

# The Scuttlebutt

November 2017

We are all enjoying the cooler weather and clear, crisp days. Time to gather with family and friends and give thanks. We are thankful for our boating family at Adventure Yacht Harbor, and hope you can come join us on November 11th. See you then!  
Charlie, Sheryl, Jeff, Steve & Stacy

## Red Snapper Season Opens

Red Snapper fishing will open in South Atlantic federal waters for a limited "mini season" starting this weekend due to the large increase in the size of the red snapper population since 2010. The recreational sector can keep one snapper per person, per day over the next two weekends (November 3, 4, 5, and Nov. 10, 11, 12). *Let's eat Snapper!*



Out for a little fall weather sail, Bill LaMachia on the Ebb Tide was spotted out enjoying the waterway. Looking good!

## Easy Tricks For Tidier Boats

*Some of the best ideas are cheap but will save you loads in the long run. Here are a few you can bank on.*

### Loosen Up Docklines

Do you have stiff anchor or dock lines? Add half a cup of fabric softener to two gallons of water and soak the lines overnight.



Let them dry away from the sun and they'll be as flexible as new!

### Unstick Boat Zippers

Lip balm is not just for your mouth, cooking spray is not just for your frying pan, and petroleum jelly is not just for your baby's behind. If your zippers are stuck or your canvas snaps difficult to snap, then try a little dab of any of the above. Graphite pencil, candle wax, and WD-40 are other possibilities for your jammed zippers.



### Removing Paint with Oven Cleaner

Unwanted paint splashes on fiberglass or metal surfaces and adhesive residue can be easily removed with Easy-Off oven cleaner. (Avoid using on unpainted surfaces.) For best results, spray it on, allow it to sit for a few minutes, then wipe off with a Mr. Clean Magic Eraser. It removes the wax from the boat, too, so be sure to reapply or you'll be left with a dull spot. Test with a small amount in an inconspicuous spot to be sure it won't damage the surface.



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Hurricane Season is OVER... Let's PARTY! Dust off your dancing shoes and boogie over to the Harbor Office for some DJ music, food, fun and get to know your boating neighbors. If you have guests for the weekend bring them along! This is for all boaters and their guests... a pre-Thanksgiving "Thanks-To-You" party!

*Please bring a favorite dish to share. Wine, beer, water, soft drinks and steamed shrimp will be provided.*

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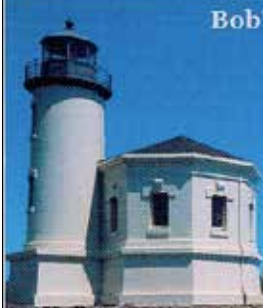
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