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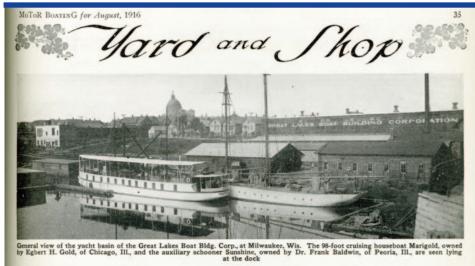
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the Commodore

Hello All,

Hope this finds everyone safe and healthy. I really don't have to note how interesting these times are. It has put a strain on most of us emotionally and economically. Personally, I do not get 8<sup>th</sup> grade math nor do I care to but it is important that my granddaughter does so I persevere. Better times are coming and we will all survive all this going into what will be the "new normal".

Your board, Events Committee, and various show committees are doing the best to keep the chapter going forward. Many of the events have been either cancelled or postponed and notifications of those events change daily. Any changes in the events, you will receive notification on the portal as we get them. We are discussing alternative dates for what could be our spring/summer/fall meeting and would like to revisit the Manitowoc venue if possible.

As for the Pewaukee Show in August, all committee members, and myself have been working on the show as if it will go forward. The structure of the show is obviously somewhat up in the air as we see what restrictions will be imposed upon such events. The foundation for the show has been laid, just a wait-and-see situation like most other things out there.

Stay safe and healthy. Get those boats on the water as soon as possible and enjoy these times as best as you can.

# Commodore Bob

### GLACIER LAKES CHAPTER OF THE ACBS

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# GLACIER LAKES CHAPTER OF THE ACBS OUR MISSION:

To promote the preservation and enjoyment of antique, classic and special interest watercraft of all types, both powered and non powered by:

- To bring people together with a common interest in historic, antique and classic boats, sharing fellowship, information and experience.
- To protect the heritage of boating by promoting preservation and secondly, the restoration of historic antique and classic boats.
- To promote, further and encourage a love and enjoyment of all aspects of historic, antique and classic boating.
- To serve as a communication channel for membership, the public, and other entities regarding information relating to historic, antique and classic boating.
- To serve as a clearing house and referral service for all information relating to historic antique and classic boating.
- To serve as the governing body and parent organization for such chapters as shall be formed and created under our auspices; including providing support for and communicating with these chapters.
- To inspire and support quality boat shows and related events among our chapters.
- To establish and maintain standards for classifying boats and conducting boat shows.
- To educate our membership and the general public concerning safety and protocol as it relates to historic, antique and classic boating.

# THE GLACIER LAKES CHAPTER MAKES DONATIONS TO AREA NON-PROFITS

Bob Stoltz presents check for \$1,300.00 to Kent Rice and Bob Raasch for Honor Flight. Kent Rice and Bob Raasch presented a moving overview of the mission to honor vets through Honor Flight. Over 600 mission 'flights' have successfully transported vets from any era to Washington D.C. Life stories from veterans who have participated in the experience were very touching. Donations to the program range from just over \$100 to more than one million dollars. Linda Allen spearheads Chapter efforts to raise money for this worthy cause.





Bill Freyman presents a check for \$500.00 to Abigail Diaz, Director of Education and Public Programs for the Wisconsin Maritime Museum in Manitowoc



Bill Freyman presents a check for \$500.00 to Kevin Osgood Executive Director of the Door County Maritime Museum.

# **EACH OF FOLLOWING ORGANIZATIONS RECEIVED \$500.00 DONATIONS**









# HOW-TO WORKSHOP

On Saturday, March 14, twenty-nine Glacier Lakes members attended a workshop presented by **David Buckley** and **Mark Willis**. It was at **David Buckley's Man Cave Barn** in Delafield. It was 10 days before Governor Evers declared a "Stay-at-Home" order. Thank You to **Bob Stoltz** for coordinating the workshop. Thank you to **Dan Holdmann** for coordinating the reservations. A special thank you to **David Buckley** for opening his *Man Cave Barn* and his excellent presentation. Thank you to **Mark Willis** for sharing his engine expertise. Thank you to **Jidapa Buckley, Unchisa** and boyfriend **Darek** for the extra treat of serving Thai chicken rice soup after the presentations.

