

# Hampton Roads Ship Model Society

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NEWSLETTER

March 1987

The February meeting of the HRSMS was held on the 20th at the home of Purser Bill Fox and was attended by 12 members and by guests Joseph Doyle and Gary Plaisance. The meeting was called to order at 2019 by Skipper Bill Clarke. Under old business, details of our 20th Anniversary Celebration were finalized, and these are detailed below. Also under old business, a progress report on the procurement of new stationery indicated that we are having difficulty finding suitable illustrations of USS MONITOR and CSS VIRGINIA, so members are requested to help. Under new business, it was announced that late former member Cliff Hancock had donated his large collection of magazines, notebooks, calculations, clippings, and brochures to the club. The collection, which includes back issues of Chip Chats, NRG Journal, Live Steam, Fife Rail, etc., is at Tom Tragle's and members are invited to use it there or to borrow materials. After introduction of guests, the meeting was adjourned at 2124.

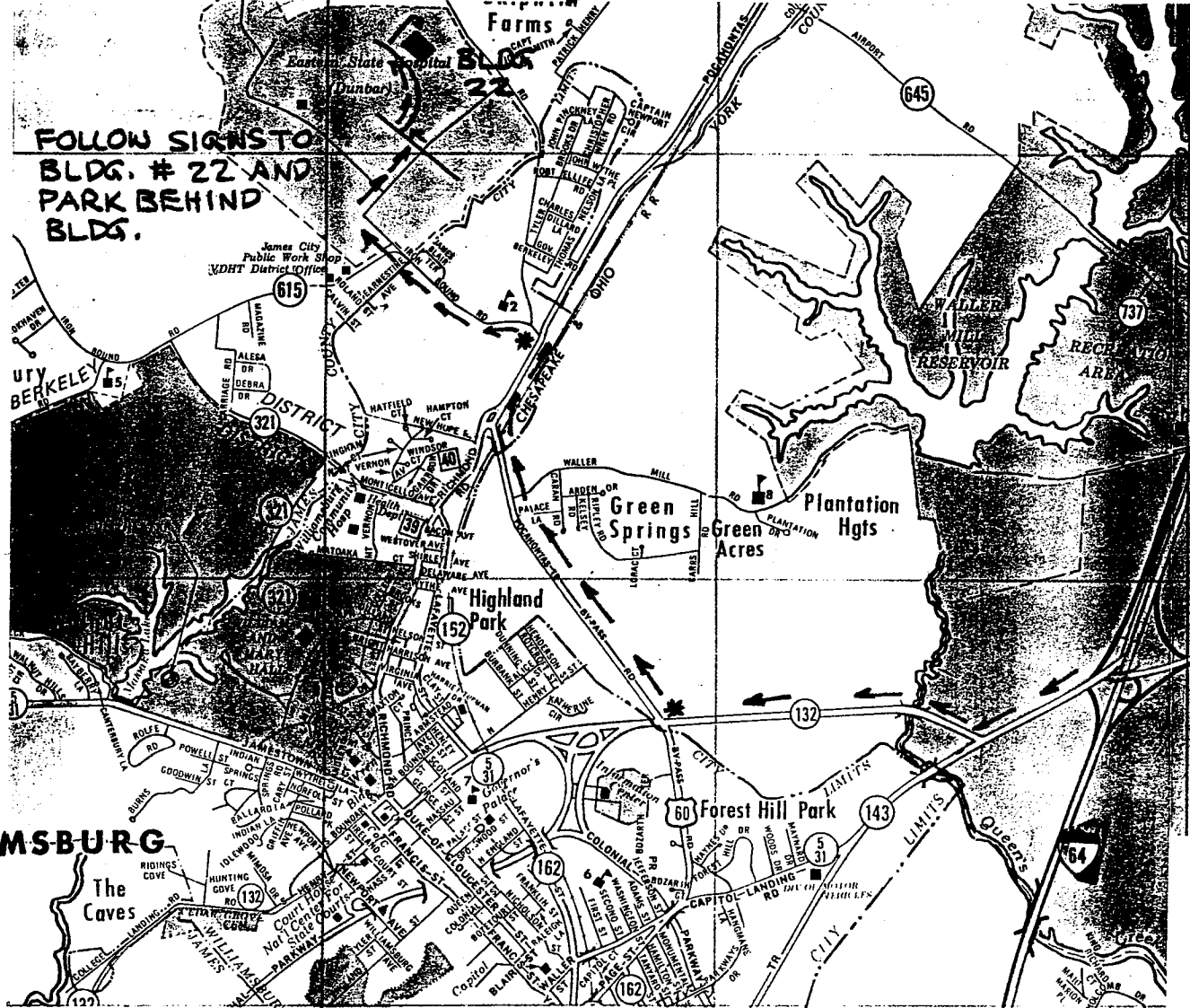
The March meeting of the HRSMS will be our 20th Anniversary Celebration, with all current and former members, members of the RSMS and WSMS, spouses, and guests invited to participate. The celebration, on Saturday, March 21, will begin with a visit to the Yorktown Ships Project artifacts collection and preservation facility from 11:00 AM to 12:30 PM. The facility is located in Bldg. # 22 on the grounds of Eastern State Hospital, west of Williamsburg. In the evening we will have a 20th Anniversary Banquet at the James River Country Club in Newport News. Social hour will be from 6:30 to 7:30, with cash bar. Dinner at 7:30 will feature chicken cordon bleu as the main course, and will be followed by a presentation on the Yorktown Ships Project by John Broadwater, Marine Archaeologist for the Commonwealth of Virginia. Before and after the banquet, a display of ship models by HRSMS members will be on hand for viewing.

