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## President's Corner



by Jim Keene #5680

Dear Superintendent Murray,  
Earlier this year (RE: Our letter of April 29, 2009 to North Carolina Department of Cultural Resources and copied to you) the Cape Hatteras Access Preservation Alliance formally identified four Spit and Inlet Area of the Cape Hatteras National Seashore Recreational Area (Seashore) as Traditional Cultural Properties potentially eligible to the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) under the Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as Amended. The four properties are:

- 1) Bodie Island Spit and Adjoining Beaches;
- 2) Cape Point and Adjoining Beaches;
- 3) Hatteras Inlet Spit and Adjoining Beaches; and
- 4) South Point Ocracoke and Adjoining Beaches.

The Cape Hatteras Access Preservation Alliance requests that the National Park Service advance the formal recognition of these areas as TCPs on behalf of Outer Banks village communities that hold the properties in value. These Outer Banks village communities maintain that the long standing access to, and the responsible use of the properties is critical to preserving their traditional culture and life ways.

We have carefully reviewed the National Park Service National Register Guidelines for Evaluating and Documenting Traditional Properties (Guidelines) and are confident the above properties: 1) constitute TCPs; and 2) are potentially eligible to the NRHP as such.

The Guidelines explicitly state that: "TCP designations are not to be limited to properties held in importance by Native Americans or other minority groups but that Americans of every

ethnic origin have properties to which they ascribe traditional cultural value. Further, if such properties meet the National Register criteria, they can and should be nominated for inclusion in the NRHP."

The properties in question clearly meet the Guidelines' verbatim criteria for a TCP in that they are: "1) components of a rural community whose organization patterns of land use reflect the cultural traditions valued by its long-term residents; and 2) a location where the communities have traditionally carried out economic and other cultural practices important in maintaining their historic identity."

As TCPs, the historic properties in question not only help maintain the traditional identity of Outer Banks communities, but these same communities have historically been shaped by the long standing use of these beach landscapes. Historically, Outer Banks culture has been inextricably tied to the surf zone, and remains so today. The surf zone has traditionally sustained the island economy and culture through commercial fishing, and also by way of recreational fishing and tourism. These latter activities have been ongoing for more than 50 years and are therefore considered to be of historic age. More importantly, the landscapes in question are held in importance by Outer Banks communities in a way that transcends heritage and the traditional economy. The Cape Point stands as a defining physical feature of the Outer Banks, which consists of a narrow strip of land perched as much 30 miles out in the Atlantic Ocean. The other landscapes considered TCPs equally comprise the transitional realm between island home and the sea. As such, the historic properties continue to provide island folk with a profound sense of

place and their use helps sustain the collective identity of their communities.

In recent historic times, traditional commercial beach fishing has been eclipsed in importance by recreational surf fishing. Hook and line surf fishing itself, particularly for the iconic red drum has long held a defining place in Outer Banks culture. This sporting pursuit has historically been undertaken by generations of Outer Bank residents and visitors alike, dating back to the turn of the 20th century, and continues to be of great economic and social importance today. The very fact that non-residents and visitors participate in the traditional use of the historic properties in no way diminishes the cultural and historic value of those properties. The opposite is true. In many ways, Outer Banks culture is resilient, inclusive, and dynamic. Having non-residents participate in aspects of traditional barrier island life is enriching to the public and makes protecting and preserving this cultural resource all the more important. In addition, the portions of the properties remain the focal point for the local surf dory seine net fishery. This economic activity represents a nearly extinct folkway as the Seashore beaches are one of the very last places in the country in which this traditional commercial fishery is practiced. The 1980 amendments to the NHPA specifically call for protecting and preserving these kinds of cultural activities.

It is important to emphasize that the activities that help define the historic properties in question (to include hook and line surf fishing) have not come about solely within the last 50 years, thus making them ineligible for consideration for protection under the Section 106 of the NHPA. Rather, it is the cumulative sum of traditional

social and economic surf zone cultural activities, both historical and contemporary, that have served to shape and helped preserve the identity of Outer Banks village communities over time. It is precisely this unbroken pattern of cultural use, and the value attached to that use by the local village communities that qualifies the properties as TCPs.

Much has changed on the Outer Banks since the establishment of the Seashore. However, it is also remarkable how little has changed in terms of the local cultural landscape and its traditional use. This use is predicated on free and open access to surf zone, which supports the traditional local economy as well as being integral to social and cultural fabric of Outer Banks village communities. It should be noted that the maintenance of barrier island culture is largely unique to portions of the Outer Banks. Across much of the Eastern Seaboard, traditional barrier island settlement, economic systems, and life ways have been obliterated by a transformation of coastal areas into nothing less than urbanized commercial districts. Other areas, most notably the Virginia Eastern Shore barrier islands have been abandoned to human settlement. This entire barrier island chain is in private conservation ownership as a coastal wilderness reserve. The widespread loss of traditional barrier island culture makes preserving the surviving elements of traditional Outer Banks life ways absolutely critical.

When the Seashore was being established, the director of the National Park Service promised in a published letter that Outer Banks communities will always have access to their traditional use areas. The communities have long viewed this

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## 2009-2010 Nominations



by Tracey Oates #11240

If you ever said to yourself "I wish I could make a difference" now is the time! NCBBA is asking its membership to fill four Officer Positions: President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer and four Director Positions on the Board that are up for election/re-election at our annual meeting May 29, 2010.

Those elected will serve a term of two years and will meet quarterly at a time and place designated by the President. Normally, meetings are held on Saturday mornings in the Kill Devil Hills area.

Any member in good standing is eligible for election and must be present at the time of the election or signify in writing his or her acceptance of the position to which elected.

Serving on the Board allows you to have an active role in the direction and planning of our organization. New ideas talent and experience are needed and welcomed. Show your support and interest by adding your name to the ballot.

Please send a brief resume and a current photograph, along with the following form, to Tracey Oates 142 Bayberry Rd., Kill Devil Hills, NC 27948 or e-mail me at tracey.oates@ncbba.org. Your resume and photograph must be received by January 8, 2010.

### 2009-2010 NCBBA ELECTIONS

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 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Must be received by January 9, 2010, with a brief resume and photo.**

**Send to:** Tracey Oates, Chairman  
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The North Carolina Beach Buggy Association is a non-profit organization, established in 1964, dedicated to preservation of and vehicular access to the natural beach resources of the Outer Banks through conservation, a code of ethics for beach behavior, and support of local, state, federal officials and other organizations dedicated to these same goals.