# Classic BOATING story

**Jim Wangard** did a very detailed story on the How To-Workshop in The May/June issue, issue # 215. Thank you Jim Wangard

# How David Buckley got into this Hobby

My affection for wooden boats occurred back in the 60's. A friend had a 18 ft barrel back Chris Craft he wanted to sell for \$200. Back then it was out of the budget. As time marched on into the 70's a friend's family had a Gar Wood that we would take rides in. One fall evening/early morning in a mischievous phase a friend of mine and I backed the Gar Wood into the lake, paddled it out away from the house, started it up and drove into the darkness at high speed until we felt it was time to paddle it back, put it on the lift and walk away like nothing ever happened. I had never driven an inboard much less a 22 ft mahogany classic until that night. Never caught and never disclosed to the boat owner but man oh man was it fun. I never forgot that night. Years later the boat came up for sale and my friend and I offered \$30,000 for the 1942 Gar Wood Streamliner but we were denied because the seller did not want to see the boat on the lake if it was not theirs. It sold to someone that took it to Lake Tahoe and completed a major restoration and renamed her Tahoe Tessie. She sold again in 2010 with an asking price of \$199,000. Not sure what was paid but that was probably pretty good appreciation in value.

Time marched on and in 2009 I was in a position to shop

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PRESENTERS: Mark Willis and David Buckley

ATTENDEES: Jack Schneiberg, Gary Berg, Jane Larson, Bart Gaffney, Valerie and Allen Stabenow, Steve Mech, Mike Tock, Jim Zimmer, Gary Millponter, Jerry Znidorka, Tom Sasada, Wil Vidal, Ted Cartner, Gary Rechcygle, Ed Eisenmenger, John Friesch, Jim Wangard, Chuck Petersen, Tom Edfors, Norm Eckstaedt, Jerry Petersen, Jeff Allen, Dan Holdmann, Jack Moser, Ron Johns, Howard Schneider, and John Lundahl





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for a wood boat. I traveled to Tomahawk, WI to purchase an 18 ft Chris Craft Continental. Interestingly when we took that late night joyride the other boat in the boathouse was an 18 foot Chris Craft Continental. I spoke with the seller in the morning, told him I would drive up to purchase the boat that day if it checked out. Armed with a cashiers check and extra cash I arrived to see the boat and the seller told me he had another buyer that wanted to look at it. The asking price was \$12,000 and I offered the asking price, hook it up and go. Not so fast, he wanted the other guy to see it who was in Florida. I negotiated against myself up to \$14,000 and he still would not sell. When it was obvious that I had wasted my time driving to buy the boat I headed back home hotter than a June bride that this guy would waste my time and then tell me about his integrity of holding out for the other potential buyer. A couple of years later I learned the boat was sold to a guy in Milwaukee for \$10,000. That was pretty good depreciation.

Not to let money burn a hole in my pocket for too long and never having shopped on E-bay I found there was a 1935 Gar Wood 20 ft Utility in Lake Winnipesaukee, New Hampshire. So sight unseen other than some photographs once again I negotiated against myself until the reserve was met and bought it. The trailer was included but the seller estimated that it would not make it 100 miles so a flatbed delivery was ordered. You may have heard about the movie Dumb and Dumber and I was both of those guys. Buying a 74 year old wooden boat on pure blind faith and waiting for it to arrive long after the check cleared, well, maybe not the smartest thing I ever did, but joyrides at full throttle in a stolen boat after midnight may show a pattern.

The boat arrived on the flat bed on the rickety trailer and after inspection turned out to be great. No signs of rot or damage. I call that dumb luck. The boat had been taken out of the water in the 60's and the owner started to refinish it in a boathouse at Fischer's Landing, NY but he passed away and it remained there until 2008 when it was discovered by Jack Magri, a Gar Wood collector who introduced a friend that bought it from the heirs. The finish was stripped and stained but was unvarnished. The buyer got the original engine running in spring after squirting Marvel Mystery Oil into the cylinders during the winter. That buyer moved from a farm to a smaller home and put it up for sale so the previously unnamed Utility became the Bucket List.

