

## HOW TO REGISTER

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## MAY

**Sunday, May 9**

### ***Mother's Day Brunch Cruise***

11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

What better way to say 'You're Special' than a relaxing cruise and brunch. Adults \$25, children 12 and under \$18.

*Advance registration required by Wednesday, May 5.*

### ***Mother's Day Evening Cruise***

5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

A perfect ending to Mom's special day. Heavy hors d'oeuvres served. Adults \$25, children 12 and under \$18.

*Advance registration required by Wednesday, May 5.*

## JUNE

**Saturday, May 22**

### ***Summer Kick-Off Cruise***

11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Come celebrate the up coming summer with a cruise for kids. Eat pizza, get your face painted and enjoy balloon animals, all while enjoying the breeze of the Patuxent River. \$12 per person.

*Advance registration required by Wednesday, May 19.*

**Sunday, June 20**

### ***Father's Day Brunch Cruise***

11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Dad's love being out on the water-a perfect way to say 'You're the best!' Adults \$25, children 12 and under \$18.

*Advance registration required by Wednesday, June 16.*

**Sunday, June 20**

### ***Father's Day Evening Cruise***

5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

What dad wouldn't feel special with this treat? Heavy hors d'oeuvres served. Adults \$25, children 12 and under \$18.

*Advance registration by Wednesday, June 16.*

## JULY

**Sunday, July 4**

### ***Fireworks Cruise***

8:00 p.m. till .....

Come aboard for the best view in town and heavy hors d'oeuvres. Adults \$35 Sorry no children under 7.

*Advance registration required by Wednesday, June 30.*

**Friday, July 16**

### ***Sunset in the Tropics***

6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Experience "Sunset in the Tropics". Listen to festive music and enjoy tropical cuisine. Parrot Heads are welcome. Adults \$30.

*Advance registration required by Tuesday, July 13.*

## AUGUST

**Saturday, August 15**

### ***Sunset Cruise***

6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Escape the heat and revel in the beautiful sunset over the Patuxent River. Delectable hors d'oeuvres served. Adults \$30.

*Advance registration required by Wednesday, Aug. 11.*



***Cancellations must be received no later than 5 business days before cruise for a refund. Refunds will be charged \$5 each space.***

## SEPTEMBER

**Sunday, September 12**

### ***Annual Dinner Cruise***

5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Crab cakes on the water - a venerable Southern Maryland tradition! Adults \$30.

*Advance registration required by Thursday, Sept. 9.*

**Saturday, September 18**

### ***Back to School Cruise***

11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Eat pizza, get your face painted, and enjoy balloon animals. \$12 per person.

*Advance registration required by Wednesday, Sept. 15.*

**Saturday, September 25**

### ***Picnic Cruise***

5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Bring a picnic basket along and enjoy a cruise on the Patuxent River. Adults \$15, children 12 and under \$10.

*Advance registration required by Friday, Sept. 24.*

## OCTOBER

**Saturday, October 31**

### ***9th Annual Monster Mash Cruise and Costume Contest***

4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

This cruise is for the little goblins and their families. Adults \$7, children 5-12 \$6, children 4 and under \$4.

*Advance registration required by Wednesday, Oct. 27.*

# A Brief History of the *Wm. B. Tennison*

The bugeye *Wm. B. Tennison* is a Chesapeake Bay oyster dredge boat built in 1899 at Crabb Island, Maryland, for B.P. and R. L. Miles.

Her hull is “chunk-built”- that is, made of nine logs instead of the frame-and-plank type of construction used more frequently for bugeyes built in the late nineteenth century. Initially powered by sail, the *Tennison* engaged in the coasting trade as well as the oyster industry. In 1906-07 her sail rig was removed, she was converted to power, and a new and larger cabin was added aft. She became an oyster buyboat, purchasing oysters from work boats at the oyster beds and taking them to oyster-packing houses.

In 1978 the Calvert Marine Museum purchased the *Tennison* from J.C. Lore and Sons, Inc., and in 1979 she passed the first of her yearly inspections, earning approval to carry 47 passengers. The *Tennison* is the only Coast Guard-licensed, log hulled vessel in the United States.

The *Tennison's* long survival is a tribute to her builders and former owners, including Alton Kersey of Solomons.

## IMPORTANT CRUISE INFORMATION

*There are no rain dates.*

*In case of inclement weather food will still be provided at the museum and a refund will be given on the cruise only.*

***Wm. B. Tennison Cruises***  
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- *Historic Chesapeake Bay Bugeye*
- *Designated as a National Historic Landmark*
- *Listed on the National Register of Historic Places*

**W<sup>M</sup>.B. TENNISON**

## 2010 *Special Cruises Schedule*



Special cruises are in addition to the Wednesday through Sunday daily cruises.

