

# Rotary

## Club of Oyster Point of Newport News



### Club Meeting

Oyster Point of Newport News  
Meets at We are meeting in person at the James River Country Club and via Zoom. Please email the President for the link to join us.  
1500 Country Club Road  
Newport News, VA  
Time: Friday at 07:30 AM

### Events

November 1st  
[Oyster Point of Newport News Weekly Club Meeting](#)  
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**Subject:** Assistant professor of American studies at Christopher Newport University will talk to us about his new Book, A Wonderful Career in Crime.

November 8th  
[Oyster Point of Newport News Weekly Club Meeting](#)  
**Speaker:** Sarah Mead  
**Subject:** Dance Works  
go2danceworks.com

November 15th  
[Oyster Point of Newport News Weekly Club Meeting](#)  
**Speaker:** Marcellous Register  
**Subject:** Area Director Peninsula Young Life

November 22nd  
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**Speaker:** David Salomon  
**Subject:** My last book on the seven deadly sins just came out in paperback.

### Birthdays

David A Salomon  
November 8th  
Kristen Ball  
November 13th

### Tailgating on 11/15 - Save the date!

Join the Club at CNU on 11/15 for some tailgating fun! Details to follow.

### Holiday Social

Join the Rotary Club of Oyster Point's Holiday Party on December 20th, 2024! Save the date!

### Bell Ringing on December 21st



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Rotary Club Oyster Point up at SAM's Club for SATURDAY 12/21/2024; starting time will be 10:00am and ending time will be 6:00pm. Sign up with Tom Herbert!

### 11/1/24 Speaker Speaker Frank Garmon Jr.

Title: A Wonderful Career in Crime: Charles Cowlam's Masquerades in the Civil War Era & Gilded Age  
Description: Charles Cowlam's career as a convict, spy, detective, congressional candidate, adventurer, and con artist spanned the Civil War, Reconstruction, and Gilded Age. He is the only person known to have been pardoned by Abraham Lincoln and Jefferson Davis during the Civil War. One contemporary newspaper reported that Cowlam "has as many aliases as there are letters in the alphabet." In A Wonderful Career in Crime, Frank W. Garmon Jr. brings Cowlam's stunning machinations to light for the first time.  
Bio: Frank Garmon Jr. is an Assistant Professor of American Studies at Christopher Newport University where he specializes in American political economy. His first book follows the career of Charles Cowlam, a gilded age swindler who received presidential pardons from Abraham Lincoln and Jefferson Davis during the Civil War. He has published articles in the Economic History Review, the Journal of the Early Republic, and Historical Methods.

Nathaniel S Garn  
November 22nd

## Years of Service

Joseph F. Wilson  
11-01-1995  
29 Years

William S Gillen  
11-08-2022  
2 Years

Trevor James Vonu  
11-25-2022  
2 Years

David A Salomon  
11-08-2023  
1 Year

## Club Leaders



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Richard Brandt  
Club Director  
Rotary Foundation Chair

Garmon studied history and economics at Christopher Newport University, before completing his M.A. and Ph.D. in history at the University of Virginia.



## In Person Breakfast Meeting + Zoom

The Rotary Club of Oyster Point is meets at the James River Country Club at 7:30 am for breakfast as well as in a [Zoom Meeting](#).

The Zoom meeting will start at 7:45 a.m. You can log in as early as 7:00 am to enjoy coffee and social time before the meeting starts. There is plenty of capacity to host visiting Rotarians, potential members, and guests. Bring a guest and introduce them to the Rotary Club of Oyster Point!

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