

### Parrot Poop - March 2024

The First Day of spring is Tuesday, March 19 at 11:06 p.m.!!!







### **Whaz Coming Up in March?**

# **❖ Phocking "Going Wild for Wildlife" – Friday, March 1 -7:00 at** the Emerald Club

On March 1, 2024 we will be "Going Wild for Wildlife". The Emerald Isle Parrot Head Club will hold our monthly Phlocking at the EClub from 7:00-9:00pm. We will be fundraising for the Outer Banks Wildlife Shelter (OWLS) and it will be WILD!! Join us for special animal visitors, the 50/50 drawing, a silent auction table and Matt's free food and music. If you are feeling WILD, wear your favorite animal prints or purchase an OWLS t-shirt or sweatshirt. There will be several ways to support this PHantasic organization. Donations from the attached Spring/Summer Wishlist are encouraged and much

appreciated. Please consider bringing a donation to the EClub or use the QR codes to place an order. Stay tuned for information on ordering your own OWLS T-shirt or sweatshirt with special artwork by Big Bird, Annamarie Mead.

#### OUTER BANKS WILDLIFE SHELTER SPRING/SUMMER WISHLIST



Purina Cat Chow 32/40 Formula 20/50 Formula Black Oil Sunflower Seed Raw Peanuts (unsalted in shell) Adams Flea & Tick Spray Baby food:

Pedialyte (unflavored) Live Mealworms Live Crickets Puppy Pads (Lg / XL) Gerber Rice Cereal Scratch Grains Wild Bird Seed (apple/pear/banana/prune/carrot) Pigeon & Dove Seed



252-240-1200 / owlssaves@gmail.com www.outerbankswildlifeshelter.com Outer Banks Wildlife Shelter is a501(3)(c) wildlife

Financial information about this organization and a copy of its license are available from the State Solicitation Licensing Branch at 919-814-5400.



# **❖ St. Patricks Day Festival, Saturday, March 16 beginning at 9:00** am

Just a reminder that the St. Patrick's Day Festival is on Saturday, March 16 at Emerald Plantation. The St. Patrick's Day Festival features live music, amusement rides, arts and crafts vendors, and delicious food.

# \* The PHiP Bob Heffelfinger Memorial Scholarship Is Now Open

We are proud to announce that the PHiP Bob Heffelfinger Memorial Scholarship Essay Contest for 2024 is NOW OPEN!!!!!! **Summary of the PHiP Scholarship:** The PHiP Bob Heffelfinger Memorial Scholarship is for current Parrot Head Club Members of an officially Chartered Chapter or their children of Parrot Head Club Members, for post-secondary education. Is there an age limit to apply for this scholarship? No. Are you planning on any type of secondary education even further your degree? Then yes, you are eligible. This program was established in 2008. Three scholarships will be awarded in 2024. The funds may be used for tuition, books or living expenses, at an accredited brick and mortar four-year university or college of the student's choice. The award will be paid to the winner's school account, when a student account is established. PHiP awards 3 awards in the amounts of:

First Place: \$5,000 Second Place: \$3,000 Third Place: \$2,000

**Eligibility**: Parrot Head Club Members and members children (Sorry nieces, nephews or other extended family members beyond those mentioned are not considered eligible)

The Scholarship instructions and application can be found on the PHiP Website at <a href="https://phip.com/phip-scholarship/">https://phip.com/phip-scholarship/</a> It is VERY important the applicant follows ALL of the rules and instructions. Only typed, electronic submissions will be accepted. Incomplete applications will not be considered eligible. Make no references to your identity, your local parrot head club or your location in your essay entry OR your question and statement responses. All applications must be signed at the appropriate place. We a,ccept electronic signatures. To Apply: Complete the Parrot Head Scholarship Application found on the PHiP website at <a href="https://www.phip.com">www.phip.com</a>. DEADLINE FOR APPLICANTS is April 15th, 2024, for enrollment for fall term (summer terms not applicable). Students may apply yearly; the awards will be given annually, based on a new application process Please direct any questions to: David Cohen, PHiP Secretary at <a href="mailto:PHiPscholarship@gmail.com">PHiPscholarship@gmail.com</a>

#### ❖ Membership Dues 2024

How much fun can you have for just \$10 a year? You won't believe what you get for your money by joining the Parrot Heads of Emerald Isle! Ask any member if it's worth it. No doubt what the answer will be.

#### Here's How to Join:

If you want to remain on the Membership list and receive newsletters, your dues need to be paid no later than March 1.

There are three ways to pay your dues.

- 1. Come to the March Phlocking and pay dues.
- 2. <u>Use our website to renew</u>, <u>www.emeraldisleparrotheads.com</u>. Use the <u>Click here to Join or Renew</u> picture (<u>or click this link!</u>) and follow the directions. There is a \$1.00 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.
- 3. Renew your membership through the mail. Send check to

Emerald Isle Parrot Heads PO Box 429. Emerald Isle, NC 28594-4293

We don't want to eliminate your membership from our database when it is updated 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.



## **Look What We Did in February**

\* "Twinning the One You Love" Phlocking – Friday, February 2, 7:00 pm at the E-Club

Big Bird, Donna Grady, hosted "Twinning with the One You Love." Pholks dressed like their spouse, girlfriend/boyfriend, or their BFF and showed the world who they love! Our 50/50 raffle of \$105 benefitted the American Heart Association.



















