



# Emerald Coast Parrot Head Club January Newsletter

## Meet your 2007 Board of Directors

Following are the names and e-mails of the 2007 Board Members (photos are on the website). The Board Members are there for the members; feel free to contact them by their e-mail or at any of the Parrot Head functions.

President	Vice President	Secretary	Treasurer	Member at Large	Member at Large	Member at Large
Diane Rutledge	Rodney Whiddon	Cindy Cook	Tommy Gill	Russ Gray	Jeannie Greene	Josie Judson
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**Next Membership Meeting – Fudpucker’s in Destin – Friday, February 9<sup>th</sup>.**

## MARDI GRAS PARADES

### Mardi Gras on the Island Parade - Saturday, 2/3/07

The Emerald Coast Parrot Head Club is looking for walkers for the Mardi Gras on the Island Parade Saturday, February 3, 2007 - Parade starts at 12 Noon

No one is allowed to drink alcohol while walking or riding. Anyone violating will be pulled from the parade route.

Line up numbers and map will be printed in the Northwest Florida Daily News on Friday, February 2nd and also posted at [www.FWBchamber.org](http://www.FWBchamber.org) We will meet at Helen Backs after the Parade.

### Navarre Mardi Gras Parade - Saturday, 2/17/07

Parade begins at 1PM. Alcohol is allowed for walkers; no one is allowed to drink alcohol riding in a vehicle or on the float. Violators will be prosecuted. We will meet at Cocodries after the Parade.

Parade Rules can be found on website. More information will follow on time & place to meet for each parade.

### We need your help to build the Mardi Gras Float!

We need Parrot Heads to help build the float. Rodney Whiddon is holding a float-building meeting on Saturday, January 13th at 1PM at his home in Navarre. If you are interested in building the float, call Rodney at 850-217-9837.

Also, if you have a small generator that can be used on the float that the club can borrow or you would like to donate to the club, please give Rodney a call. **Let's make our float the winning float for both parades!**

### Chili Cook Off at Santa Rosa Mall

Competing teams enter their best chili recipes to win trophies and cash prizes at Santa Rosa Mall in Mary Esther. Our club has entered a team - Parrot Heads Chili in Paradise Crew. Tommy Gill, who was our 2nd place winner in last year's Relay for Life Chili Cook Off, is cooking the winning recipe for our club.

Spectators can buy samples at each booth and vote for their favorites. We want as many Parrot Heads to show up to help support our club and sample the chili. Proceeds benefit United Way of Okaloosa-Walton Counties.

More information to be provided soon.

## Upcoming Phlockings:

**January  
February  
March**

**Anglers Restaurant  
Sports Book Bar and Grill  
Old Florida Fish House \***

\* joint Phlocking with Panama City Parrot Head Club

**Friday, January 26<sup>th</sup>  
Friday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>.  
Friday, March 30<sup>th</sup>**

## January Birthdays (and February Birthdays thru next meeting)

If your birthday is not listed and you want it listed in the future, e-mail [Wolfcry97@aol.com](mailto:Wolfcry97@aol.com)

Tina	Stamper	January 1	Cathy	Nordwall	January 18
Frank	Moyer	January 1	Rick	Hausen	January 19
Bob	Blair	January 3	William	Messner	January 20
Pat	McKay	January 3	Gary	Sims	January 21
John	Henley	January 6	Corlee	Fink	January 23
Pat	Madden	January 6	Herb	Koger	January 23
Edna	Jennings	January 7	John	Rotruck	January 25
Ted	Perkins	January 7	Diane	Crowell	January 26
Kelly	Klein	January 7	Mia	Lawson	January 27
Dan	Wagaman	January 8	Reade	Jolliff	January 27
Daniel	Parker	January 9	Kenton	Colia	January 28
Steven	Parker	January 9	Mary	Kenyon	January 30
Dan	Bricker	January 10	Dwight	Fohner	January 31
Amy	Shelton	January 10	Jan	Adams	January 31
Mike	Fink	January 10	Lisa	Winn	February 1
Ken	Dement	January 12	Allan	Stearns	February 1
Cherie	Mulhearn	January 12	Chuck	Howard	February 4
Andy	Holdnak	January 13	Mike	Reynolds	February 4
Scooter	Fenton	January 15	Eric	Small	February 5
Debbie	Marrs	January 16	Bill	Murphy	February 6
Margo	Norton	January 16			

## MEMBERSHIP DUES are now due for Year 2007

Let's all put it together and bring at least 1 new member to a meeting this year. Because of great members like you, our club is currently the 3rd largest club in the world.

The sooner you renew, the easier it is for those volunteers that track the membership to plan for a great year – SO RENEW NOW and don't miss out on all we have to offer! Renewal is \$20 per person per year (April 1<sup>st</sup> – March 31<sup>st</sup>).

You can pay at any meeting, PHlocking, bring it by Copy Systems inside Wal-Mart, or mail it to our mail box: ECPHC, P.O. Box 5052, Destin, FL 32540 **RENEW NOW!**

## MERCHANDISE

Jack and Belinda Jones head up the merchandise committee. Each month they will have various items for sale at the meetings. Tee shirts come in short sleeve, long sleeve, & tank tops and in various colors and sizes (see website for details). Also available to purchase are Parrot hats, visors, caps, bumper stickers, beaded and regular huggies, flashing parrot's, extra batteries, boat flags etc.

To be sure your size/color is at the meeting, please pre order by e-mail to [bmjones777@yahoo.com](mailto:bmjones777@yahoo.com) (include Parrot Head merchandise in the subject).