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- Sponsor "Operation Beach Respect" in cooperation with Cape Hatteras National Seashore Recreational Area
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- Updated Fisheries Issues
- Scholarship Program
- George Deems Conservation Fund

**Application for Membership**

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- Enclosed is \$25 for membership, initiation fees and numbered license plate. (Dues are \$20 per year thereafter.)  
*All Memberships Include \$4.00 for Newsletter*
- Life Membership - \$350  
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- Birthdate: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Make checks payable to NCBBA

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Date Received \_\_\_\_\_ Number Assigned \_\_\_\_\_

## ACHIEVERS - 2009

*Earn Yours!*

Earn an achiever shirt by signing up 5 new members from January 1 2009 thru April 30, 2010. The achiever shirt is 100% cotton knit golf shirt with your membership number embroidered on the left front, navy blue or white.

New this year, Achiever of the Year, the member that signs up the most people (more than 5) will earn a cotton/polyester, navy shell with khaki lining jacket with NCBBA and membership number embroidered on left front. The jacket will be presented at the 2010 annual meeting.

After 2010, the sign up period will run from May 1st thru April 30th, in the past it has been calendar year.



Send to: North Carolina Beach Buggy Association  
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I wish to take part in this program.  
Please send 5 Applications Membership Cards.

**2009**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_  
State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Shirt Size\* \_\_\_\_\_ NCBBA Member # \_\_\_\_\_  
 White or  Blue Date \_\_\_\_\_

\* If you desire something else of equal value, contact Brenda Outlaw at (252) 473-4880

**Life Memberships  
are \$350.00**  
Metal Plates for  
Life Members

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**Plate Cost: \$25.00**  
**Send Check to Treasurer**

**From the Treasurer**

When ordering a replacement plate, the year stamped on the plate will be your current paid-up date. **If you want the year you joined NCBBA on your plate, you have to inform me of that date.** Please note the ordering process can take up to 6 months. Replacement plates cost \$25.00.

**DO NOT pay dues in advance - wait for the renewal notice.**

Please inform me of your change of address promptly - you may write, call or email. When a membership renewal notice or newsletter is returned because of an incorrect address, it is expensive for NCBBA and could result in deletion of your membership.

Please pay your dues promptly. According to the constitution, a membership will be deleted if dues are not paid within 90 days of the billing month. Don't let this happen to you. Your membership is important to us!

If you have any comments or questions, please email me at [treasurer@ncbba.org](mailto:treasurer@ncbba.org).  
Brenda S. Outlaw, Treasurer

**AFFILIATIONS**

- North Carolina Wildlife Federation, Inc.
- National Coalition for Marine Conservation, Inc.
- Member International Game Fish Association, Inc.
- United Mobile Sportfishermen, Inc.
- Recreational Fishing Alliance

**2009 Calendar of Events**

- OCTOBER 7-9**  
Nags Head Surf Fishing Tournament
- OCTOBER 17-18**  
Capital City Four Wheelers Tournament
- OCTOBER 22-24**  
NCBBA Red Drum Tournament  
*(Formerly Frank and Frans)*
- NOVEMBER 4-7**  
Cape Hatteras Anglers Club Surf Fishing Tournament
- NOVEMBER 14**  
United Mobile Sportfishermen, Inc.
- ★ NOVEMBER 14**  
Operation Beach Respect
- DECEMBER 4-6**  
Wheels and Reels Stripper Showdown Fishing Tournament
- DECEMBER 5-31**  
NCBBA Photo Contest Entries
- DECEMBER 12**  
NCBBA Budget Input

**\* All members need to volunteer to help with this most important aspect of our organization. Call Dave Goodwin at (252) 996-0593 to sign up for one or more of the scheduled clean-ups.**

**To Our Readers**

Letters to the editor must be signed, include the writer's address, a telephone number, and most importantly, your NCBBA number. All letters are subject to editing and approval. Send your stories, photos, comments, etc., to:

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# Secretary's Report: Highlights of Board Meeting: September 19, 2009

by Tracey Oates #11240



President Jim Keene called the meeting to order at 8:03AM. Board members not present were Dave Goodwin, Shelly Bembridge, Brenda Outlaw, Lew Spangler and Mike McNichol, Editor.

Director Laura Davis made the motion to accept the minutes from the June 13, 2009 BOD meeting. Director Mike Metzgar seconded. Motion passed and the minutes were approved as written.

President Jim Keene read the financial report submitted by Treasurer Brenda Outlaw. The current checking account balance is \$52,296.72. Some of which will be moved. Director Mike Metzgar made the motion to accept the Treasurer's report. Vice President Dave Joyner seconded. Motion passed. President Keene also reported the newly revised membership forms and the revised Constitution have been printed and are available. He will check with Treasurer Outlaw on the progress of the renewal forms.

Director Mike Metzgar reported on the status of the budget. Membership is right on budget. General Income is slightly above budget. Overall income is 6 percent above budget. Expenses are 20 percent below budget.

President Keene reported he may go ahead and make our contribution to CHAPA before the end of the year.

President Keene reported the next OBR clean-up is scheduled for November 14, 2009.

Director Mark Burbic reported reservations are made for the Nags Head tournament team as well as the Big Hatteras tournament. 70 fishing citations have been received a spread sheet of the recipients will be placed on the website. He is going to publish information on the website to clarify the criteria for the Angler of the Year award. The citation program date ends April 30, 2010. Director Burbic has received pricing on a new NCBBA fishing team flag. He will also follow up on the criteria for the Youth Award.

Membership Director Carol Mowers reported she will be attending the Greater Philadelphia Outdoor Sports show in Oaks, PA, February 24-28, 2010. This would be a great opportunity for members in that area to volunteer. She will also attend registration at the Nags Head Tournament, 4-Plus, NCBBA Red Drum, Hatteras Anglers Club and the Stripper Tournaments. Table cloths

will need to be purchased for the NCBBA display. She has received 2 entries so far for the annual photo contest.

Director Mike Metzgar reported merchandise sales and membership sign-up have been doing very well on the website. The OBR, Citations and Contribution sites need some updating.

Past President John Newbold made a motion at the last BOD meeting in June to stop giving out NCBBA memberships to scholarship recipients. The motion was seconded by Brenda Outlaw. The vote was called and the motion passed. There were no NCBBA scholarship applicants this year. The requirements will change for next year with the addition of an essay.

Merchandise Director Laura Davis reported the internet ordering will have an impact on the tracking for merchandise ordering in 2010. The 2010 t-shirt design is currently in the works. Merchandise on consignment will be retrieved. Director Davis is also considering a promotion item for purchases over \$50.

Under public relations and business practices there was nothing to report at this time.

Director Metzgar reported the hall, caterer, shopping list, set up etc. for the UMS meeting that NCBBA is hosting in November has been completed.

