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The mission of the James River Association is to be guardian of the James River. We provide a voice for the river and take action to promote conservation and responsible stewardship of its natural resources.

SCHEDULE FOR THE DAY

- 4:00** **A TASTE OF THE JAMES BEGINS, SILENT AUCTION OPENS**
- 5:30** **SILENT AUCTION CLOSES**
- 5:30** **WELCOME AND LIVE AUCTION COMMENCES (HEADS AND TAILS)**
- 6:30** **TREASURY OPENS TO RECEIVE PAYMENT FOR ALL AUCTION ITEMS**
- 7:00** **A TASTE OF THE JAMES ENDS**

Thank you for attending the James River Association's *A Taste of the James* Event, presented by Old Point National Bank, in partnership with the Kingsmill Yacht Club and the Two Rivers Yacht Club. We are very grateful for your support of the James River Association and our work to Protect America's Founding River. We hope that you enjoy yourselves and have a wonderful day!

Cover photo courtesy of Bob Oller of Oller Studios (boboller.com), a Virginia Artist, has graciously allowed the James River Association to use this painting to celebrate their important work to protect America's Founding River.

TERMS OF AUCTION ITEMS

To bid on a live auction item, please raise your bid number. The auctioneer will verify and announce the successful, highest bidder. The Silent Auction will close at 5:30 p.m. *Payment:* We accept cash, check, Visa and MasterCard. Please pick up your items upon payment. *Terms:* All sales are final and “as is.” All certificates and packages must be redeemed by March 30, 2020, unless otherwise noted. Absolutely no refunds will be made. If transportation is included in a trip package, it will be clearly stated. Travel packages are not transferable except by permission of the donor. If an availability date is listed, it is final and cannot be changed. All other trip and package dates are subject to donor approval, and will be arranged at the mutual consent of the donor and bidder. The charitable deduction for the purchase of items in the auction is limited to the amount by which your payment exceeds the fair market value of the item. In rare cases, auction items listed are subject to change without notice due to unforeseen circumstances. Thank you so much for your support of the James River Association.

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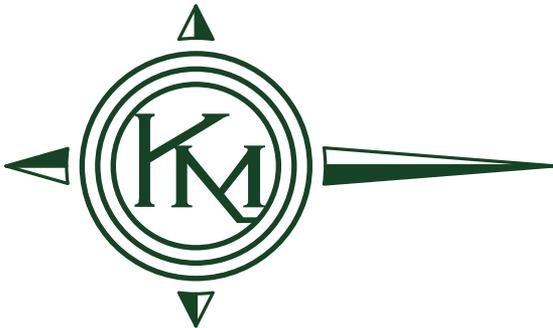
George Gilfillan

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HEADS AND TAILS

To kick-off our live auction, we will once again begin with a Heads and Tails Contest. You will definitely want to participate this year as the lucky winner will receive an Apple iPad Mini.



POQUOSON MARLIN FISHING TRIP FOR 2

Flex those muscles and get your rod and reel ready as Bill Street, JRA's CEO, invites the winner of this adrenaline-inducing package to a day of excitement, going after one of the most remarkable fighting fish in the Chesapeake Bay. Poquoson Marlin (a.k.a. hound fish) are the largest needle fish in the world and are one of the best kept secrets in Chesapeake game fishing. Their local name comes from their frequent jumps and tail dances when they are hooked. Once packs of hound fish are found, there can be non-stop action sight casting in the shallows with light spinning rigs or fly rods. Limit—2 anglers. Trip Valid – late May through the end of June when the hound fish are running.

Donated by Bill Street

STURGEON WATCHING TRIP!

Keep your eyes peeled on this exciting adventure to track and find the legendary and mysterious sturgeon that plie the James River! Join Jamie Brunkow, JRA's James RIVERKEEPER, aboard the James RIVERKEEPER skiff as he uses sturgeon tracking sonar to locate the "Fish that Saved Jamestown." During the trip, Jamie will share the history and lore of sturgeon on the James as well as the current science and restoration efforts to bring this remarkable fish back to prominence on the river. Trip best taken from August 1 – October 1 (best chance of seeing/hearing sturgeon). Don't miss your chance to win this package as a sounding sturgeon is a sight to be seen! Dates and times subject to mutual consent of the donor and the bidder. Drinks and snacks will be included.

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BIRD WATCHING AND PADDLING TRIP FOR 10

You and 9 of your friends won't want to miss this bird watching and paddling trip which will leave from the new Turkey Island Creek access point and paddle up one of the tidal creeks on Presquile. James Abbott, JRA Environmental Educator and avid bird watcher, will be your

guide, along with our CEO, Bill Street. Trip best taken in May or early June during migration or in the fall for shorebirds. Date and time subject to the mutual consent of the donor and the bidder.

