

December 2013

## Winter Wonderland Open House

**OH What Fun!**

Sunday, December 8th from 2:00-4:00pm

Lets laugh & sing, and have fun with **Santa** today!



Gather up the family and jingle all the way to the club today. Create Christmas Tree Pops. Make your self some Elf Kisses. Play Project Snowman too!

Mix and a mingle while DJ Eric plays some Christmas tunes. We'll have lots of goodies to fill your belly too.

If you haven't done so already, please bring a family ornament to hang on the Club's Christmas tree.

Don't forget to bring your cameras for photos with Santa, he'll have a gift for all good little boys & girls.

Best of all, Santa says there's no fee to attend this party! Please give us a ring ting ting by Friday, December 6th if you will be attending.

be **MERRY** be **BRIGHT**

**KiDZ ZoNe**

Saturday, December 7th from 7-10pm

Let's be festive tonight!

We'll be busy, busy, busy making edible Santa Smiley Faces, Snowman Cups & Fruit Loop Candy Canes. Get ready to play Santa Says, Trim The Tree & Christmas Bingo. We'll have a pizza dinner with veggies too. Cost: \$14 per child, \$10 each additional child from same family or if parents are attending Cheers. Please RSVP by Friday, December 6th.



**CHEERS**

**EAT  
DRINK**

**& Be Merry!**

Saturday, December 7th at 7pm

Let's raise a glass tonight as Bon Vivant will be here with special guest Hank Foiles presenting some whites & reds for us to celebrate the joy and excitement of the holiday season. These wines will compliment all your holiday needs, whether to enjoy with festive dinners or to give as holiday gifts.

The festivities continues as we ask you to bring your favorite holiday appetizer or dessert to share. One lucky person will even receive an early Christmas gift for the best **dish**. **Cost: \$16 per person**.

Please RSVP by December 5th.



**MAD DASH Kidz Zone**

Friday, December 20th from 6-10pm

**North Pole Party**

Mom & Dad - Do you still need to rush around & get some more shopping done? Head out to dinner with friends? Maybe even stay in & relax! No matter what you're up to, we'll keep the kids entertained for 4 hours tonight with dinner, games, and Ho Ho Holiday fun! North Pole Cupcakes, Edible Reindeer Faces, Snow Dough Craft, Candy Cane Relay are just some of the things we'll be up to! Cost: \$14 per child, \$10 each additional child from same family. Please RSVP by Thursday December 19th.

## Celebrate The Season Holiday Decorating Contest



Set your sights on Christmas lights! Join in the holiday spirit by trimming your yard and house with lights and holiday décor. The Riverfront Swim Club invites all Riverfront residents to participate in our annual house decorating contest. You're the judges so be sure to vote by December 22nd. Pick your ballots up from the swim club at any time or email your votes to swimclub@charter.net. Gift certificates to the winning homes. Categories being judged are:

### **Classic Elegance**

Classic & charming white lights that sparkle and glisten throughout the starry night.

### **Grand Entry**

Spruce up the front door to your home with garland, greenery & decorative lights.

### **Whimsical Winter**

Create a brightly colored wonderland with inflatables, animals, lights & delights for children of all ages.

## Christmas Stocking Coloring Contest

Decorate the stocking coloring page with pom poms, doo dads, glitter & paints to create the best piece of art you can. Enter it in the clubs art contest. One stocking has been left empty and that's for you to add what you would like to see in your stocking this Christmas.

### BEST ARTWORK GETS A PRESENT TOO!



There will be a first place prizes for each age group; 5 & under, 6-8, and 9-13. Coloring pages are available on our website and at the club. All entries are due by Friday, Dec. 20th. Entries may be turned in to the Swim Club at any time. Entries will be hung by age group on the swim club windows. Vote for your favorites via email or drop your ballot off at the swim club. All votes must be turned in to the Swim Club by 2pm on Sunday, Dec. 22nd. Winners will be announced on Monday, December 23rd.

## Get Active Riverfront

Volleyball, Tennis, Kayaking, Archery...  
What interests you!!!!



Contact the club today to let us know you're interested. Once we have enough interest for each group we will schedule a meeting to get the "ball" rolling!

