

CRUISING CLUB NOTES

Clubs around the Bay are enjoying raftups, racing, socials, and cruising. Share your club's news here by emailing 300 words and a photo of smiling faces or pretty boats to beth@proptalk.com.

Sharing the Joy of the Boating Lifestyle

When we caught up with Mike Krissoff, he had just pulled into the docks at **Eastport Yacht Club (EYC)** with a group of STEM students participating in the EYC Foundation STEM program. Volunteering his time and his boat, *Full Moon*, to help teach kids is just one of the many ways Krissoff gives back to the local boating community. This longtime EYC and Annapolis Yacht Club (AYC) volunteer is a past commodore at EYC and was one of its early members who worked toward construction of the first building. At AYC Krissoff was heavily involved in junior sailing and the launch of the AYC Foundation.

During the past three decades or so, Krissoff, who was once a serious sailboat racer, and *Full Moon*, his 46-foot Chesapeake Bay deadrise (in which he had a hand designing and constructing) have crisscrossed the Bay, hauling family and friends to waterfront events. From youth sailboat regattas to log canoe races, and from cycling on the Eastern Shore to kayaking quiet tributaries, Krissoff loads his boat's big, open cockpit with adults, kids, dinghies, SUPs, kayaks, fishing rods, and bicycles, then sets off for fun.

With all this great entertainment experience, when it came time for Krissoff to retire recently (after more than 40 years of association management), friends suggested he take his boating experience and turn it into a small business. Thus, Cap'n Mike's Full Moon Adventures was born.

If you'd like a water-based excursion that's not a fishing charter, Cap'n Mike and *Full Moon* just may be your ticket to exploring the Bay. With a license for six passengers, Krissoff will take your crew

to a custom adventure: view log canoe races or weeknight sailboat racing, go paddling, or host a bachelorette party. Trips to Cambridge, St. Michaels, or Chestertown are just a few of the tours Krissoff envisions. And if you're coming

from out of town, overnight land accommodations are available. Guests may stay at his recently redone colonial home, just minutes from the boat. Sound like fun? Learn more at capnmikesfullmoonadventures.com.



Full Moon, a 46-foot Chesapeake Bay deadrise, has a big open cockpit for guest, bikes, kayaks, and more.