Donated by The James River Association

CRUISE FOR 6 ON ALLAN FINGER'S BOAT

See the James River on a new 36-foot Beneteau Trawler. This package is for you and 5 of your friends or out-of-town guests and includes brunch or sunset cocktails. Available for booking after May 1st, 2019. Date and time subject to mutual agreement between the donor and the bidder.



Donated by Allan and Debbie Finger

TOAST WITH YOUR FRIENDS IN HISTORIC WILLIAMSBURG



Dog Street Pub is honored to host 6 guests for a beer pairing dinner featuring craft beer and gastropub fare. This guided dinner will focus on the pairing techniques of compare, compliment and cut featuring seasonal brews and exciting styles that complement and enhance each course. *Then...*

The Trellis Bar & Grill is excited to host 6 guests as they become students at a Craft Cocktail Class at our bar. You will get an in-depth look at classic cocktail proportions, ingredients you should have in your home bar, liquors that are indispensable for mixing great drinks and most importantly when to shake and when to stir! All, naturally, accompanied with classic cocktail sampling as you go through the learning process. *Then...*



Blue Talon Bistro

Blue Talon Bistro offers a Champagne Brunch for 6: Settle in on a Sunday morning with a round of Mimosas and homemade pastries, order the Brunch entrée of your choice and enjoy it with Perrier Jouet Champagne for the table. Don't forget to save room for dessert, served with award winning sparkling Rose! Dates and times subject to mutual consent between the donors and bidder.

Donated by Dog Street Pub, The Trellis and Blue Talon Bistro



WINE AND OYSTERS: A MATCH MADE IN HEAVEN

A fantastic opportunity to learn more about the oysters we love to eat and the wine we love to drink. Up to 16 individuals will enjoy a feast of a variety of oysters from the Chesapeake Region and the East Coast as well as a wine tasting. This event will be held at Kaye and John Vickerman's beautiful home in Governor's

Land or you can choose your own location within 30 miles of Williamsburg. Date and time subject to mutual consent of the donor and the bidder. JRA's very own CEO, Bill Street and James RIVERKEEPER, Jamie Brunkow will be on hand to serve the wine and oysters.

Donated by The James River Association and Kaye and John Vickerman

BEAUTIFUL AMETHYST NECKLACE

You'll definitely want to bid on this beautiful 17" Amethyst Bead Strand with a sterling silver magnetic clasp. This necklace would be a great gift for that special someone in your life.

Donated by the Precious Gem



TWO NIGHT STAY AT THE TIDE'S INN

You and your spouse or guest will absolutely love this 2-night mid week stay in a deluxe waterfront room at the Tides Inn Resort in Irvington. Breakfast will be provided daily, and this package

also includes taxes and fees (does not include gratuity). Date subject to availability and stay must take place before December 31st, 2019. The Tides Inn Resort is located on a private peninsula, surrounded by the splendor of the Chesapeake Bay, and is a timeless Virginia resort with sweeping waterfront views, lush native landscaping and a full-service marina.

Donated by Tides Inn Resort

BOB OLLER PAINTING

This painting will be beautiful in your home or office. Make sure to bid on this beautiful 40" x 20" vector painting "Dusty Sunset Along the James" by Artist Bob Oller. Signed giclee limited edition 2/50. Value \$1,100 .

Donated by Bob Oller - boboller.com.



SCOTCH TASTING FOR 6

Join five of your friends for an evening of single malt Scotch tasting and light noshing. Tom Cardwell will entertain you with fun facts about Scotch as you taste from his collection. Tom has promised to share many of his unique single malts for this special event. An evening for six will be a night to remember.

Donated by Tom Cardwell

COCKTAILS ON THE JAMES

If you're in the mood for a one of a kind experience while getting to know the James River and 20 of your closest friends in a more intimate setting, then this is the auction item for you. Prepare to set sail from Jordan Point Yacht Haven on the James River Association's 40-foot pontoon boat, The Spirit of the James, and enjoy cocktails and hors d'oeuvres while aboard.

Donated by The James River Association



FRESHWATER PEARLS

Surprise your loved one with this beautiful 31" white freshwater pearl necklace. This necklace has an adjustable gold plated clasp over sterling silver. This is a beautiful accessory for any outfit.

Donated by the Precious Gem



PADDLE AT CHICKAHOMINY RIVERFRONT PARK WITH OUR JRA EDUCATORS

Experience a fun day at Chickahominy Riverfront Park paddling this beautiful river. View wildlife and discuss water quality with two of our JRA educators. Beverages and lunch included for 14. Mutual date based on availability.