### Yoga with Suzanne

Classes meet Monday evenings from 6:30 - 7:45 p.m. All levels of experience welcome. Six Class Pass: \$72, Drop-In Class \$15. Contact Suzanne at 638-3000 or gillespiethompson@yahoo.com.



### Boot Camp with Sandy "New Session Underway"

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays at 7:35am. Join her fitness program too "Commit to Get Fit." Contact Sandy at 581-7773.

### Walking Sticks For Wounded Warriors

Members Heather & Bill create hand made walking sticks for wounded warriors and would like your help & participation. Any skill level is welcome, all wood, sandpaper & tools provided. It is the individuality of these sticks that mean so much to the soldiers. Please contact the club if you are interested all you need to do is bring your time.

### Ideas Anyone???

Have an idea for a new activity, just let us know.

## Holiday Parties & Gatherings

Hold your holiday party at the club. We're offering a \$50 discount off our normal rental rates for events held between November - January 2014. Call today to reserve your date!  
Excludes meeting rates and children's parties.

## Save the Date for Mardi Gras!

Relay for Life Team Riverfront will host their annual fundraiser on Friday, February 28th at the newly renovated Portsmouth Women's Center. It's a Mardi Gras party like no other! Details to follow. Tickets will go on sale right after the New Year. If interested in volunteering please contact Liz at 757-625-3455.



### LIKE us on Facebook!!!

<https://www.facebook.com/TheRiverfrontSwimClub>

### Harbourview HOA Holly-Days Celebration

Sunday December 15th  
from 3-5:30pm at Bill Jesse Park  
Holiday music, face painting, Santa arrives at 4pm, cookies, hot chocolate & cider. Please bring a new, unwrapped toy to donate. From the Hearth artisanal pizza will be here selling wood-fired pizzas.  
For more information, contact the HOA at 484-0706.

### Community Update

- This month's HOA Meeting is on December 10th at 6:30pm at The Riverfront Swim Club.
- Volleyball & Tennis Courts are open to all community members. Please be courteous to those waiting and limit play to 1-hour.
- Canoe Keys & Pier Gate Code are available at the HOA office.
- Report damaged street signs & broken street lamps to the HOA.
- Report a pothole or other road issues to Suffolk Public Works Roadway Maintenance Division at (757) 514-7600 or visit the City of Suffolk website, [www.suffolkva.us](http://www.suffolkva.us), click on "Report Roadway Issues" button on the home page.  
HOA contact: 484-4745 x 422 or [www.harbourviewhoa.com](http://www.harbourviewhoa.com)

### Save These Dates

December 14th  
Reindeer Run at  
Founders Pointe

January 1st  
Polar Plunge

### New Activities

Walking Sticks  
For Wounded Warriors

### Mahjong

Are you ready to try your hand at this game?

## Member Social Clubs

There's definitely a club for you!  
New participants are always welcome!  
Have an idea for a new club, let us know!



All Riverfront Swim Club members are invited to take part in the social clubs listed. Our members mentioned here volunteer their time & energy to head up these clubs. If you would like to help out, please contact the club representative or the Swim Club.

**Bunco** December 11th at 7:00pm  
Come roll the dice and see if you can get a "duck."  
Contact Debby 942-2488 for more information.

**Chik Lit** December 12th at 7:30pm  
It's lite reading for this group that meets every other month. Our December read is "Christmas Bliss" by Mary Kay Andrews. Please RSVP to the club.

**Little Tots Play Group** December 18th from 10am - noon  
Children and parents or sitters let's get together at the club to decorate some sugar cookies. Please let us know if you'll be attending.

**Prime Timers** Date to be announced.  
If interested in participating in this fun group please contact Linda at 483-5309.

**Book Exchange**  
We're swapping out books at the club. Bring one, take a bunch!

RSVP is requested for most events. This allows the staff to plan accordingly and provide the best service possible to all the attendees. Unless otherwise noted, all events are for members and their guests. Children attending an event without an adult must be potty trained. All events will be held indoors in case of inclement weather. For more information, or to register for an event, call the Swim Club at 483-3906. or email [swimclub@charter.net](mailto:swimclub@charter.net). Visit us at [www.riverfrontswimclub.com](http://www.riverfrontswimclub.com)