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All TBPH Navy Captains

Mark your Calendars and Set your Compass or GPS for our **FIRST Raftup of 2018 to BEER CAN ISLAND**, East Tampa Bay....

WHEN: Saturday, June 9th, 2018

WHERE: "Beer Can" Island

- **GPS:** N274862 W822641
 - Approx 2 miles NW of Apollo Beach
 - Approx 2 miles SW of Alafia River
 - Approx 2 miles SE of MacDill AFB
 - Approx 3 miles S of Davis Island
 - **Approx 1 miles West from the Big Bend Power Plant. Use power plant's smoke stacks to guide on**
- **Boat Ramps:** *\$5 Ramp Fee
 - *Alafia River: (1) Williams Park (US-41) & (2) Riverview Community Park (E. US-301)
 - Davis Island (**FREE**) - next to Yacht Club
- Phlock to the southeast side of the island, Look for TBPH & TBPH Navy Flags.

TIME: 10am to 6pm (Sunset, 8:25 pm);

Tides: High: 11:25 am, Low: 6:35 pm

CAPTAINS: Please email: either Capt Bill "Dancing Machine" Connolly [csinc321@yahoo.com] or Capt Mark "Bernie" Lockhart [MSLockhart@aol.com] to let us know you will attend and the number of mates aboard so we can ensure a good count for burgers/hot dogs, buns, plates, paper towels, and condiments. Tables and grills to be coordinated with our fellow Captains by our hosting Pirate Captains Bill Connolly and Mark Lockhart – so let us know if y'all have either one or both for our use.

WHAT TO BRING: Side dish to share (per boat; landlubbers dish to serve 6 persons), beach shoes, BYOB, canopy/umbrella for shade, "floaties", chairs, beach gear/sunblock, **garbage/trash bags**, a couple of bucks to tip our musical guest, Rich "Schooner" McGuire, who will play some tunes for us.

Landlubber's Shuttle: (TBPH members without a boat/watercraft or a seat on one of the Captain's boats). TBPH's Welcome Court will be signing up landlubber member(s) for the landlubber shuttle. **Landlubber's need to pre-pay (non-refundable) fee of \$15/pp.** Details about shuttle location, time(s), will be provided once the landlubber member(s) have signed up and pre-paid.

FYI Note: there are no "head" (bathrooms) on island...sooo ya have to "swim with the fishes"