

SMITH ISLAND WATERMAN'S GLASS FLOAT HUNT

FLOATS FOUND

We have a fun activity planned for this summer on Smith Island. Fisherman Float Hunts are an activity in a few coastal communities.

Found a float? Please email the Glass Float # found to smithislandunited@gmail.com.
You may also include your name if you would like.

WHEN: The hunt begins Memorial Weekend and ends Labor Day Weekend. While taking a scenic walk on Smith Island Road or along the waterfront or scenic roadways on Tylerton, you are welcome to take part in the Float Hunt! Floats will be hidden at various times once weekly during the hunt period, one on Tylerton and one on Smith Island Road. The Glass Floats will only be hidden in public areas (no private property) on Tylerton along public walking areas, and on Smith Island Road between the Observation Deck on Ewell and the bridge in Rhodes Point.

WHAT: 30 Glass Floats (glass orbs about the size of an orange) will be hidden during the project period. Floats will be numbered and include Smith Island 2022. Most floats are bluish or greenish glass except for 2, which are special-colored orbs. Jeffrey Auxer, a Glass Artist in Berlin https://jeffreyauxer.com created 2 special Glass Floats, which are #29 and #30. One of these special orbs will be hidden on Tylerton and the other on Smith Island Road.



WHERE: They will be hidden within a few feet of either side of the roadways. Floats will not be hidden on Private Property. If you find a float, we ask that you send an email with the float number found to smithislandunited@gmail.com, you may also become a member of Smith United while visiting the website.

WHO: Anybody!

This is finders' keepers, but we ask that you only keep ONE PER HUNTER, PER YEAR, PLEASE.

Keep looking until you find one! If you find a second float, feel free to leave it where it is or re-hide it! If you choose to re hide a float, please be sure to follow the above rules and stay off private property.

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