

October 2022 President's Message

2022 was not the greatest of fishing years out of Cape May and we all expect a better 2023 season. Now you might have a few tuna hanging around, and shortly we have sea bass followed by Tog to give us something to fish for during the next few months! It's time to schedule your winter maintenance and winter storage. The club has several members who are in these industries so please patronize our members for these services.

- Annual Awards Banquet. Saturday November 19th at 6 pm at The Grand Hotel. Tickets will be \$100 per person for members and guests. Guests of members are welcome to attend. There will not be assigned seating. We will have live entertainment, cocktail hour, dinner, dancing, open bar, auction items, 50/50 and of course the 2022 Award Recipients. The CMMTC will be closed on November 19th. Invitations will be mailed out shortly.
- ➤ **CMMTC Apparel**. We have burgees, visors, and apparel in stock currently. October 14th the fall merchandise restock order will be delivered to the CMMTC including the Ladies Neon Pink Performance Hoodies along with the Men's Blue Performance hoodies. You better get them while inventory lasts.
- Sponsorship Packets for 2023. Packets will be sent out this coming week. There are a couple of new changes being for 2023 as requested by our members. For any questions and to sign up for a sponsorship contact the club at cmmtc@capemaymarlintunaclub.com Tournaments@capemaymarlintunaclub.com
- ➤ Pumpkin Painting & Costume Party. On October 22rd, from 1pm to 4pm will be pumpkin painting for adults and children. You may bring guests. The Bar will be open, and we have April Vanaman and Capt Jim McCarthy as our guest bartenders so come in and let us make you drinks. All tips will be donated to prizes for the pumpkin painting event. From 7pm until close will be the Halloween Costume party. Club will be providing some munchies, but members are encouraged to bring a potluck appetizer or dessert
- ➤ 2023 CMMTC Member Dues. Dues will be sent out in late October 2022 electronically by email invoices that you can pay on the spot with a small credit card fee. CMMTC will no longer mail out dues' renewals or membership cards. You may still mail check to the club or pay the bartenders directly. Starting January 1, 2023, once your dues are paid you will pick your membership renewal card up from the Bartenders during bar hours. After January 1, 2023, you may also pay the bartender directly cash, check or credit card and they will hand you your membership renewal card on the spot.

- > **CMMTC No-Smoking Policy.** Smoking, vaping, and similar is prohibited in the building and anywhere on the property with the exception of the designated smoking area in the rear of the building.
- ➤ Club Usage. Club bylaws permit members in good standing and their guests to utilize the facilities. A member is not in good standing until their dues are paid for the current year. After January 1st of each year your dues must be paid in full to enter the club. If you enter the club with non-current dues, you have must pay your dues on the spot or immediately leave the club until your dues are paid. Bartenders will be enforcing this policy without exception.
- ➤ 2023 Tournament Committee._2023 Tournament Committee Members are Fred Tuttle chair. Brian Lempa, Frank Wise, Russel Yost, Mike Linus, and Jim McCarthy. The tournament Committee has approved the 2023 Tournament Schedule so be on the lookout as it will be published soon.
- ➤ **Tournament Participation**. The Tournament Committee is requesting your ideas and suggestions to be emailed this month to Tournaments@capemaymarlintunaclub.com that you believe would make the tournaments more enjoyable and increase participation prior to the 2023 rules and events schedule being established.
- Reel Time App Season Long Catch Reports. You must register for the Season Long Leader Board through the Reel Time App. This is the only way to submit catch reports for season long points and also for 2023 to submit any catch reports for tournaments as well. The app worked very well for the first year with only some minor glitches which were quickly remedied. For 2023 Season, you must use the App fully. We will not accept any tournament entries or catch reports by any method other than the CMMTC Reel Time App. All catch reports must have a legible photo of current CMMTC catch report uploaded for each and every fish.
- Pictures, Photos, Videos, & Stories. Please share the success of our member boats with our members. Owners, captains, mates, and anglers please send us your pics, stories, and results. Due this through the winter months as well. Send photos, fun photos, travel, fishing stories, etc. to cmmtc@capemaymarlintunaclub.com.
- > CMMTC is Open at 1pm for all Philadelphia Eagles Sunday 1pm Games

Tight Lines and Following Seas,

Capt. Jim McCarthy, President

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Schedule of 2022 Board Meetings - 7:00 pm Second Floor of CMMTC and Zoom if necessary.

- o October 21, 2022
- o November 19, 2022 Annual Banquet
- o December 16, 2022

2022 CMMTC Events

- o Halloween Pumpkin Painting daytime October 22nd 1 pm to 4 pm
- o Halloween Party and Costume Competition October 22nd 7 pm
- o Annual Awards Banquet November 19th at The Grand
- 7 Fishes/Christmas Tree Trimming
- New Year's Day Brunch January 1st

Club Email Contact Information:

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