Director Allen Fredd reported under fundraising that he is researching corporate support and matching donations from employers.

President Keene reported the NPS is on schedule with the ORV plan program.

Vice President Joyner reported he has the permit for the Red Drum Tournament; Director Mowers is on tract with putting the tournament book together. 250 participants have signed up and that he is still accepting door prize donations.

President Keene reported on the yearly charitable contributions that NCBBA makes to the Angel Tree, FOY, Fritz Boyden Youth Tournament, Fowler Tournament and the Ranger Program.

Vice President Joyner suggested adopting an Aviation unit of 44 not to exceed \$1,000. Director Metzgar made the motion. Director Davis seconded. Motion passed. The care package will be sent in February 2010.

Meeting adjourned 11:50AM.



## Cape Hatteras National Seashore Recreational Area

by Mike Murray, Superintendent, Outer Banks Group



The fall season finds Park staff experiencing a brief reprieve from the summer crowds and hectic summer operations related to the consent decree. The weather has cooled down nicely making outdoor activities pleasant once again. Fishing is beginning to pick up just in time for the avid fall fishermen and miles of beach are open to welcome them back. On National Public Lands Day, September 26, numerous volunteers, including many representing NCBBA, conducted beach and road-side clean-up projects on the Seashore. In addition, a number of park staff volunteered their time to clean up wooden debris, sand fencing and other trash from the old Bodie Island Lifesaving Station site, as well as the shoulders of NC Highway 12 north of NCBBA's section. We greatly appreciate the ongoing efforts of NCBBA to keep park beaches and roads free of litter!

Though park operations are less intense now that the breeding season is over, NPS staff along with the environmental contractor that was hired by the NPS Environmental Quality Division (EQD) have been very busy working on the draft ORV management plan and EIS (DEIS). The DEIS will identify and evaluate the impacts of a number of different ORV management alternatives. Preparing a DEIS of this complexity is a time consuming process involving numerous NPS staff and subject matter specialists at the

Seashore, the Regional Office, and in Denver, as well as contractor employees. There are a number of discrete steps in the planning process, each with its own set of tasks and time frames. Since there are many "moving parts" in the process, it is difficult to precisely predict the exact completion date for each task; however, it is feasible to identify the "major milestones" or tasks with estimated time frames for completion. The ultimate deadline, which was established in the consent decree, is to issue the Record of Decision for the final plan/EIS by December 31, 2010, and the Final Rule (i.e., special regulation) by April 1, 2011.

Currently, NPS is reviewing draft chapters of the DEIS. Once the review and related editing is completed, the Seashore will submit the DEIS to the regional office (Atlanta) and Washington office for final internal review and approval to release the DEIS for public comment, which is estimated to occur late this fall. The DEIS release will be announced in a Federal Register Notice and local press release, followed by a 60-day public comment period that will include a series of public meetings. In addition, if you are on our emailing list, we will notify you directly by email when the DEIS is released for public comment. Below is the current list of "milestones" for the ORV management plan and special regulation:

- Fall 2009** –
  - the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) is completed for internal NPS review and revised as needed
  - drafting begins for the proposed rule
  - the DEIS is approved by the Department of the Interior (DOI) and released for 60-day public comment
  - the Notice of Availability for the DEIS is published in the *Federal Register*
  - NPS requests formal consultation with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service on the DEIS preferred alternative
- Winter 2010** –
  - the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) reviews benefit/cost and regulatory analyses for the proposed rule
  - The proposed rule is approved by the DOI and published in the *Federal Register* for 60-day public comment,
  - NPS holds public meetings on DEIS (about midway through the public comment period)
- Spring 2010** –
  - analysis of public comment on the DEIS is completed
  - NPS receives the biological opinion from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
  - analysis of public comment on the proposed rule begins

- preparation of the Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) and responses to public comment begin
- Summer 2010** –
  - the FEIS and responses to public comments are completed
  - the FEIS is approved by DOI and released to the public
  - the Notice of Availability for the FEIS is published in the *Federal Register*
- Fall 2010** –
  - the Record of Decision (ROD) is drafted and signed
  - the summary of the ROD is published in the *Federal Register*
  - the final regulatory analyses and final rule are prepared for OMB review
- Winter 2011** –
  - the final rule is approved by DOI and published in the *Federal Register*

In closing, I hope you have a great fall fishing season. Thank you for all you do to support Cape Hatteras National Seashore!

Best wishes,  
Mike Murray  
Superintendent, Outer Banks Group

## NCBBA Website 2010 and beyond

by Mike Metzgar, Director, Life #5559



The new website was launched on June 27, 2009 and the visits by our members and others are growing by leaps and bounds. Articles are posted daily and reflect current information regarding NCBBA and support of our Mission Statement. NCBBA welcomed 48 new members that joined on the website since June 27.....and

to those that paid dues: our thanks! www.ncbba.org <http://www.ncbba.org/>

What to expect in 2010 on the website: NCBBA Voting will be available online for the third year, 2010 Merchandise will have a greater focus and some awesome surprises, and late in the year or early 2011 a section of the website

will be for members only.

I have begun a new project for the website that will allow members to view back issues of the newsletter. If you have back issues that you would LOAN to NCBBA for scanning please contact me with a list of the issues you have so I can get an idea of what we have and what we

need. Our plans are to scan the issues and to have them available for viewing on the website using Adobe Reader (a free program from Adobe.com) in the members only section. Is this a big project? You bet! I'll need your help so contact me at Mike.Metzgar@NCBBA.org or call me at 814-224-4761 and we'll get started.

# NCBBA's 1st Annual Red Drum Tournament October 22, 23 & 24, 2009



by Dave Joyner Vice President, #5678

Your NCBBA BOD is busy preparing for NCBBA's 1st Annual Red Drum Tournament. As of September 20th we have 260 registered anglers and 25 judges from 18 different states. Among those registered are: 18 Females, 3 Senior Females, and 29 Senior Males plus 6 Junior Anglers. We are excited to have over 100 new anglers & 12 new judges. By the time you read this I hope we have a full tournament of 300 anglers and 30

judges. Several members have volunteered to help behind the scenes and we welcome more. If interested, please call or e-mail me.

Special thanks to Gary Michael #922 for building a rod for us to raffle. Longtime Head Judge for the Frank & Fran's Tournament, Ron Parenti who will be the Head Judge. David Flanigan has volunteered to assist Ron and will be our Head Judge for future tournaments.

