



Electronic Newsletter of the Parrot Head Club of Eastern Mass

Cabin Fever

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The winter blahs have definitely set in. I don't know about you, but I long for blue water and white white sands. (Thank you Sunny Jim). The great Holiday Party helped make winter a little more bearable, but I need more. How about you?

Tiki Time on Maine Terrain (http://phcofmaine.com/phcofmaine_web/convention/) is just the ticket for curing your cabin fever.. They will accept your registrations until February 7th so get 'er done. The fabulous list of entertainment includes the aforementioned Sunny Jim, Jim Morris and TBBB, Peter Mayer, Scott Kirby and more. Of course we are partying with a purpose. Hope to see you there. Who'd a thunk going to Maine in winter would make you feel warmer?

Congratulations to Stephanie and Bob Tocchi for being recognized at the Holiday Party with a

plaque for their unbelievably outstanding work on behalf of Toys for Tots.

Do you feel the need to be outside in the middle of February? Head to the Party for the Hardy at the Presidential Estate in Braintree. There is no better place to bring your sweetheart on Valentines Day. No fancy shmancy overpriced menus. Just good old fashioned Parrothead fun by the fire pits. If Rick has his wish we will have a nice snowstorm that day.

Speaking of snow, lets go tubing. No worries about green slopes this year. February 22nd at Nashoba Valley. A great event for the 'keets.

Can Sharks skate? Come find out February 27th at the DCU center in Worcester when the Worcester Sharks of the AHL take on the Portland Pirates. This is a fundraiser to benefit Special Olympics.

Did I mention the New England Parrothead Convention in Maine? It's

the proverbial 3 day drunk that's found a place to happen.

March 29th will be the annual open Bored meeting where your input for the upcoming year can be heard. What you like and what you don't. After the serious business is completed we will do what Parrotheads do best and have some fun. There will probably be booze.

The Facebook craze has finally caught up to the PHCOEM. Are you a member? Join our fan group <http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=53210231346> Not a FB member? Join in the fun.

Got an idea for a club event or just like to help out at one? Let you're Bored know.

Try to stay warm and drink lots of boat drinks. Summer will be here soon.

Be sure to visit us on the web at:
www.phcoem.com



PHCOEM Old School Thirstdays

The next PHCOEM Thirstdays will be: February 5th and March 5th.

Parrot Points are always awarded for PHCOEM Thirstday's

On the first Thursday of each month between 6 and 9 pm, club members gather to have great conversation, drinks and dinner.

Thirstday meetings are a great place for new members to meet some of the club veterans and get information on upcoming events.

The meetings are held at 7 locations throughout Eastern

Mass. Each location has a club ambassador as a point of contact. They will make you feel right at home. Find him or her and sign the attendance sheet because parrot points are given for attending. Remember to wear your parrotphernalia as Thirstday goes old school.

PHCOEM Passport

The Parrot Head Club Of Eastern Mass has found a new way for you to meet new people. It's called PHCOEM Passport.

Here's how it works: Each month you visit a different PHCOEM Thirstday location. The club ambassador will sign your Passport. When you have a signature from five different locations, you will receive an

etched Passport mug And with any luck Rick will buy you a beer to christen that new mug.

So get that Packard running, Let's move.



Locations:

Boston:

Cheers Faneuil Hall.

See Harriet Sesen

North of North:

JJ Boomers 705 Pawtucket Blvd Lowell, MA.

See Dave Bouchard and Terry Stewart

North of Boston:

Chilis 10 Newbury St Route 1 South Danvers.

See someone.

West of Boston:

. TJ Spirits, Rte 135 Ashland.

See Scott Youlden

South of Boston:

Barrett's Ale House Rte 18 Bridgewater, MA.

See Kathy Werner

West of West:

O'Connor's Restaurant and Pub., Worcester see Tamara Dower or Chris Yates

Cape:

Olive's Rte 6A Yarmouth.

See Tony Avitabile and Michael Crowley

Mark Your Calendar

February 22nd

Westford,MA

February 22nd – Snow Tubing – Nashoba Valley Tube Park – Westford - 10am (Parrot Points Awarded) Winter getting you down? Join us for TUBING!!! Great event for the 'keets!!! Cost is \$18/ea (if we get enough for group rate). Cruise the slopes of Nashoba Valley's Snow Tubing Park seven days and seven nights. Bring the family and enjoy one of the fastest growing winter recreational activities at the largest tubing park in New England! Fifteen lanes are serviced by four lifts and maintained by Nashoba's experienced grooming fleet. For more information, contact Terry Stewart at (603) 553-6335 or yrrets@aol.com.



February 14th - Party for the Hardy – Werner’s Home – Braintree - 2pm - ? (Parrot Points Awarded)

We don't need no stinkin' LUK, we have LOVE!!! Rick will have the firepits going and the HOT TUB bubbling for this BASH !!! The grill will be available. Forget snow ! Forget cold ! Forget ice (except for in blenders). Come tailgate in our yard. That's right – this party is OUTSIDE IN FEBRUARY !!! Party for the HARDY. Bring your own drinks, chair, a dish to share, mittens and long-johns. Can't cook? That's OK – bring firewood. 466 Middle Street Braintree. For more information contact Rick Werner at rickfins@yahoo.com or (781) 843-2773.

Directions:

Rte 93 to Rte 3 South (toward the Cape) Exit 17 "Union Street" Braintree. Follow around the rotary and take Union St toward East Braintree and Weymouth, between the Police Station and Sunoco Station. At light turn right onto Middle St. #466 is the 8th house on the left. Please park on Lisle St (left before house), Logan Dr (right before house), or Norfolk Rd (left after house).

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Directions:

Rte 495, to exit 31 "Rte 119/2A". Go East (Right off exit when coming from the North OR Left off exit when coming from the South). Go 1.5 miles. Tubing Park entrance is on the left.

February 27th – Special Olympics night at the Worcester Sharks – Worcester – 8:05 pm

(Parrot Points Awarded) See a Shark battle a Pirate !!!! on ICE !!!! This is a fundraiser for Special Olympics of MA and a great night for the entire family. More details to come.

March 6-8th – New England Parrot Head Club Convention – Portland, ME (Parrot Points Awarded)

Marriot Sable Oaks, South Portland, ME "Tiki Time on Maine Terrain" to Benefit Alzheimer's Society, Cancer Foundation, Make-a-Wish, and Special Olympics of Maine. Go to www.phcofmaine.com to register.

March 29th – Annual Membership Meeting – American Legion Hall – Burlington – 10am-2pm (Parrot Points Awarded)

This is your opportunity to help shape the future of The Parrot Head Club. The Bored Members will present the "State of the Club" and then we will have a "Town Hall-Style" Meeting where you can suggest, criticize, and offer suggestions on any subject. We had a great turnout last year and learned a lot. I hope that you have seen some of your suggestions that we implemented over the last year. Snacks will be provided and parrothead fun to follow.

DIRECTIONS:

Rte 128 to exit 34, "Winn Street, Burlington". Follow right off ramp then take a right at the lights at the bottom. Follow Winn St. past the Marshall Middle School on right. Bear right at the fork, stay on Winn Street, the Legion Hall will be on the right after a 1/4 mile.