Having had some woodworking experience learned at WCTC I was up to the task. The bilge was cleaned and painted, some ribs were sistered in, a transom plank



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replaced, new flooring, rechroming the hardware, upholstery and 10 coats of varnish and on the day the Bucket List was launched was exactly one year from the day I bought her. She made a trip back to Fischer's Landing for the annual Clayton boat show featuring Gar Wood as the featured marquis shortly after the preservation was completed. She was reunited with the daughter of the original owner who at that time was 88 years old. She was so excited to see the boat back in it's glory and we remained friends until her passing last year. At the show the Bucket List received an award for the Best Amateur Restoration so the work paid off.

All along the way I was impressed with the antique and classic boat community on how willing they are to help with resources, advise or explain techniques to help a total greenhorn through the process of restoration/preservation in order to achieve professional results. We are lucky to have so many willing to help because after all, this is not that tough to do if you have the time and inclination. Wood is a very forgiving medium to be working with and there are many ways to get to a quality result depending on what tools you have. One thing to know is that it always costs more than you think it will, but the result will be worth it. I have found a multiplier of 2 times the estimate is best to use in order to get a close to what it will cost, but don't tell your wife. Recently I was having some engine work done and after the work was completed I found out that the price being charged was nearly 4 times what I could buy the part for. This came as a huge surprise so my advice to all is to have an early and open dialogue with the professional doing work that you cannot do yourself because you work for free and they do not. When you are paying someone by the hour it is important to let them know what the budget is up front and to have regular conversations with them during the process so things do not get out of hand.

It has been written by others that we are stewards of these pieces of history and it is our hope that they will last for future generations to enjoy. My concern is that these beautiful boats do not go by way of the Model A with a declining market of enthusiasts want ing to remember growing up in one. Not only are we stewards of the boats but it is important that we share our sport and enthusiasm with the younger future owners and don't be surprised if you hear a boat sounding like yours ripping down the lake at full throttle in the wee hours of the morning. That just may be the next steward taking a test drive

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After hearing from David Buckley, Mark Willis shared some engine electrical insights with the attendees.

# 1) OILS

He stated he would share some of the questions asked of him by vintage boat owners. Mark opened his presentation discussing engine oils. Many of the old aditives have been taken out, potentially harming flat head tappet camshafts. Diesel oils used to be adequate but their levels of zinc have been removed. Mark is now recommending a Classic Car motor oil (SAE 15W-40) with zinc that he orders. It has the necessary levels of zinc for vintage boats and cars. It is blended specifically for engines that see a lot of storage time. It's manufactured for The Classic Car Club of America. There's preservatives in it, additives that stick to the inside of the motor a little better to prevent rust. Classic Car oil helps flat tappet c a m engines that need oils with a higher zinc content. 317-225-0040

classic-carelub.org/classic-car-motor-oil

# 2) FUELS

Next, Mark talked about the fuels. Ethanol blended fuels are fine. The fuel needs to be fresh and used on a regular basis. The new fuels can get into the gas tanks and break down the protective coatings inside the gas tanks. Along with that, hoses should be replaced in boats if older than 1990. Again, the fuels will breakdown the hoses.

The fuel pump has to be rebuilt with a rubber diaphragm. There are no rubber parts in typical Zenith carburetors. It is necessary to rebuild the fuel pump with aViton diaphragm.

### 3) ELECTRONIC IGNITION

Electronic ignition systems vs points ignition systems is personal choice. Again, it depends upon the use of the boat. Light use of the boat can corrode the points ignition system. It

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# PUTTING THE BOATS BACK INTO STORAGE AFTER THE WORKSHOP









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might be advantageous to put in the electrical electronic system if the boat is not heavly used.

If the engine dies after running and then starts after cooling off, it may need coil replacement. A starter rebuild may be another solution to get the engine running again.

# 4) 6 VOLTS OR 12 VOLTS

You'll have a one point deduction if the boat is judged. Should a boat be converted from 6 volt to 12 volt system was another question. Mark said that it is up to the individual and how original does the individual want his boat. If you need a battery on a Sunday afternoon, you can go find one, whereas a 6-volt battery can be scarce if a Fleet Farm isn't around. It's also harder to find 6-volt light bulbs. Cable size is also part of the equasion when going from 6 volt to 12 volt



Jidapa Buckley, Jidapa's daughter, Unchisa and friend
Darek served up a delicious
Thai chicken rice soup delicacy to a hungry boater group.

