

Oak Harbor Marina

May 1, 2016

Free Cruising North Seminar

The Deception Pass Sail & Power Squadron and the Oak Harbor Yacht Club will be offering a free Cruising North seminar. This seminar will provide valuable information for those of you considering a cruise up north.

This will be an interactive seminar where you can share your experiences and learn from fellow cruisers that have completed the trip.



Saratoga Sue heading north

Some of the topics covered are:

- Typical routes to Princess Louisa, Desolation Sound, the Broughtons and northern BC to Ketchikan.
- Canadian customs and restrictions
- Maintenance and repair locations
- VHF channels
- Weather Considerations and reporting stations
- Negotiating rapids, straits and open water

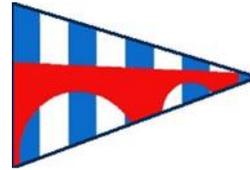
The seminar will be held at the Oak Harbor Yacht Club Saturday May 7th. The seminar is scheduled to go from 9:00 - 12:00.

Please contact Steppe at (360) 279-1551 or steppen@frontier.com for more information.

Vessel Safety Checks

As you are preparing your boat for the busy boating season please do not forget to get a vessel safety check.

The vessel safety check is a free service provided by the Deception Pass Sail and Power Squadron and is available both on the water and at dry dock (boat on trailer). Inspectors will go over the entire boat and offer suggestions that may make the boat compatible with the state and federal boating laws.



Deception Pass Sail and Power Burgee

The vessel examiners are easy to reach and willing to come to you. The vessel examiners in this area are:

~Don Grate (360)679-5050 Oak Harbor
~Mark Casteel (360)240-1546 Oak Harbor
~Monem (360)279-8972 Oak Harbor
~Dave Flomerfelt (360)240-0989 Cornet Bay

Fisheries Supply

Fisheries Supply delivers merchandise ordered by marina customers on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays free of charge. There is also a discount on select items.

To participate in this program you must have a special account setup and the items must be delivered to the marina.

For more details please contact Tom Daoust at (360)661-4150 or stop by the office.

Reserved Parking Spot

The winner of this month's parking space drawing is Mr. & Mrs. Ken Quattlebuam. Mr. & Mrs. Quattlebuam will get the use of the parking space until June 1st. If you would like to enter the drawing please come by the office and fill out a registration slip.

Quiz

You are operating 10 miles offshore with three people aboard. What kind of survival craft must you carry?:

1. An inflatable life raft with a coastal pack
2. A life float
3. An inflatable buoyant apparatus
4. No survival craft is required.

The answer to last month's quiz: The sails are properly set and trimmed. As a vessel heads up from a beam reach to close hauled the is _____ #4, apparent wind moves forward.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May 2nd: Marina Advisory Committee Meeting
7:00pm @ City Hall.

June 6th: Marina Advisory Committee Meeting
7:00pm @ City Hall.

CURRENT FUEL PRICES

(As of April 30, 2016)

Diesel - \$1.75

Gas - \$2.62 (mid grade ethanol free)

Receive a 5 cent per gallon discount for over 100 gallons.

"A boat without captain cannot remain long on the surface!"

— Mehmet Murat ildan

Conditional Moorage Dates

Just a reminder that those of you on the main walkway, F and G docks (conditional moorage areas), are required to vacate your slips for large events in the summer. In 2016 there will be three times that we are requiring you to vacate your slip:

- 4th of July: July 1st Vacate by noon
July 5th Return after noon
- WIRW: July 8th Vacate by noon
July 16th Return after noon
- Labor Day: Sept. 2nd Vacate by noon
Sept. 5th Return after noon

Please vacate your slip by noon and return any time after noon. The marina will credit your moorage for these dates.

Thanks for your cooperation.

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