B.J.'s Carolina Café will be providing all participants with a sampling of their famous appetizers for Wednesday evening's meeting & a buffet of pork bbq, chicken & all the fixin's for Saturday night's Awards Banquet. B.J.'s located at 7069 Caratoke Highway, Jarvisburg, NC 27947 is also offering all anglers a complimentary beverage, appetizer or dessert before & after the tournament for those who stop in on their way to & from Hatteras Island. Holiday Ice will supply

all participants with a free bag of ice. We will be collecting non-perishable items for the Hatteras Island Food Pantry during registration and throughout the tournament at Frank & Fran's.

Tight Lines!  
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## Angler of the Year Award Guidelines

by Mark Burbic, Director #12404



Greetings to all NCBBA members. I just wanted to take the time to clarify the guidelines for the Angler of the Year awards so that everyone in the organization would be on the same page, and have a fighting chance to win.

First of all, there will be two awards. One for the general membership, and one for our junior members. There is no gender barrier in either the general membership award, or the junior member award, so may the best person win!

There are some criteria to be met. First, you must be a member in good standing, which means get those dues in if you're not current. All Citations are checked against our member list. Secondly, all awards and citations go to members only. No more spouses or children of members. This is a family organization, so let's sign the whole family up!

Lastly, the Person with the most NCBBA Citations in Multiple Species will be counted as the winner. For example, a fisherman with 1 citation fish in 10 categories would outscore a person with 20 citation fish in 2 categories. This way one lucky day won't count the rest of the membership out. So get those dues current, sign up those members of your family that aren't NCBBA members already, and start fishing!

The time frame for the Angler of the Year Award is from April 30th 2008, to April 30, 2009. This way the entries can be tallied, the winner notified, and the presentation of the Award will coincide with our Annual Meeting. That's right, we will be presenting the award in front of the whole membership at our annual meeting. By the way, the winner will be our guest, so there is a lot to work for.

I look forward to the outcome. I've seen plenty citation applications already. I've issued 70 citations so far this year. Check the website to see who's caught what. And keep those citations applications coming. Please remember to write letters to your representatives in support of Free and Open Beaches. I'll see you on the beach!

## What We Believe - People & Nature in Harmony

At the core of the grassroots movement to Preserve Access to America's Beaches is the basic principle that people and nature can live together in harmony. This rational, common sense approach is supported by science and accepted by mainstream environmental conservationists.

Long before Hatteras Island was ever designated by the Federal Government as a National Seashore Recreational Area, the local residents were already proven leaders in protecting wildlife. Their love and respect for nature has always been heartfelt and genuine. For centuries they have worked devotedly to preserve fish, turtles, birds, and other wildlife, following in the sacred tradition of the earliest area inhabitants, the Native Americans.

Living in harmony with nature has been an established way of life for generations for the people of Cape Hatteras. They have faithfully "walked the walk" of true environmental protection and doing the right thing for wildlife.

Instead of living together in harmony with nature, misguided environmental groups are using disruptive lawsuits to limit access and force closure of America's beaches. These damaging lawsuits have hurt the local economy and the ability of families to earn a living as they have done for generations.

Some groups would have the general public incorrectly believe that people are inherently dangerous to wildlife. In fact, the opposite is true. Conservationists, like the people of the Cape Hatteras National Seashore Recreational Area (CHNSRA), have been instrumental in helping many wildlife species flourish and thrive.

In nature's circle of life, there are times when natural predators destroy bird nests or attack baby turtles. It is always unfortunate and sad when predators, such as raccoons, sea gulls and other birds stalk and feed on nature's most vulnerable. But, these attacks by natural predators have nothing to do with people. Contrary to the claims of a few, people are not the natural enemy of wildlife.

Some misguided environmental groups go so far as to advocate banning everyone from using the beach. They believe this draconian measure is necessary to eliminate even the possibility of someone ever committing a careless act on the beach. Reasonable people know however that outlawing beach access is not the solution. The truth is, most people are decent, law abiding citizens. But, in a free society we accept the risk that someone could deviate from the norm and commit a wrongful act. This is true everywhere; in neighborhood parks, nature walks, and on our beaches. The answer to preventing misdeeds is a combination of educational programs and strict enforcement of existing laws and regulations. Those who would deliberately break the law, on the beach or anywhere, should be severely punished. But, the extreme position of eliminating human access altogether, is irrational and excessive. It would be sad to ever think of our neighborhood parks, nature walks, and beaches without families enjoying them in a responsible and caring way.

The best long-term solution for beach access is encouraging a practical, common sense approach of people living together in harmony with nature. Sensible people, who truly love and respect nature, understand the soundness of this levelheaded and reasonable approach.

The goal of life is living in agreement with nature  
Greek Philosopher, Zeno  
(335 B.C. – 264 B.C.)

## President's Corner Continued from page 1

document as a binding social contract. In the context of Section 106 of the NHRA, the letter clearly underscores that as early as 1952 the federal government recognized the importance of maintaining traditional Outer Banks culture as it relates to federal lands and undertakings. Some 50 years later, traditional elements of Outer Banks life ways are being severely and increasingly threatened and thus need the protections that the NHPA of 1966, as Amended was specifically designed to afford.

Recently, the National Park Service published the results of a three-year research project entitled Ethnographic Description of Eight Villages Adjoining Cape Hatteras National Seashore and Interpretive Themes of Heritage and History. According to the document's Executive Summary, the study "grew out of the National Park Service's recognition of the importance of understanding the social, cultural, and economic histories of communities affected by its policies and actions."

In keeping with the National Park Service's legal obligation not just to understand and analyze the cultural resources under its domain but also to actively protect and manage all historic properties for which it has responsibility, the Cape Hatteras Access Preservation Alliance requests that the areas in question be formally addressed as TCPs through the Section 106 Consultation process.

The Cape Hatteras Access Preservation Alliance requests to participate as a full consulting party in this Section 106 process. Further, given the recognized controversial circumstances surrounding this issue, and the inherent complexities in listing to NRHP National Park Service properties, the Cape Hatteras Access Preservation Alliance would like to formally request that the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation be invited to participate.

We very much look forward to moving forward and working constructively with all parties through the Section 106 consultation process.

Sincerely,  
W. James Keene, President  
North Carolina Beach Buggy Association



## Freedom To Enjoy America's Beaches Is At Risk

The Cape Hatteras National Seashore Recreational Area on North Carolina's Outer Banks was designated the first "National Seashore" in 1937 with the promise that people would always have the right of access for recreation. Freedom to enjoy the beach, in a responsible way, is now at risk because of efforts by misguided environmental groups determined to restrict access for people.

The right of access to Federal parklands is an important issue for everyone. If beach access is eliminated at Cape Hatteras, the right of people to use our National parks will be at risk everywhere. Your help is urgently needed as part of this grassroots effort to preserve access for people.

