

# 31<sup>st</sup> Beach and Bay Cottage Tour

## In-Person July 26 and July 27, 2023

## Virtual July 16 through August 6



Thanks to our fantastic committee members and our many dedicated volunteers the 2023 Tour was an amazing success. The **estimated** net profit is about **\$75,000.00!**

By the numbers:

- 1 FOSCL Cocktail Party at Our Wonderful South Coastal Library
- 1 Presenting Sponsor
- 1 Hang Tag Sponsor
- 1 Raffle Sponsor
- 1 Video Sponsor
- 1 Awesome Videographer
- 1 Library Video featuring Barb Calkins & Sue Keefe
- 1 Magazine Article – Delaware Beach Life
- 1 Multi-Page Newspaper Article in the Coastal Point
- 2 Anonymous Donors – Music & Tee Shirts
- 2 days of July Weather – One Beautiful and One **HOT** & Muggy
- 5 In-Person Homes
- 5 Home Sponsors
- 6 Tote Bag Sponsors
- 10 Sneak Peeks in the Coastal Point
- 10 Tour Homes
- 10 Home Videos with views from **22** countries, **42** States & DC
- 20 Wonderful Homeowners
- 23 Parking Volunteers covering 40 individual shifts
- 24 Committee Members
- 43 Tote Bag packers and Ticket Pick-Up Volunteers
- 49 Paid Advertisers
- 60 T-Shirts Sold
- 306 Coordinators and House Volunteers
- **396** Total Volunteers
- 619 Jolly Trolley Riders – 28 Stops Each Day
- **1,184** Tickets Sold - 896 Combo & 288 Virtual (1,161 tickets sold in 2022)
- **3,929** Tour In-Person Home Visits
- **5,252** Raffle Tickets Sold (Art – \$2,834 & Restaurants - \$2,418)

The home selections and planning process for 2024 has already begun-if you know of any possible homes and volunteers for next year, please let me know.

Important dates for the 2024 Tour are:

- Cocktail Reception - July 19
- Virtually - July 14 through August 4,
- In-Person - Wednesday, July 24 & Thursday, July 25

**Thank You!**