



Dear IAH Members,

It's easy to forget what Memorial Day actually means while you're cooking out and making your summer plans.

Memorial Day is a solemn day of remembrance for everyone who has died serving in the American armed forces. The holiday, originally known as Decoration Day, started after the Civil War to honor the Union and Confederate dead.



Soldiers from the 3d U.S. Infantry Regiment (The Old Guard) place flags in Arlington National Cemetery

It's unclear exactly where the holiday originated and Charleston is among the towns that claim to be the birthplace of Memorial Day. During the Civil War 257 Union soldiers died in prison here and were buried in unmarked graves. Charleston's black residents organized a May Day ceremony in which they landscaped a burial ground to properly honor the soldiers.

It wasn't until after World War II that the holiday gained a strong following and national identity, and it wasn't officially named Memorial Day until 1967.

Let's join in celebration and remembrance on this special weekend.



Last week ended with an amazing backyard concert, the original Musical Production "Ladies of the Canyon"

A special thanks goes out to Louise Howell who opened her beautiful garden for this event and to Kathy Coffman who organize and made it happen.

Here are some exciting events coming your way this week

***Join your Captain Bob Hardie for an Evening Cruise
on Hobcaw Creek in his 23 foot Boston Whaler***

Tuesday, May 30th 6 - 7:15PM

Meet at main Creek Club Gazebo dock



Join your I'On At Home friends on a leisurely evening cruise on Hobcaw Creek. You will travel to the mouth of the creek, venture into the Wando River far enough to see the Wando Welch Terminal from the water, then travel up the creek past the Creek Club as far as time and tide allow. You will be treated to views of wildlife, a beautiful shoreline, and gracious homes bordering the creek.

Wine and water will be provided. Please dress for late day sun with warm temperatures, and wear rubber soled shoes. Don't forget your hats and sunglasses! You can expect the cruise to last a little over an hour.

"ANYTIME FRIENDS" - ROOF TOP SOIREE

Wednesday, May 31th 6:30 - 8:30PM

Hosted by Jane McLaughlin 11 Krier Lane

"Anytime Friends" is a new group of IAH members devoted to getting singles together to meet and get to know each other. If that's you...join us for a fun Rooftop cocktail party. Please bring your favorite cocktail and an appetizer that we can share.



A Special Luncheon at Grace Church's Tea Room and shopping at the Church Mouse Boutique

Friday, June 2nd 12:00 - 2:00PM

Grace Church Cathedral, 98 Wentworth Street, Charleston

The Grace Church Tea Room and Church Mouse Boutique are beloved traditions in Charleston each Spring. The Tea Room serves Lowcountry classics including crab soup, pimento cheese and homemade desserts such as the favorite Huguenot torte; all prepared and served by Grace Church parishioners.



Shop next door at the Church Mouse Boutique where you can browse a large selection of jewelry, china, crystal, silver, lamps, artwork, handmade and decorative items as well as collectibles.

All proceeds support the community. Since it began in 1992, the Tea Room and Church Mouse Boutique have given away more than \$1 million dollars in grants to local charitable organizations.

If you can't join the IAH luncheon, call 843-723-4575 for your own reservations or take out orders between Monday, May 29 and Saturday, June 3.

Below find a sample of upcoming activities that are available to you.

*Click on the **Blue Bar** at the bottom of this Weekly Update for event details and sign up information.*

We look forward to seeing you.

MAY 2023



EVENING CRUISE ON HOBCAW CREEK

TUE 05 / 30 / 2023 AT 6:00 PM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

RSVP required

Tuesday
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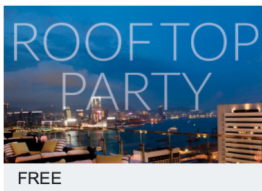
WED 05 / 31 / 2023 AT 3:00 PM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

RSVP required

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"ANYTIME FRIENDS" ROOFTOP SOIREE

WED 05 / 31 / 2023 AT 6:30 PM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

RSVP required

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JUNE 2023



FREE

WEEKLY IAH BIKING GROUP THURSDAYS - JUNE 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29

THU 06 / 01 / 2023 AT 8:00 AM

Interest Group

Members only (login required)

No RSVP required

Thursday

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COST OF YOUR OWN LUNCH

SPECIAL LUNCHEON AT GRACE CHURCH'S TEA ROOM AND SHOPPING AT THE CHURCH MOUSE BOUTIQUE

FRI 06 / 02 / 2023 AT 12:00 PM

I'On At Home Event

Open to all

RSVP required

Friday

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FREE

PUBLIC AFFAIRS PANEL DISCUSSION

THU 06 / 08 / 2023 AT 2:00 PM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

RSVP required

Thursday

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FREE

WRITING WORKSHOP

THU 06 / 08 / 2023 AT 3:00 PM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

RSVP required

Thursday

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PASSENGERS CALL 843-72...

SUNSET SAIL ABOARD THE SCHOONER PRIDE

WED 06 / 14 / 2023 AT 6:45 PM

I'On At Home Event

Open to all

RSVP required

Wednesday

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FREE

BROS N' BREWS AT NAUTI MONKEY

THU 06 / 15 / 2023 AT 5:00 PM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

RSVP required

Thursday

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FREE

COCKTAILS AND CONVERSATION

FRI 06 / 16 / 2023 AT 5:00 PM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

RSVP required

Friday

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FREE

HAPPY HOUR AT COMMUNITY TABLE

TUE 06 / 20 / 2023 AT 4:00 PM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

RSVP required

Tuesday

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FREE

A CHOICES EVENT – STRENGTH AND RECOVERY

WED 06 / 21 / 2023 AT 10:30 AM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

RSVP required

Wednesday

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**CLICK HERE to see the latest information on
upcoming IAH events and programs.**