### TO ALL PreserveBeachAccess.org

Congratulations and our thanks for the outstanding work done by you and those who have dedicated so much to the success of this website. It is your dedication that provided the empathies that lead to the awarding of the 3CMA Award of Excellence to the website [www.preservebeachaccess.org](http://www.preservebeachaccess.org).

Without the full support of the Dare County Board of Commissioners and the dedication of Dorothy Toolan, Public Information Officer and Gary Gross, Public Relations Dept., we, the users, would still be struggling to get this message to the public at large.

Thank You!  
Jim Keene, President  
NCBBA

# Fishing Report

by John Newbold #14



After a super sea mullet season, with several members earning more than ten citations, we are blessed with one of the earliest puppy drum seasons I can remember! Most fish have been caught in sloughs in the area between Coquina Beach and Oregon Inlet, and the bait of choice is fresh finger mullet which are plentiful now. Remember that the personal limit of mullet is two-hundred fish per day. Catch what you need, but no more.

On the subject of NCBBA citations: the Angler of the year program is based on the total of different species caught, and not on the total number of citations of only one or more species. To win, you must earn a citation for as many different species that we list on the citation form.

Puppy drum are easy to catch and you do not have to cast a great distance to catch them. Proof here is the fact that more women fishing in tournaments catch puppy drum than men. Why... because they don't cast out as far!

Using a single hook on a fish-finder rig or the same double bottom rig I wrote about in the last issue will work, and I have come to believe fluoro-carbon line does a better job. In tests I have made, fluoro-carbon rigs and leaders catch more fish!

My personal best luck has come from using a double dropper loop rig made of 40 pound fluoro-carbon line and finished with 5/0 circle hooks. Many would argue that a larger hook should be used, and I would not disagree. Drum have large mouths and they open wide when taking a bait. That being said, I still recommend the 5/0 hook.

Next choice is to chunk or fillet the finger mullet. On my best recent day, two anglers caught nineteen drum, and I used fillets. Chunks tend to eliminate blues and other trash fish from biting but the fillet pieces seem to give off more aroma for the drum to pick up on. Remember, this fish hunts by smell and is a bottom feeder rather than

a sight feeder like a blue or spanish.

With circle hooks, do not set the hook on pick-up. Rather lift the rod up creating tension and begin cranking, remembering not to jerk back on the rod.

Fishing this way insures solid hook-ups with easy releases. Most all fish will be hooked in the corner of the mouth. Since the limit is one fish per day that must measure between 18 and 27 inches, releasing out-of-slot or over-limit fish will be easy

with little or no damage to the fish.

Fish sloughs on both sides of breaks in the bar and fish short in the white water. Drum are lazy feeders and will let the surf and waves expose things for them to eat. Smart anglers put their baits in the feeding zone.

For me, there is no finer fish to catch than a puppy drum, with the exception of catching his mother or grandfather.

Send me some photos!  
Tight lines!



Cecil P. Duke #3767 and an over-slot drum.

Photo: John P. Newbold #14



Tom Burke #5463 and another over-slot drum.

Photo: Cecil P. Duke #3767

# Fishing Teams Report 2009

by Mark Burbic, Director #12404



I just wanted to congratulate the team members for 2009. There have been some changes due to last minute cancellations on the Nags Head team, but we are still looking forward to good finishes from both teams, and we want to wish them good luck.

Representing the NCBBA at the Nags Head

Surf Fishing Tournament will be: Nicholas Biley #3419, who will serve as captain for the team. Also, Pembroke Bryant #12564, Sylvester Hardison #12055, Larry Harmon #9054, Butch Eason #8097, and Bill Peebles #12325.

Representing the NCBBA at the Cape Hatteras

Anglers Club Tournament will be: Director Carol Mowers #10999, who will act as captain this year. Joining Carol will be her husband

Dave Mowers #11935, Bob McCulley #10380, Vernon Dockery #2567, Jim Wilson #10381 and Joe Hite #770.

Hotel reservations are made, the hats are in, so

there's nothing left to do but go fishing.

So let's all get together and wish "Tight Lines" and good luck to all our members for this year's fishing teams. Any one interested in fishing next year be sure and send me your request when they are published in the upcoming news letters.

# Editorial

by Mike McNichol, Editor #13276



In the past few months I have been pondering the ongoing battle initiated by various environmental advocates and a couple of things have become much clearer. It appears to me that the ultimate goal of the environmental groups is nothing less than a full closure of all Cape Hatteras beaches to ORV traffic.

Many have reached this conclusion before me and with good reason. There is an island many of you are familiar with called Cora June Island just off the ferry docks in Hatteras Village. This island has been documented as a large nesting area for many birds considered to be of special concern by the state of NC and Audubon Society in the consent decree. Unfortunately it is not part of Cape Hatteras National Seashore although it lies

less than a mile away. This is one of a number of islands in the sounds where large numbers of birds nest.

It is not coincidence that these birds choose to nest on these islands. The birds choose these islands because there are no predators there. Most of these islands are too small and isolated to support a predator population and birds being relatively smart creatures instinctively know this. In the meantime the NPS traps and disposes of large numbers of predators within the Seashore to protect a small number of birds that choose to nest in unsafe areas of open beach. A total of 6 Piping Plover chicks fledged this year on Hatteras Island, 1 fewer than last year in spite of the consent decree and the predator control program.

It is important to note that Cora June Island is a manmade dredge spoil island, created from dredge operations to maintain the Ocracoke-Hatteras ferry channels. Let's suppose that the National Park Service, Audubon Society, Southern Environmental Law Center, et al. want to truly increase available breeding grounds for these nesting shorebirds. It would seem logical that instead of spending hundreds of thousands of dollars in lawsuits and lawyers that they would come together with local governments and user groups to find a solution. A logical solution might be to create more islands to provide what seems to be ideal habitat for these birds, while providing stable deep water channels for ferry operations and local marinas. With the money spent on lawsuits and

lost by local businesses we could have created a better local economy and more prime breeding grounds. However, at this point we are left with what appears to be a long legal battle and a declining local economy. The current course of action by the environmental groups is illogical... unless their goal is total beach closures to ORV's.

The NCBBA will continue to provide funding and support to keep our beaches open and your help is critical. Please consider contributing to the NCBBA Legal Fund as there are many more legal challenges to come. You can make contributions directly on the website at [ncbba.org](http://ncbba.org) or contact Allen Fredd our Legal Fund Chair at [allen.fredd@ncbba.org](mailto:allen.fredd@ncbba.org)

# Correspondence



## Chicamacomico Banks Fire & Rescue

P.O. Box 125  
Rodanthe, N.C. 27968

September 9, 2009

North Carolina Beach Buggy Association, Inc.  
P.O. Box 940  
Manteo, NC 27954

Dear Club Members:

The officers and members of the Chicamacomico Banks Fire Department once again wish to express their sincere appreciation and thanks to the members of the North Carolina Beach Buggy Association. Without people like your members, and the generosity that you show us year after year, it would be difficult for us to provide the necessary services to the community and its visitors.

