

CAPTAIN
AVERY
MUSEUM

...heard on the wind...



LOTS OF FESTIVAL-GOERS!

EASTMAN STRING BAND



KICKING BACK
ON THE PORCH

REPORT FROM THE SHORE OF THE WEST RIVER We had a Fabulous Oyster Festival - Thanks to Y'all!

Dear Readers,

Captain Avery Museum held its 24th annual Oyster Festival on the shores of the West River on October 16. It was a memorable day! After having to cancel last year due to covid, those of us at the Captain's were thrilled with the turn-out this year!

Over 850 people enjoyed fried oysters, steamed oysters, stewed oysters, raw oysters, hamburgers, and hotdogs from our friends at the Anne Arundel Waterman's Association, Skippers Pier and Chesapeake Grille. For dessert, folks enjoyed a selection of yummy Bake Sale goods from the Captain's culinary volunteers!

The music and storytelling of the Oyster Boys started us off with their unique brand of entertainment. Next came the incredible sounds of the Eastman String Band, with the clear tones of singers Savannah and Tim Finch. In our boathouse, Hat Trix kept the 60's and 70's alive with their renderings of classic rock tunes.

Threats of bad weather didn't dampen our Oyster Festival goers. Our thanks go to our musicians, restaurants, Rob Howes and the Anne Arundel watermen and shuckers, Forward Brewing, Chesapeake Bay Roasters, George's Mixes, Artist Kate FitzGerald, Project Oyster West River, and the Community Alliance of South County.

To all our sponsors, grantors, and especially our Board of Directors and all our wonderful volunteers – thank you for a fabulous Oyster Festival!



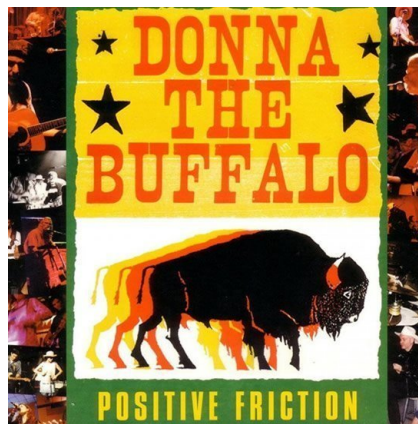
AND, IN RAFFLE NEWS...

We had a winner! A long-time member and volunteer, Gary H. from Alexandria won our big prize of \$5,000!

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