# GREEN LAKE CRUISE JUNE 13 and 14, 2020





We will meet at Deacon Mill Park in downtown Green Lake from 9 - 9:30. We will cruise Green Lake, possibly stopping at the Green Lake Conference to dock and take a short hike of the beautiful grounds of the Lawsonia golf course (formerly known as The American Baptist Assembly). More cruising and then a stop in Norwegian Bay for a social hour, eat your picnic lunch, and wading or swimming in the sandy shallow area of the bay. More cruising with a boat parade past local wood boats of Green Lake.

Lodging is available at Bayview Motel. 920-294-6504 attn: Cameron Rooms are \$130 - \$140 including docking in a protected harbor.

If there is any interest, Sunday June 14 we could take an early sunrise cruise followed by boating of your choice.

# Full details on website- GLACBS.ORG

Organizer: Jeff & Renee Davey, Bob & Lois Synder. Jeff Davey 920-229-3142, Jrdavey@centurytel.net Bob Snyder, rsnyderdds@gmail.com

Come cruise with us! In your own boat or catch a ride and you'll be having fun!



August 1, 2020 Madison Classic Boat Show Hosted by Glacier Lakes

10 a.m.—4 p.m. Buck n' Honeys on the Yahara River Organizer: Clean Lakes Alliance Mark Walters: 608-770-4439 waltswoody@charter.net



August 29, 2020
Vintage Boat Rendezvous on Medicine Lake
Pike's Pine Isle Lodge
1261 Pine Isle Road,
Three Lakes
info@pineislethreelakes.com
Relax with other Glacier Lakes members
at Pikes Pine Isle Lodge
John Baumann 414-881-5043
john@bestengllc.com







# You are invited to the 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Door County Classic & Wooden Boat Festival, August 7-9, 2020!

Bring your crew, friends and family for boating and fun on Sturgeon Bay's historic working waterfront. On display at the Festival are beautiful boats to admire, some professionally built and maintained, others the work of talented amateurs. Vessels range from canoes to kayaks, sailboats, fiberglass classics, and glorious mahogany runabouts.

# What's on deck at the 30th Door County Classic & Wooden Boat Festival:

# Friday 8/7

Registered Boaters ONLY:

- Bay-to-Lake Cruise
   Registrants cruise ten miles
   on a Bay-to-Lake
   Lighthouse Cruise, cruising
   by two lighthouses, past
   one of the largest working
   shipyards on the Great
   Lakes, and through the
   Sturgeon Bay Ship Canal;
- Docktails & Delights –
  Cocktail Party after the
  cruise, enjoy a reception on
  the Festival/Maritime
  Museum grounds

# Cast your vote...

On Saturday, registered skippers vote to choose *Boats* of the Year in these categories:

- Classic Inboard
- Classic Outboard
- Sailboat
- Classic Fiberglass
- Non-powered
- Model Boat
- Unique Craft
- Skipper's Best of Show All Festival attendees may vote for the coveted People's Choice Boat of the Year

# Saturday 8/8

- Maritime Week Parade, 10am
   NEW for 2020! Sturgeon Bay is one of
   28 U.S. Coast Guard Cities, and we're
   celebrating our historic and active
   USCG. Hosted by Destination Sturgeon
   Bay.
- Boat Show Hours: 10am-5pm
- Sikaflex Boatbuilding Contest
   Construction & Decoration day. Teams of amateurs construct and decorate plywood boats.
- Enjoy food and drinks, maritime crafts for kids of all ages, Boathouse Sale, Museum tours, education with members of the USCG, and jazz by Kevin Van Ness & the Talk of the Town from 11:30am-3:30pm.
- Take a ride on a classic boat and paddleboats.
- Sunset Cruise & Parade @ Dusk.
   Decorate your boat and your crew with costumes and lights for a new take on a Sturgeon Bay tradition.
   (Registered Boaters only)

# Sunday 8/9

- S.S. Bloody Mary Sunday Social party at Sonny's Pizzeria, 10am-1pm.
  - Start the day with Bloody Mary samples, food & live music. More information and tickets available at: <a href="SturgeonBay.net">SturgeonBay.net</a>.
- Boat Show Hours: 9am-4pm
- Sikaflex Boatbuilding Race
   Teams finish their plywood boats
   and compete in a hilarious race
   on the water! Cheer them on!
   Race @ 1pm.
- Cast your vote for your favorite Sikaflex boat
- Awards ceremony @ 3pm



Admission to the festival grounds and docks is free and open to the public.