Thank you again for your continued support.

Sincerely,

Trisha Bobb  
Secretary

## The Brian Edwards Memorial Trophy

by Mark Burbic, Director #12404



I again wanted to remind everyone of our new addition to the "Russ Privet Fishing Tournament" coming up at our next annual meeting. The new addition of the "Brian Edwards Memorial Trophy".

The NCBBA is proud to help parents John and Maxine Edwards sponsor this award in remembrance of their son, Brian. The award will be given to the largest fish caught by one of our junior members in the tournament held on the day of our annual meeting.

A trophy and special prize will be awarded by the Edwards' to the lucky junior angler who lands the largest fish that day. Please plan ahead, and sign a child up as a junior member, and come out and join us in the celebration that our annual meeting has become.

## Double Your Gift!

by Allen Fredd, Director #930



Do you want to double your gift to the NCBBA? Many corporations participate in what is commonly known as a "matching gifts" program. If you are making or have recently made a gift to the NCBBA, ask your employer if they match gifts made to 501(c)(3) organizations. (If you are retired, you should also ask as some corporations match gifts made by retirees.) There is a "matching gift" form that you will need to complete. These forms can sometimes be found on the company's website. Check your website or check with your human resources staff for particulars.

Dear Members of the Beach Buggy Association,

Thank you for your generous scholarship.

I just finished my first month at Virginia Military Institute and it is everything I hoped it would be. I appreciate your support.

Sincerely,

Woody Skudin

## 2008 Year End Citation Report

by Mark Burbic, Director #12404



Folks the fishing has been hot and heavy. There has been plenty of action in the Citation Program. I have issued 70 Citations so far this year! That's right, 70! And the Trout and Drum season hasn't even kicked in yet. You guys are wearing me out.

Check on the website, and you'll see who the lucky ones have been. Keep those applications coming, and I'll keep printing out the awards. And any of you Speckled Trout fishermen out there be sure and tell be exactly where you've caught the big ones. I promise not to tell anyone!

Don't forget the Angler of the Year Award. You can keep up with where you stand by checking in on the website. We've had so many citations so far, that we can't print them in the newsletter because it would take up too much room. So best of luck to you all, and keep fishing.



# Membership

by Carol Mowers, Membership Director, #10999



Survival of our Organization depends on annual renewals. Please renew your membership when notices are received. Urge others to renew. Earn an achiever shirt by signing up 5 new members in a calendar year. The achiever shirt is 100% cotton knit golf shirt with your membership number embroidered on the left front, navy blue or white. New this year, Achiever of the Year, the member that signs up the most people (more than 5) will earn a cotton/polyester, navy shell with khaki lining jacket with NCBBA and membership number embroidered on left front.

I have started solicitation for advertisers in the 1st Annual Red Drum Tournament program. If you have a small business and are interested in buying an ad, please contact me.

The summer months are quiet times for tournaments. The next membership drive will be during day of registration at the Naags Head Surf Fishing Club Tournament. Stop by and say Hi.

If you have any ideas on things you would like to see happen within the organization, please let me know. Have a great summer, and see you in the fall.



## A special thanks to the following who have made generous contributions:

Member #	Name	Member #	Name	Member #	Name
11458	Patrick J. Quigg	12294	David Cooke	9557	Sam Golightly
525	Mark A. Cope	9745	Lewis C. Greenwood, Jr.	11150	Kristopher Alvarez
7878	Richard (Grizz) Smith	12501	Geoff Meyer	11177	James Adam
11131	Blount C. Craft	6352	Sarah R. McAllister	713	James E. Manley
12004	Charles L. Whisenant	12925	Dennis R. Brower	7029	Jim Henry
12461	Barry L. Grubaker	2886	Richard B. Heaton	4867	Kathy V. Dickson
6467	Debbie Kuntzelman	5321	Calvin Wall	12145	Marvin Sloan
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10726	Rick Mayes	165	David R. Dick	7537	Benjamin F. Elliott
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6993	Owen Kerns	4729	Marjorie Ritchie	2005	Frederick C. Fall
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13376	Michael McMichol				Frank Eck
10730	Greg Embry				
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13628	Judith T. Hughes	Hopewell, VA
13629	Lance Brown	Cornelius, NC
13630	Kevin Rau	Oakmont, PA
13631	Grover Smiley	Palmyra, VA
13632	Andy Backowski	Virginia Beach, VA
13633	Jane Palmer	Chesapeake, VA
13634	Jeff Madraff	Elizabeth City, NC
13635	George Teaney	Orford, PA
13636	Joe Angelo	Uniontown, PA
13637	Ernie Smith	Wilson, NC
13638	Jan S. McConnell	Acworth, GA
13639	Fred Graff	Lima, OH
13640	Michael Oakes	Moseley, VA
13641	Peter McNichol	Ivanhoe, VA
13642	Bob Swingle	Mansfield, PA
13643	Johnathan J. Shirkey	Carrick, NC
13644	Shaun B. Reams	Candler, NC
13645	Joe Jackson, Jr.	Winterville, NC
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13648	Damon Fender	Cheslerfield, VA
13649	George Fender	Cheslerfield, VA
13650	Jeffrey Curry	Kitty Hawk, NC
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13652	Richard Kosa	Toms River, NJ
13653	Dawn Clark	Caret, VA
13654	Perry K. LaGrange	Rocky Mount, NC
13655	Christopher Arnold	Kingwood, TX
13656	Robert L. Burch	Newtown, PA
13657	Brandon Ozuszt	Hampton, VA
13658	Joseph Cox	Pinnacle, NC
13659	Toby R. Young	Franklin, VA
13660	Vuper Little	Virginia Beach, VA
13661	James Joy	Jefferson, IA
13662	Benjamin Heggy	Champion, PA
13663	James Moineer, IV#	King William, VA
13664	Scott Brooks Griffin	Virginia Beach, VA
13665	David C. Little	Pleasant Garden, NC
13666	Mike Spivey	Winchester, VA
13667	Thomas R. Griffin, Jr.	Winchester, VA
13668	Kenneth W. Smith, III	Douglasville, PA
13669	Cori Cooper	Manassas, VA

## 2009 Photo Contest FOR JUNIOR & REGULAR MEMBERS!

Carol Mowers, Photo Contest Chairperson

New Junior Category this year. \$50.00 first place. Deadlines for Photo Contest entries is December 12, 2009. Capture those memorable moments of the Outer Banks and submit your photos.