### Bowling Phlash Phlocking – February 6

More than 20 bowlers and several cheerleaders showed up for the Phlash Phlocking, arranged by Donna Grady at MacDaddy's. No MAJOR injuries. Lots of strikes, gutter balls and giggles. Phun was had by all!!! We might want to do this one again!



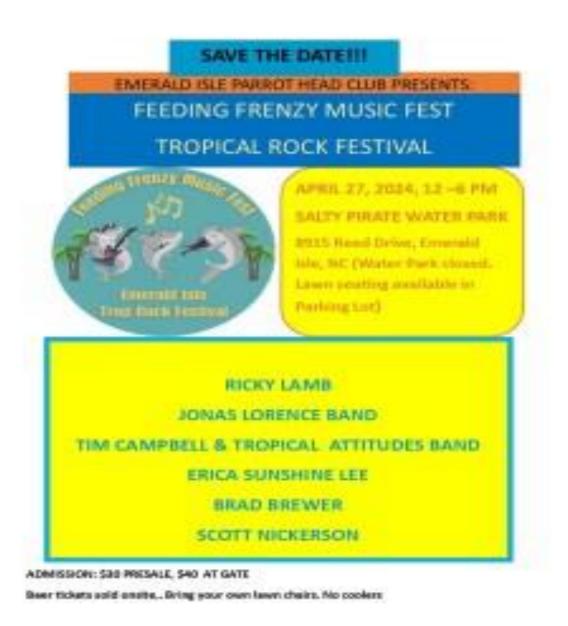
How quiet is a bowling alley? So quiet that you can hear a pin drop.

### Save the Date!!

April 24, 2024, 12 – 6 p.m.

#### FEEDING FRENZY MUSIC FEST TROPICAL ROCK FESTIVAL

**DON'T MISS! MORE TO COME!** 



Emerald Isle Parrot Head					
2024 Schedule					
Date	Event	Big Birds	Location		
March 1, 7 pm	Phlocking	AnnaMarie Mead & Jimi Crampton	E-Club		
April 5, 7 pm	Phlocking	Bobbie Raub Jeanne LaVana	E-Club		
April 27, 11 am	Trop Rock/Feeding Frenzy	James Hicks Committee Members	Salty Pirate Water Park		
May 3, 7 pm	Phlocking	Renee Synan Lauren Bressler	E-Club		
May 18, 2 – 5 pm	Beach Bike Poker Run	Jessie Holland & Moh Traini	Five Bar Stops. Begins & ends at E- Club, Growler, Bar 1957, Shark's Den, Beachside Bar		
June 1, TBA	Beer & Baseball Bus Trip to Kinston/Wood Ducks Game	Cindy New	Mother Earth Pavilion Kinston Downtown		
June 7, 7 pm	Phlocking	Cindy New	E-Club		
July 5, 7 pm	Phlocking	Sandy Farrell Pam Corey	E-Club		
August 2, 7 pm	Phlocking – 21 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary Party	Jan Hicks & Matt Morrell	E-Club		
September 6, 7 pm	Phlocking	Allison McCarson	E-Club		
September 15, TBA	Coast is Clear Party	Jaime Thomas Michael Moyer	Beach		
October 4, 7 pm	Phlocking (FFAC)	Jessie Holland Rose Gerrell	E-Club		
October ?, 9:30 am	Diva Walk (FFAC)	Jessi Holland Rose Gerrell	Walk begins at Flipperz, then to E- Club, and back to Flipperz		
October 6, 3:00	Organizational Meeting for Float Building	Betty Strader Scott Bookout	Home of Betty Strader		
November 1, 7 pm	Phlocking	Rita Babitch Marcia MacMahon	E-Club		
November ?	Make-A-Wish Ball		TBA		
November 30, 2 pm	Float, Emerald Isle Holiday Parade	Betty Strader Scott Bookout	Home of Scott Bookout for Float Building		
December 6, 7 pm	Phlocking/Christmas Party	Jimi Crampton Moh Traini	E-Club		
December 7, TBA	Santa Crawl	Jimi Crampton Moh Traini	Begins & ends at E-club (5 bars not yet selected)		



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

Jay Shelby	March 1	Jackie Carter	March 16
Carol Poe	March 3	Sherri Gillespie	March 17
Dave White	March 3	<b>Chris Parisher</b>	March 18
Wade Viverette	March 6	Kim Bennett	March 20
Tonya White	March 6	Brian Gillette	March 22
Charity Tuttle	March 10	April Hardee	March 23
Margie Remocaldo	March 11	Betty Strader	March 23
Greg Novicki	March 12	Kris Plum	March 25
Tommy Williams	March 13	Tina Snell	March 25
Ashley Stafford	March 15	Bill Woolfolk	March 26
Jennifer Alford	March 15		



### Your Parrot Head Board

#### Officers/Board:

PresidentJimi CramptonVice PresidentMoh TrainiSecretaryBetty StraderCo-SecretaryPam Corey

Treasurers Carl Rauschenberg
Carol Lauback

#### **Members at Large:**

Communications and Activities Director Donna Grady

Membership Directors Maggie Rauchenberg

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Technology Director Joel Dunn Historian Cris Lauback

Allison McCarson

Voting Member at Large Bobbi Raub