Make your lodging reservations early! For lodging needs, visit <u>SturgeonBav.net</u>, or <u>DoorCounty.com</u>.

For more detailed Festival information: <a href="DoorCountyClassicBoatFestival.com">DoorCountyClassicBoatFestival.com</a>

Register your vessel: today!



# 2020 Vessel Registration Form

Ahoy! You are invited to join our fleet of classic and wooden boat lovers at the 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Door County Classic & Wooden Boat Festival, August 7-9, 2020.

Please **choose a registration option below**, and fill out your information, and if you'll be joining the rest of the crews for the Sunset Cruise and "Docktails & Delights" party.

# Register:

- Mail: Send the filled out form (below), with check payable to "DCMM" for your selected registration amount. Mail to address on form.
- Dock space is limited, **register early**. Come prepared with fenders and extra line.
- Skippers and boats must be present **both Saturday and Sunday** to be eligible for People's Choice or Skippers' awards. Owners MUST be present at the show if displaying "For Sale" signs on vessel.

# " party.

# Email/mail: Photo of your ve

Photo of your vessel
Information about her special
features, story, acquisition and
restoration/build, to Bill Freyman:
dcclassicboatfestival@gmail.com

# **Choose your Registration option:**

# Basic Registration (\$20), includes:

- Display space and/or dock space for vessel (assigned by registration date)
- · Overnight security Friday & Saturday nights
- Entry to the Door County Maritime Museum and the Tug John Purves
- Sunset Cruise on Saturday evening
- Fees are non-refundable.

# Prime Registration (\$30), includes:

- All the features of Basic Registration, PLUS:
   Entry in Friday's Bay-to-Lake Cruise
  - o "Docktails & Delights" Cocktail Party Friday after the Cruise
- Fees are non-refundable.
- To receive Prime, please register by August 1!

Skipper's Name:		Crew N	lame(s):	
Mailing Address:		City:	State:	Zip:
Email:		Mobile # (for Day-of F	estival):	
Vessel Name:		Length(include trailer):	Engine Type:	HP:
Year:	Manufacturer:		Model:	
Circle a Registration BASIC (\$20) or PI Mail this form, with Bill Freyman: 7031 I	RIME (\$30)	to DCMM, to Boat Registratio		☐ Vessel in Water ☐ Vessel on Trailer ☐ Shore Display ☐ Model Boat

**Registration Release:** By registering for the festival, the registrant verifies the registrant has read and understands all the foregoing important risks and warnings. Registration voluntarily assumes the risk of damage to persons or property arising from participation in the boat show after disclosure of risks and warnings. The registrant further waives, releases and discharges the Door County Maritime Museum, all program directors and volunteers from any, and all claims for damages to persons or property arising from participation in the boat festival. Finally, the registrant warrants and represents to the show sponsor that the registrant's boat is covered under a policy of casualty and liability insurance.

Questions? (920) 868-1749 or dcclassicboatfestival@gmail.com; or Paige Funkhouser: pfunkhouser@dcmm.org

Fees are non-refundable, pending emergency situation, as determined by Door County Maritime Museum.



Enjoy an Evening Friday August 14, 2020 at Rick & Coco Roy's Beautiful Lake Home on Pewaukee Lake Starting at 6PM

W276 N2987 Rocky Point Rd. Pewankee, WI 53072





Boat Show Saturday August 15, 2020 Pewaukee Lakefront Park



Register by July 20. Register and Email your story about your vintage watercraft and picture if you want to be in the Program Book. We can also use the same story as last year. E-mail to Wil Vidal wrvidaljr@gmail.com

If you have any questions contact: Jack Schneiberg at 262-689-7934; e-mail: ackschneiberg2015@gmail.com or Bob Stoltz bstoltz4@gmail.com 414-881-4383

REGISTRATION FORM IS ON PAGE 13 or go to www.glacbs.org to register on-line

## 16th Annual Glacier Lakes Chapter of ACBS ANTIQUE & CLASSIC Boat Show

Saturday, August 15, 2020 at Pewaukee Lakefront Park

# **Boat Show REGISTRATION FORM (COMPLETE by July 20)**

Registration Fee: \$35.00 REGISTER BY JULY 20

In water or on land display \$35.00 Vendor \$55.00; Outboard club \$15.00 Classic Car \$15.00 per car. **NO REFUNDS** 

Limited mooring space. First come first served. Glacier Lake members will a provide overnight mooring if needed. Phone numbers of close proximity more will be supplied to those wishing overnight accommodations.

