



## EDITOR'S NOTE

Remember that next Monday night (February 9) we will be having our Chili Cook-Off at the Marsh Harbor Clubhouse at 6:00. We will NOT be meeting at Hilliard's.

So find your favorite chili recipe, go to the grocery store to get the ingredients, and be prepared to "knock the socks off" of everyone with your winning contribution. There will be an award. If you bring your chili in a crock pot, please bring an extension cord. We will also need side items and desserts.

## SPEAKERS

On Monday, January 12, Shannon Matzke of the UGA Marine Extension Service spoke to us about the Barrier Islands. Her presentation was spot-on. We gleaned a lot of information from her and will be using it in the future for possible cruises and excursions.

Monday, March 9, Flotilla Vice Commander Phil Deloach of the Coast Guard Auxiliary will be speaking.

## CRUISES

April 18-19 - Back end of Wilmington Island  
 May 23-25 (Memorial Weekend) - Back end of Wassaw  
 July 11-12 - Elba Island/Savannah Back River  
 August 14-16 - Palmetto Bay Marina, Hilton Head  
 September 4-7 - "After Labor Day Cruise" to Safe Harbor, Beaufort  
 October 16-18 - Bluffton Seafood & Art Festival

Be thinking about when we can go to Brunswick Landing Marina (May?)

## SAILING EVENTS

St. Patrick's Regatta is coming up March 21-22. As in the past, we will be having a buffet and awards - as well as a Tricky Tray auction - at Mollie McGuire's Pole Barn on Wilmington Island that Saturday night. The cost is \$10/person. PLEASE bring an item to be "auctioned." Be sure to make it something for which people will want to buy tickets. If it's something you don't want, they probably won't either. ☺ You can bring your items to the Chili Cook-off or the next meeting on March 9.

## MEETINGS:

**Every second Monday  
 of the month at Carey  
 Hilliard's,  
 3316 Skidaway Rd.  
 Order dinner at 6:00;  
 meeting at 7:00.**

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## GEECHEE SAILING CLUB'S

### UPCOMING SOCIALS

### & CRUISES

## Socials:

*Monday, February 9 - Chili  
 Cook-off, Marsh Harbor  
 Clubhouse.*

*Saturday, April 4 - Oyster  
 Roast, Marsh Harbor Club-  
 house.*

## Cruises & Events:

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*March 13-15 - Savannah  
 Boat Show*

*March 21-22 - St. Patrick's  
 Regatta*



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