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*Hello Nobles, & Ladies*

*What a way to bring in the New Year - a full house. Everyone had fun at the New Year's Eve Party; we even made the front page of the Daily Advance. I want to Thank everyone that helped make this a success.*

*The Oyster Roast tradition lives on, we had a good turn out. It's a lot of work. Again I want to Thank everyone that came out and helped make this event a success.*

*The Winter Ceremonial in New Bern was a great time by all. The club received a 2010 Merit Award for Service to Shrinedome. Congratulations again Illustrrious Sir Bruce Bulluck Potentate 2011 and his Lady Peggy.*

*The 1st Masonic District meeting will be at the Club on January 31, 2011 at 7pm. Hosted by Widow Son #75.*

*We will be having a ceremonial meeting at 7pm on February 7. We need everyone to get involved. Come out & see how you can help.*

*Our next event will be the Venison Feast on February 12, 2011 at 6pm. We will be cutting up venison on Friday, February 11 at 6:30pm.*

*Our next Board Meeting is February 14 at 7pm and next Regular Meeting will be February 18, social starts at 6pm and we will eat at 7pm. It will be catered meeting.*

*A Pancake & Sausage Breakfast - all u can eat- is scheduled for February 19 - \$5 - **This is not a ticketed event so if you would SPREAD THE WORD.** Also on February 19, we will be having a Cornhole Tournament starting at 1pm. \$20.00 per team. It's "almost" like Horseshoes, lets have some.*


*Don't forget February 23 is Spaghetti Dinner & Family Night at 7pm - \$5.00- all you can eat with salad. Come out & enjoy the fellowship.*

*Hope to see you soon.*

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*Hello Ladies and Friends*

Hope everyone has been staying warm on these cold days & night. We sure have had some.

The New Years party was a huge turn out. The dance floor was never empty, TAZ had everyone on the dance floor all night. Thanks to everyone that help out.

I would also like to Thank everyone that came out to help with the Oyster Roast. We had a good turn out. Everyone gave the oyster's & everything else a thumbs up.

I think everyone had a blast in New Bern for the Winter Ceremonial. I know I did. We gave \$5,000.00 to the Building Fund. Nice work Ladies. Lets keep it up.

The next event is the Venison Feast on February 12 at 6pm. Ladies don't forget to have your hors d'oeuvre's (lot's of them) at the Club by 4:30pm and also to help. So we can get things ready. Janie & Kem are going to make some cakes so we can auction them off. Thanks Ladies.

Our Board Meeting is February 14 at 6pm. eat at 7pm. Ladies don't forget your dessert. (Janie, Tracie, & Sheri)

The Club is having a pancake & sausage breakfast on February 19 at 6:30-10am - \$5.00 all you can eat; then the same day a cornhole tournament at 1pm.

Lets don't forget Spaghetti Night February 23 at 7pm - \$5.00 all you can eat with salad.

*God Bless and Take Care*

*Shirley Elliott*

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3	4	5
	DISTRICT MEETING @ 7:00 PM		GROUND HOG DAY			
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Ceremonial Meeting @ 7 pm			BUCCANEER'S MEETING Starting @ 7:00 pm		VENSION FEAST @ 6 PM
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	BOARD MEETING Starting @ 7:00 pm				REGULAR MEETING Starting @ 6:00 pm	PANCAKE & SAUSAGE BREAKFAST/ CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
			Spaghetti Dinner & Family Night 7 pm			
27	28					

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# BUCCANEERS REPORT

## AHOY MATES!

I would like to wish everyone a Happy New Year and I hope you got everything that you wanted for Christmas. Times are a little tight and its felt throughout Shrinedome. I know that taking trips and staying in motels can get expensive but there are ways of getting around spending a lot of money. We have to share rooms, car pool, split costs and or find a means to an end because our goals do not change. We had a great time at New Bern during the Winter Ceremonial but with a slack crew for the parade. We have to do better at getting more crew members on the ship for the parades. If you have to car pool just for the parade then that's what it takes to make a good showing then that's what we'll have to do. Its unacceptable that crew member stay home (without sickness or having to work) when they could be fulfilling their obligations and participating in these parade events. We have calenders of events to plan around your schedules so please take these dates to heart and do what you signed up to do.

There are no events in February but will start back up in March with the St. Patty's Day parades in Ocean View

and in Nags Head. I hope to see everyone at our next meeting on February 10th at 7 pm at our Chantilly Bay Hideaway. Remember to pay your dues and support your unit.

Till Then, Anchors Away and Full Steam Ahead.  
Your Captain,  
Burnette Forbes

### 2011 Dates

- 3/12 St. Patty's in Oceanview, VA
- 3/20 St. Patty's in Nags Head, NC
- 5/21 Spring Ceremonial in Rocky Mount, NC
- 6/25 Peach Festival in Knotts Island, NC
- 7/4 Independence Day in Ocracoke, NC
- 8/6 Watermelon Festival in Murfreesboro, NC
- 9/24 SASA in Pigeon Forge, TN
- 10/8 Scuppernon River Fest in Columbia, NC
- 11/5 Oyster Festival in Urbanna, VA
- 11/12 Oyster Bowl in Newport News, VA
- 11/19 Fall Ceremonial in Elizabeth City, NC
- 12/3 Christmas Parade in Hertford, NC
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- 12/10 Christmas Parade in Edenton, NC