

What a fun time!

The Dinghy Poker run was a ball this year with more players than ever before. For being a "dinghy" run, we only had one dinghy; others came by kayak, canoe, row boat, and stand up paddle boards. Congratulations to Heather who had the best hand and won \$100, Chris won \$50, and Drew won \$20. We even had a youth category, which Anthony won. We wrapped up with a tasty BBQ and good laughs.

Two weeks later we had our 1st Annual Fishing Derby and BBQ Potluck that was priceless. You didn't need to be into fishing to be a part of this gathering, however, it seems that the fishing made for some fun competition. You can see some of the photos on our Facebook page as well as page 2 of this newsletter.

The news is reporting summer coming to an end, but to me, this is one of the best times to be on the water, on your boat and at the marina. We look forward to seeing you soon.

> Cheers, Devery, Max, Abby, Stephanie, Twitchell and Capt. Jack Sparrow

What's Next and What's Coming Up...

September 2

California "Free Fishing Day". Enjoy!

September 4

Happy Labor Day! We will be open at the office from 10-4 for your convenience.

September 16

Annual Coastal Clean Up Day! See page 2 for more information.

September 22

First Day of Autumn





Owl Harbor Annual Dinghy Poker Run



Fishing Derby



ANNUAL COASTAL CLEAN UP DA Y SEPTEMBER 16 9:00 - NOON

Join us for Owl Harbor's 6th Annual Coastal Clean Up of the Delta!

We will be meeting at the clubhouse at 9:00 to review our plan of attack on Seven Mile Slough and the surrounding area.

- Please bring the following to help in your efforts:
 - 1. Gloves
 - 2. Buckets/Bags
 - 3. Grabbers/Nets/Skimmers
 - 4. Wear comfortable, close toed shoes, sunscreen, hat
 - 5. Participate by dinghy, kayak, canoe, paddle board or walking

Join us after the hunt for a complimentary BBQ on the main deck to share your "unusual stories" and "finds".



Fun to Do's.....

*Check out the board by the ice box for the up coming BBQ & Blues on the Farm, <u>September 23, 2017</u> at Steamboat Acres. This is a fun way to explore the area with a little entertainment included. Visit the website for info and tickets at:

www.bbgbluesfestival.com

*Check out the Second Saturday in Isleton on September 9 & October 14. Many businesses are offering special discounts, as well as live music. For more information visit: **isletonchamber.com**

*Feeling like a special treat? I have heard good things about the Ryde Hotel, Sunday Champagne Brunch. Located on Hwy.160 on the the way to Walnut Grove. See more at <u>www.RydeHotel.com</u>

*Another local treasure is Grand Island Mansion. They also have Sunday brunch available, or just to take a tour of what it was like in yesteryears.

www.grandislandmansion.com

*Black Diamond Mines Regional Preserve. Take a tour of another version of by gone times, the Black Diamond Mines of coal, then the sand mines, Rose Hill Cemetary, and much more. I have been told by a few friends here at the marina, it's a great tour and extremely interesting. Reservations are required, they sell out routinely. More information at: <u>www.ebparks.org</u>

There are a lot of interesting places to go and things to do here in the Delta area. Come and expand your knowledge of what the Delta is all about. It is a history of why the waters here are so precious.