2016 Director's Weekend August 5-7, 2016

The 2016 Director's Weekend offers a series of special events for the federation's Coastal Society members and supporters. This year, we offer several unique opportunities to experience our coast with a true native: federation founder and Director Todd Miller. Join us for any one of the following events or make a weekend of it and join us for all the events! However much time you have to spend with us, we feel sure you'll enjoy this special opportunity to see a beautiful part of our coast in a relaxed and casual atmosphere.

Please RSVP for all events to Sarah King, 919-210-2617 or sarahk@nccoast.org.

Friday, August 5th

Dockside cocktail party aboard the Cherokee

Morehead City

5:00-8:00pm Join federation Director Todd Miller and staff for a dockside cocktail party on the Cherokee, a gorgeous 65-foot luxury yacht meticulously restored by Tom Darden of the Cherokee Fund in Raleigh. The Cherokee is equipped with every contemporary luxury, including air-conditioned designer staterooms, indoor and outdoor dining and multiple decks to take in the gorgeous views. Enjoy cocktails and hors d'oeuvres in a casual setting.



Saturday, August 6th

Pelican Awards and Boathouse Boil

The Boathouse at Front Street Village, 2400 Lennoxville Rd, Beaufort.

- 5:00-6:00pm Celebrate our beautiful coast at the Pelican Awards, the federation's annual event honoring the year's most outstanding contributions to the coast. This event highlights the heartwarming and inspiring stories of the year's best projects and actions in a fun social setting.
- 6:00-9:00pm Following the awards, the Boathouse Boil and Silent Auction will kick off at 6 p.m. This casual evening of entertainment will take place on Saturday, Aug. 6, at the Boathouse at Front Street Village in Beaufort. Enjoy a low country boil while taking in the gorgeous view over Carrot Island and Taylor's Creek. A silent auction of exciting coastal gifts, getaways and more will accompany the outdoor music and festivities.

Contact Sarah for more information or visit the <u>online event page</u>.



Sunday, August 7th

Sunday Luncheon

Front Street Grill at Stlllwater, 300 Front Street, Beaufort, NC.

11:30-1:00pm Enjoy lunch with Todd and staff at the Front Street Grill at Stlllwater, a local favorite with great food and coastal ambiance. Hear from Todd about our top priorities and new projects on the horizon, and discuss issues important to you in an intimate and casual setting.



Sunday Boat Tour

Beaufort and Cape Lookout area, weather permitting.

1:00-4:30pm Join us for a leisurely Sunday afternoon tour of Carrot Island, Shackleford Banks, and Cape Lookout on federation skiffs with Todd Miller and staff. Our route will vary depending on the weather, but will include opportunities to see federation restoration projects, as well as natural marshes, wild ponies, and the Cape Lookout Lighthouse. Drinks and snacks will be provided. Comfortable clothing, sunscreen, and other personal items are recommended. The tour will depart from the Front Street Grill, 300 Front Street, Beaufort. Space is limited.



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