**\*** Launching at Pewaukee Yacht Club 7am-9:00am

\* Show Hours Sat. Aug. 15 9am-5pm

**★** Judging 10am to 2:00pm

Name

**\*** Start engines (times to be announced)

**\*** Special closing ceremony honoring milita

**BBQ** at PYC after show(register below)

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Spouse/PartnerPHONE: home	ACBS#_ cell_			
Address		City	State	Zip
E-mail				
Boat Name		Builder		
LengthModel	Yr built	Engine		
No. Cylinders	Horsepower			

**BE IN THE PROGRAM BOOK** Submit a picture (non returnable) of your boat and a story with your name for inclusion in the program book. The booklet will be distributed to spectators at the show. Include this information with your registration fee. Information should be type written. BETTER YET-E-mail it to wrvidaljr@gmail.com Let us know if you want to use last year's story with updating. Material needs to be submitted by July 20, 2020. Advertisers like your boat information near their marketing message.

### -RELEASE OF LIABILITY-

Please read and sign the following agreement, which is required of all participants:

I hereby release, discharge, protect, indemnify and hold harmless the Glacier Lakes Chapter of the ACBS, Inc., The Village of Pewaukee, The Park and Recreation Department, Positively Pewaukee, organizers, committee chairpersons, volunteers, vendors directors and officers, administrators, successors and assigns from and against any and all claims, liability demands and causes of action of all kinds, including without limitations property damage, injury, illness or death, including costs and attorney fees incurred in connection with the undersigned's use of all facilities during this event. Further,

I certify that I currently have effective insurance to cover any damage to my boat, outboard motor or vehicle and to cover my liability from any damages to others and their property arising from the use of my boat, outboard motor or vehicle during this event.

Signed

Questions? Contact Jack Schneiberg-Show Treasurer 262-689-7934; e-mail: jackschneiberg2015@gmail.com

Bob Stoltz (414)881-4383 bstoltz4@gmail.com

I need overnight mooring {circle} Fri. night (YES) (NO) Sat. Night (YES) (NO)

Make check payable to: Glacier Lakes Chapter, ACBS 714 Shepherd's Drive Unit 1 c/o Jack Schneiberg, 714 Shepherd's Drive Unit 1 West Bend, WI 53090 SHOW REGISTRATION and Pewaukee Yacht Club Saturday night Awards and Dinner RECISTRATION.

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BOATS: (In water or on-land) {circle} \$35.00 per boat. (Limited space-first come first served)\$	
VENDOR: \$60.00; OUTBOARD MOTOR CLUB \$15.00, CLASSIC CAR \$15.00 ea {circle category}\$	
FRIDAY NIGHT August 14 Rick & CoCo Roy's\$25.00 per person x=\$	

Saturday night Awards dinner at PYC.

SATÜRDAY NIGHT Banquet AT The Pewaukee Yacht Club \$35.00 per person \$35.00 X =.....\$

JOIN THE GLACIER LAKES CHAPTER AND ACBS \$75.00 per family X 1 =.....\$ 75.00 +.....\$

.....Amt \$

NO REFUNDS on boat show registrations or PYC dinner. Limited mooring space. First come first served.

**Judging Criteria:** This will not be an official ACBS judged event. Judging will be done by the registered captains and the "People's Choice" by popular vote. Awards will be provided by the chapter and marque clubs: Century Club-"Best Century"; Chris-Craft Club-"Best Chris Craft". No boat will receive more than one award. Judge committee reserves the right to adjust categories to reflect registrations.

