

In celebration of the 4<sup>th</sup> of July, Vance County held their annual fireworks display across from Satterwhite Point on July 7, 2012. The Coast Guard Auxiliary supported this event by performing a safety patrol and by keeping recreational boaters away from the "hot zone" of the fireworks launch area.



Prior to the safety patrol, training was held for Boat Crew candidates at the campsite of Scott and Sherry Spillman at Kimball Point. Participants in training include: Sherry Spillman, Joe Lombardino, Gene Midyette, Ann Cramer, Kitty Pettit, Anthony Rago, Joe Frie, Roger Smith (all pictured above) and Scott Spillman and Amy Wolff.



At rendezvous, Gene Midyette's facility was joined by Sherry and Scott Spillman's facility and Tom Clark's facility (with Perry Taylor joining as crew) pictured above. The flotilla proceeded to Satterwhite Point at sundown to begin safety patrol.



Division 9 crew provided many boaters safety advice about their navigation lights and was on standby to provide assistance as needed. Kerr Lake Radio provided excellent communication and even assisted Lake Gaston!

## **GET INVOLVED!** Contact...

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