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3 NIGHT STAY IN A 2 BEDROOM ACCOMMODATION, GOLF OPTION AND DINNER



Bid on this 3 night stay in a 2 bedroom “home away from home” getaway at King’s Creek Plantation. Each residence features décor and details expected in deluxe indoor living with multiple decks for optimal outdoor enjoyment. This stay also includes golf at Williamsburg National Golf Course for \$25 per person per round. Reservations based on availability and excludes all holidays. Winning bidder will also receive a \$50 gift card to Waypoint Seafood and Grill.

Donated by King’s Creek Plantation and Waypoint Seafood and Grill

HONOR THE FUTURE OF THE JAMES

During the live auction, we auction off opportunities to support funding the Future of the James River that will support our efforts to provide a cleaner and healthier James River for current and future generations. Your donation will help to support our programs which include education programs for middle school and high school students in the Tidewater area, river restoration projects, advocating on behalf of the James River, our Riverkeeper Program and more. Please help by making a special gift today, or by emailing Sherrie Tribble at stribble@jrava.org, or by calling her at 804-788-8811 ext. 202.

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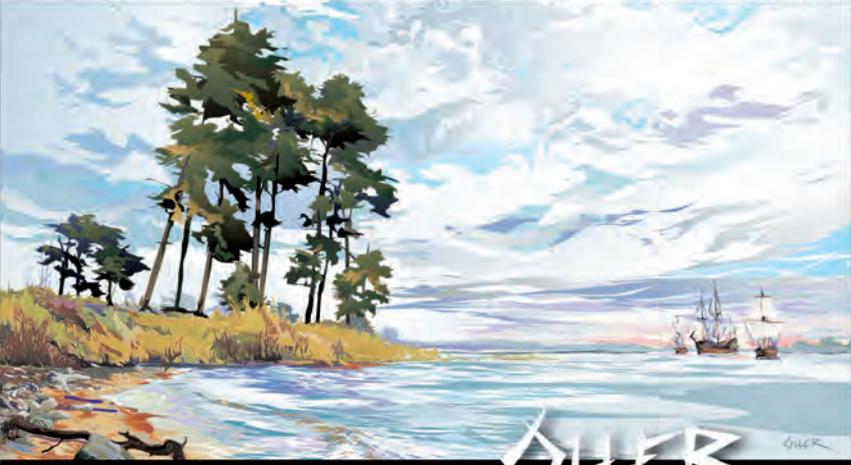
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ABOUT THE JAMES RIVER ASSOCIATION

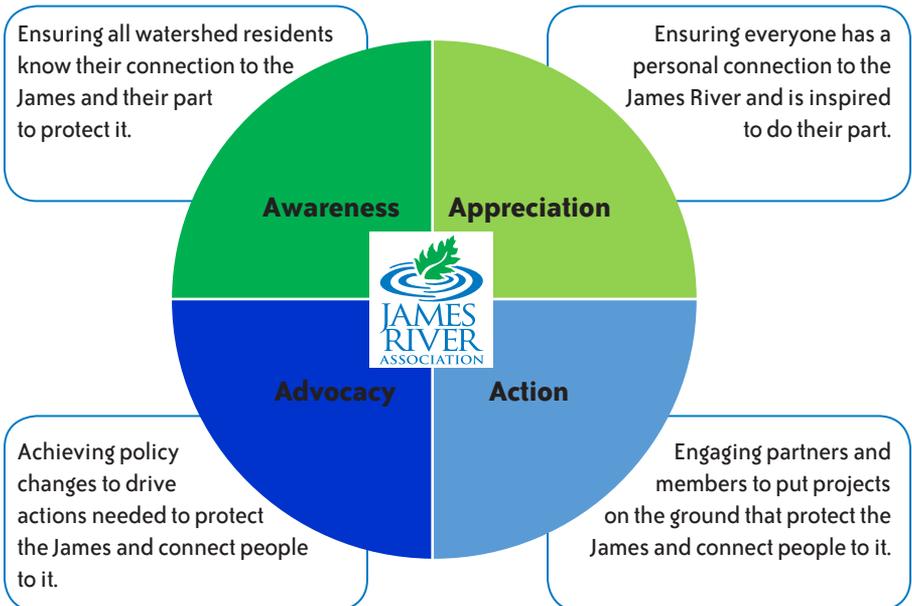
Mission – The mission of the James River Association is to be the guardian of the James River. We provide a voice for the river and take action to promote conservation and responsible stewardship of its natural resources.

Vision – The vision of the James River Association is a fully healthy James River supporting thriving communities.

We Protect – JRA monitors the river, responds to problems, seeks changes, and implements on-the-ground projects to restore the river’s health. We protect through our Watershed Restoration, James Riverkeeper, and River Advocacy programs.

We Connect – JRA helps communities benefit from the river by increasing river access, supporting river-related events, and implementing volunteer projects. We connect through our Environmental Education and Community Conservation programs.

Our Approach –



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