- To submit your photo via email, please be sure to follow these instructions exactly.
  - Email Your Photo to photos@ncbba.org This e-mail address is being protected from spambots. You need JavaScript enabled to view it with the subject line "2009 Photo Contest Submittal"
  - In the body of your email, you must have ALL of the following information
    - Your Name
    - Your Member Number
    - Address
    - City, State, Zip
    - Phone Number
    - Email Address
    - Date Photo Was Taken
    - Location Photo Was Taken
  - Your photo should be individually attached to the email and should meet the following guidelines:
    - No more than 3mb in size
    - In JPEG format
    - Highest resolution possible.
    - No obvious editing, photoshops signatures, or watermarks should be present.

**CONTEST CRITERIA: (Please read and follow carefully)**

- The photo must be taken within the calendar year beginning January 1, 2009
- Members can submit more than one entry, but contestants can only win one prize.
- The photo(s) can be submitted at any time during the calendar year, with all photo entries postmarked no later than December 7, 2009.
- Each photo entry must have a completed entry form TAPED to the back.
- The photo size must be either a 4"x6", 5"x7" or an 8"x10" in color or black and white.
- The photo must be taken on the Outer Banks and reflect the attractiveness and/or attractions of the area.
- The photo(s) should be of good quality with clear images.
- The photo entry will remain the property of NCBBA.

Professional photographers are requested not to enter this contest. The photo entries will be judged and prizes for first (1st), second (2nd) and third (3rd) place will be awarded. The winning photo entries and names of winners will be published in the January/February issue of the NCBBA Newsletter. All winners will also receive a letter of congratulations along with their prize. The prizes include: \$75 for first place, \$50 for second place, and \$25 for third place. Send your entry to the address on the entry form.

**2009 NCBBA PHOTO CONTEST ENTRY FORM**

Regular & Life Member     Junior Member

(Please Print)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Member # \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Photo Title/Subject: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Taken: \_\_\_\_\_ Photo Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Photo Size: \_\_\_\_\_ 4"x6" \_\_\_\_\_ 5"x7" \_\_\_\_\_ 8"x10"

**For Committe Use Only**

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_ Entry # \_\_\_\_\_

Mail entry to:  
Carol Mowers, 1002 Suffolk St., Kill Devil Hills, NC 27948

## OFFICIAL NCBBA FISHING WEIGH STATIONS

Fish must be caught from the surf of North Carolina, and the west side of the Outer Banks (sound) from Corolla to Core Banks by legal methods during the period of January to December. **FISH CAUGHT FROM BOATS DO NOT QUALIFY.** Fish must be weighed at the following official NCBBA weigh stations:

<b>COROLLA</b> Corolla Bait & Tackle Corolla Light Village Shops 101-B Corolla Light Corolla, NC 27927 (252) 453-9500 Keith Cummings, Owner	<b>NAGS HEAD</b> Fishing Unlimited 7659 S. Virginia Dare Trail Nags Head, NC 27959 (252) 441-5028 Garry Oliver, Owner	<b>BUXTON</b> Dillon's Corner P.O. Box 963 Buxton, NC 27920 (252) 995-5083 Ollie Jarvis, Owner
<b>TW'S Bait &amp; Tackle</b> 2330 S. Croatan Hwy. Nags Head, NC 27959 (252) 441-4807 Terry & Robin Stewart, Owners	<b>Whalebone Tackle</b> 7405 S. Virginia Dare Trail (Manteo-Nags Head Causeway) Nags Head, NC 27959 (252) 441-7413 Bill McGaskill, Owner	<b>FRISCO</b> Frisco Rod & Gun P.O. Box 10 Frisco, NC 27936 (252) 995-5366 Brian Perry, Owner
<b>DUCK</b> Bob's Bait & Tackle 1180-2 Duck Road Duck, NC 27949 (252) 261-8589 Bob Vaught, Owner	<b>RODANTHE</b> Hatteras Jack's 23902 NC Highway 12 Rodanthe, NC 27968 (252) 987-2428 Ryan White, Owner	<b>FRISCO Tackle</b> P.O. Box 276 Frisco, NC 27936 (252) 995-4361 Jack & Lovey Leatherwood, Owners
<b>KITTY HAWK</b> TW's Bait & Tackle P.O. Box 278 Kitty Hawk, NC 27949 (252) 261-7948 Terry & Robin Stewart, Owners	<b>SHORELINE Bait &amp; Tackle</b> Route 12 Rodanthe, NC 27968 (252) 987-1403 Ms. Cathy Satterfield, Owner	<b>HATTERAS</b> The Roost Tackle Shop at Teach's Lair P.O. Box 520 Hatteras, NC 27943 (252) 986-2460 Dave & Steve Hissey, Owners
<b>KILL DEVIL HILLS</b> Stop & Shop P.O. Box 2615 Kill Devil Hills, NC 27948 (252) 441-6105 Tom Beyers, Owner	<b>SALVO</b> The Fishin' Hole P.O. Box 25 Salvo, NC 27972 (252) 987-2351 Michael Jackson, Owner	<b>OCRACOKE</b> O'Neal's Dockside Tackle Shop P.O. Box 156 800 Irwin Garrish Highway Ocracoke, NC 27960 (252) 928-1111 Frank O'Neal, Owner
<b>Support your weigh stations with your business. They support us!</b>	<b>AVON</b> Frank & Fran's Fisherman Friend P.O. Box 448 Avon, NC 27915 (252) 995-4171 Frank Fobb, Owner	<b>Tradewinds Tackle Shop</b> P.O. Box 388 Ocracoke, NC 27960 (252) 928-5499 Alan and Melinda Sutton, Owners

Remember, the Weigh Station weighs the fish. You are responsible for seeing that the citation form is mailed to NCBBA.

## Merchandise Corner

by Laura Davis, Director #11003



FREE, yes, FREE!!!!!! Just in time for Christmas!!! For all internet orders, I have a FREE bottle huggie for any \$50.00 purchase and (2) FREE huggies for any \$100.00 purchase. Type in "FREE HUGGIE" in the Promotion Code box when ordering.

Our 2009 Collector's Edition short sleeve T-Shirts are quickly selling and there WILL NEVER be another order made for any 2009 Design items. SO GET YOURS QUICK!!