Cost of the banquet is \$15.00 per person, payable to Purser Bill Fox (112 Colonel's Way, Williamsburg, VA 23185) by March 16. We regret that cancellations cannot be honored after that date, and money cannot be refunded. Directions for the anniversary events are shown on the attached sheet. Come and join us for a gala 20th Anniversary Celebration on the 21st!!

Skipper: Bill Clarke 868-6809  
First Mate: John Cheevers 875-0732  
Purser: Bill Fox 253-0310

**MAP FOR MORNING PROGRAM**

1 INCH ≈ 0.6 MILES



**FOLLOW SIGNS TO BLDG. # 22 AND PARK BEHIND BLDG.**

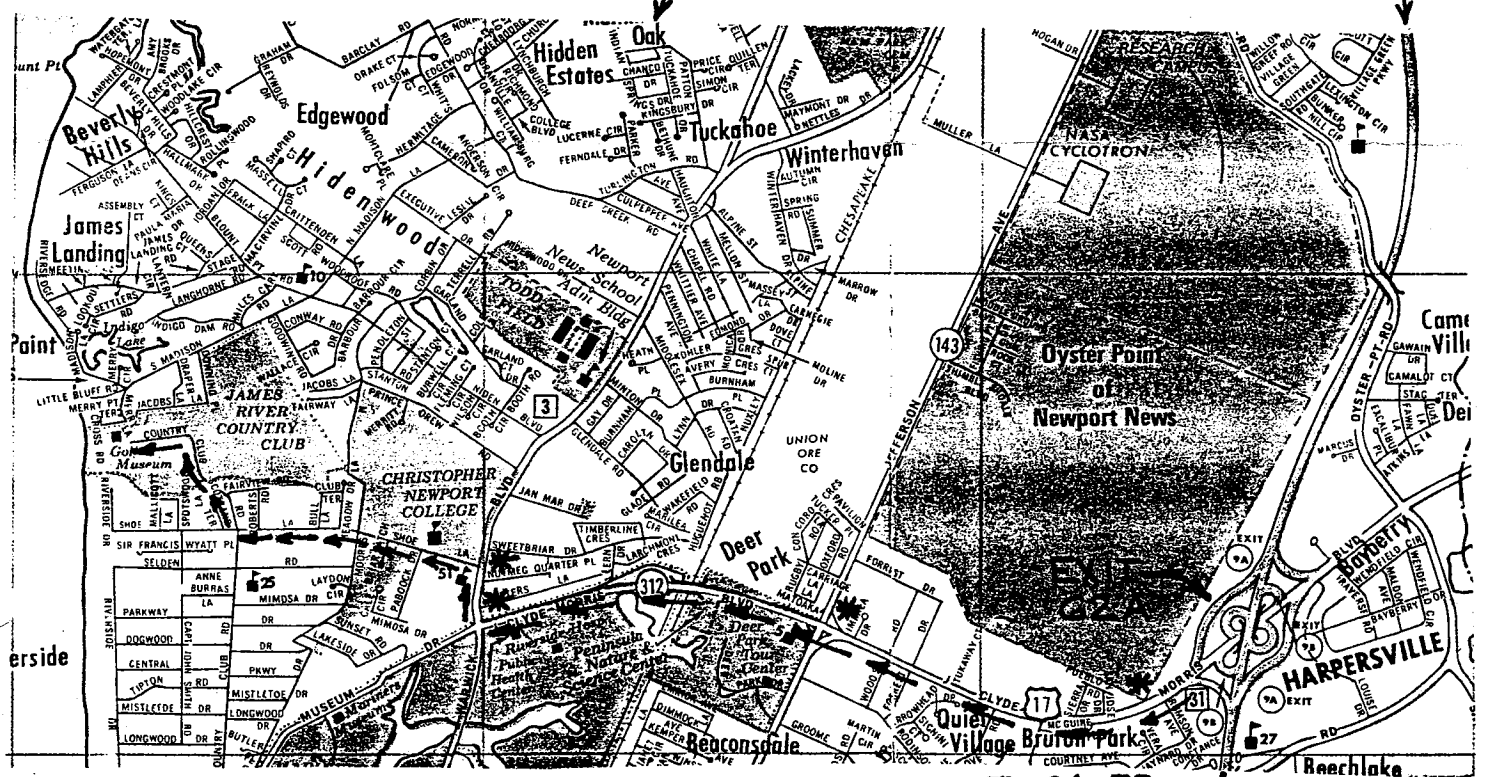
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**EXIT 56**

**I-64 FROM WMSBURG**

**MAP FOR EVENING PROGRAM**

**I-64 FROM NN OR NORFOLK**



**\* = STOP LIGHT**

**I-64 FROM HAMPTON AND NORFOLK**