jeanne LaVana**

**Technology Director**

**Joel Dunn**

**Communications Director**

**Jessi Holland**

**Historian**

**Cris Lauback**

**Voting Member at Large**

**Bobbi Raub**