We have Mike Stokes (#13254) busy at Flying Fish Screen Printing, Inc. designing our 2010 Collector's Edition Design and NCBBA will be offering the new design in January. No more waiting until the Annual Meeting and Pig Pick! A sneak peek of the new design will be available in December on our website and orders can be made in January. Mike has been donating our Annual Design for several years now and I look forward to his "rough draft" that will be ready for our Directors to preview soon. Thanks again Mike! Your continued support of NCBBA is greatly appreciated!

If you wish to purchase items in person, we will have all merchandise set up at the 1st Annual NCBBA Red Drum Tournament in Oc-

tober. The booth will be set up on Wednesday, October 21st and again on Saturday, October 24th. For all of you that live "Up North", plan on visiting the NCBBA booth at the Greater Philadelphia Outdoor Sportshow, Oaks, PA, Feb. 25-28, 2010. We will also be at the AMSA Fishing show in March in Salisbury, MD.

The sale of these items is a big part of the funds we raise for NCBBA to support the causes we hold near and dear to our hearts. Please visit our website at [www.ncbba.org](http://www.ncbba.org) to place your order!

We not only have T-Shirts, sweatshirts and hats but sweatpants, ladies shorts, mock turtle-necks, bottle huggies and a new hat for our younger (or young at heart) crowd. We have also created an "Official" line of clothing. These shirts are modestly printed with our new NCBBA logo featuring the Hatteras Lighthouse.

We will not be reordering the 2009 45th Anniversary design T-Shirts. So once we run out, that's it. Be sure to get yours early!!!

I accept any comments or suggestions on our merchandising program. Please feel free to email me at [laura.davis@ncbba.org](mailto:laura.davis@ncbba.org).

### Issues Before the Board:

- > 1st Annual NCBBA Red Drum Tournament
- > Members Needed to Run for Board Positions in 2010 Election
- > USFW Critical Habitat Designation Lawsuit
- > Jr. Membership Program

## New Constitution Available

In May, at our annual meeting, we voted to make some changes in the Constitution. The new Constitutions have been printed and are available for any member that wants a copy. If you would like a copy, please send me your name, member number and address. I will send one out by return mail.

You may email me at [treasurer@ncbba.org](mailto:treasurer@ncbba.org) or send me a request at the NCBBA mailing address.

### ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY 2009 Highway and Beach Clean-up We NEED Your Help!

YES! Sign me up for the following clean-up!

**Nov. 14, 2009**  
OPERATION BEACH RESPECT

RAMP # \_\_\_\_\_  
Highway crew \_\_\_\_\_  
wherever needed \_\_\_\_\_

Ramp times:  Morning 7:30-9:30  Mid-morning 9:30-11:30

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_

NCBBA # \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

CHECK IF YOU ARE BRINGING A JUNIOR MEMBER

Mail to: Dave Goodwin, P.O. Box 358, Buxton, NC 27920  
Phone: (252) 996-0593 or e-mail: [dave.goodwin@ncbba.org](mailto:dave.goodwin@ncbba.org)



## OFFICIAL NCBBA MERCHANDISE ORDER BLANK

(ALLOW 3 TO 4 WEEKS FOR DELIVERY)

ITEM	QTY	COST EA.	TOTAL
NCBBA Embroidered Cap - Circle TAN or WHITE	_____	\$17.00	_____
NCBBA Embroidered Raw Edge Fitted Cap - NAVY	_____	\$20.00	_____
NCBBA Embroidered Visor (Navy w/white stitching)	_____	\$12.00	_____
NCBBA Patch (No Member #)	_____	\$ 3.00	_____
NCBBA Reel Covers - Nylon	_____	\$12.00	_____
NEOPRENE BOTTLE HUGGIE	_____	\$ 6.00	_____

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE SPECIAL ORDERED FROM AN OUTSIDE SUPPLIER AND MAY TAKE 6-8 WEEKS TO PROCESS

Limited sizes and quantities. Pricing may vary depending on size.

\$7.00 Additional Charge for Life or Member Number Embroidered on Apparel

JACKET - Cotton/polyester, navy shell with khaki lining and inside collar	_____	\$50.00	_____
NCBBA embroidered on left front	_____		_____
SHORT SLEEVE GOLF SHIRT - 100% Cotton knit	_____		_____
NCBBA embroidered on left front	_____	\$30.00	_____
Additional Charge for Embroidery	_____	\$ 7.00	_____

### 2009 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Limited Edition Collectors Apparel

(ORDER BLANK DOES NOT GUARANTEE COLOR OR SIZE IN STOCK)

T-SHIRTS ADD \$1.00 EACH FOR SIZE 2X

T-SHIRTS ADD \$2.00 EACH FOR SIZE 3X

SWEATSHIRT - ADD \$2.00 EACH FOR SIZE 2X

LADIES SHORT SLEEVE (NO POCKET) T-SHIRT	_____	\$17.00	_____
CANDY (PINK) - SPECIAL DESIGN (see website for picture)	_____		_____
S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____			
RED	_____		_____
L _____ XL _____ 2X _____			
MEN'S SHORT SLEEVE POCKET T-SHIRT	_____	\$17.00	_____
ASH (Light Gray)	_____		_____
M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2X _____ 3X _____			
LIGHT BLUE	_____		_____
M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2X _____ 3X _____			
LONG SLEEVE POCKET T-SHIRT - SPORT GRAY	_____	\$20.00	_____
L _____ XL _____ 2X _____ 3X _____			
HOODED PULLOVER SWEATSHIRT - ROYAL	_____	\$30.00	_____
M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2X _____			

### NEW "OFFICIAL" LOGO APPAREL

FEATURING THE HATTERAS LIGHTHOUSE

T-SHIRTS ADD \$1.00 FOR SIZE 2X

TURTLENECK ADD \$1.00 FOR SIZE 2X

TURTLENECK ADD \$2.00 FOR SIZE 3X

SHORT SLEEVE POCKET T-SHIRT (men's cut) - SAND (tan)	_____	\$17.00	_____
S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2X _____			
LONG SLEEVE POCKET T-SHIRT - NAVY	_____	\$20.00	_____
S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2X _____			
EMBROIDERED MOCK TURTLENECK - NAVY	_____	\$22.00	_____
M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2X _____ 3X _____			
LADIES CHEERLEADER SHORT - GRAY	_____	\$12.00	_____
S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____			
ELASTIC WAIST/OPEN LEG SWEATPANT - ROYAL	_____	\$22.00	_____
M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2X _____			

SHIPPING CHARGE PER ITEM \$ 5.00 \_\_\_\_\_  
TOTAL OF CHECK ENCLOSED \_\_\_\_\_

To inquire on limited supply items, call Laura Davis at  
(757) 871-2355 or  
email: [laura.davis@ncbba.org](mailto:laura.davis@ncbba.org)

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