☆ Skipper's choice

☆ Best Century

☆ Best Chris Craft

☆ Antique 3 Cockpit

- ☆ Antique (Non 3 Cockpit)
- ☆ Classic Utility Under 20'
- ☆ Classic Utility 20-22'
- ☆ Classic Utility Over-22'
- ☆ Classic Runabout
- ☆ Racer
- ☆ Classic Fiberglass
- ☆ Outboard Boat
- ☆ Contemporary
- ☆ Sailboat
- ☆ Peoples Choice
- ☆ Best Preserved, Most Original Boat



Americant Corp. (Atlas Boats)	Antigo (headquarters in Chicago, IL)	1958-1959
Antigo Lakecraft Boats, Inc.	Elcho (previously located at Antigo)	1946-1951
Argalas Boat Building & Repair	Hayward	1940s-1950s
Badger Boat Builders	Couderay	1940s?-1986
Badger Boat Corp.	Black Creek	1964-1968
Badger Motor Boat Co., Inc.	Racine (4th & Lake Ave)	1920-1925
Barfknecht & Sons	Fond du Lac (27 Main St)	1940s-1950s?
Barnett Boat Co.	Kenosha (I-94 & 80th St)	
Beauvais Boat Co.	Williams Bay	1930s?-1948
Beloit Boat Co.	Beloit	1882-
Burger Boat Company	Manitowoc	1863-present
Carri-Craft	Berlin	1959-1998
Carver Boat Corp.	Pulaski (Milwaukee prior to 1956)	1954-2009
also made Trojan Boats	•	1992-1998
also made Larson Boats (cruisers)		1996-1997
Marquis Yachts (took over Carver in 2010)		2003-present
Century Boat Company	Milwaukee	1928-1929
Chetek Boat Corp.	Chetek	1947-1966
Chippewa (CS Van Gorden & Son) Eau Claire		1937-1964
Crandall Craft Boat	Phelps	1929-
Cruisers, Inc./Cruisers Yachts	Oconto	1953-present
Rally Boats Div. of Cruisers		197?-198?
Rampage Sport Fishing Yachts		1990-????
Shamrock Fish Boats		1998-2004
Dewyer Boat Works	Eagle River	1934
Dorland Fowler Boat Company	Chippewa Falls	1880-1912
Dunham Fulton Gun Company	Oshkosh	1903
Dunphy Boat Corp.	Oshkosh (Eau Claire prior to 1935)	1861-1966
Dura Glass Industries	Waupaca, WI	1970s?
Duranso Boat	Rhinelander area	
Eliminator Boats	Shawano	1984-199?
Fox River Boat Co.	Menasha	1908-
Fox River Boat Works, Inc. (Kidney)	West DePere	1932-1964
Euroline Boats	1937 Spindt Dr., Waupaca	1999-2005
Fiber Glass Engineering, Inc.	Old Verona Rd., Madison	191962
Fibracraft	DeForest, WI	1950s
French Lake Craft Shop	Mountain	1953-
Gage Marine	Lake Geneva	
Gay Craft Plastics, Inc.	Schofield	1957-
Glass Jet Boats (J & R Plasticraft)	Reeseville	1956-1960?
Glass Fab, Inc.	New London	1965-1976?
Glas-Star Boat Co. (Tommy Thomas)	Hayward	1955
Globe Marine Corp.	Williams Bay	
Golden Hawk LLC	Cadott / Merrill	1968-present
Gunderson Canoe Mfg. Co.	Eau Claire & Hayward	1921-

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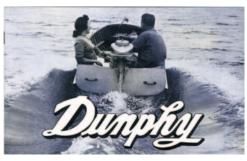
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Hammer Blow Tool Company	Wausau	
Hayward Boat Co.	Hayward	1930s?-1957
Hayward Boat Mfg. Co.	Hayward	1957-1967?
H.C. Doman & Co.	Oshkosh	1903
Hi-Plastics, Inc./HyRyder, Inc.	Tomahawk	1972-1983
Inland Boat Company	Oconomowoc	1938-
Inland Lakes Boat Works	6320 Kathryn St., Monona	1930
Inland Marine Boat Co.	Williams Bay	1947-
Isco Boat (Isreals Co., Inc.)	Rice Lake	1952?
Isle La Plume Boat Co. (see Pabst)	LaCrosse	1921?-
Johnson Manufacturing Co.	Spirit	1960?
Jones & LaBorde	Oshkosh	1903
Joyce Boat Company	Stoughton	1956?
Kargard Boat & Engine Company	Marinette	1942-
Kel-Kraft Corp.	2460 W. North Ave. Milwaukee	1947-
Kidney, Dan & Son Boat (Fox River)	West DePere	1874-1932
Larson Boats (formerly of Little Falls, MN)	Pulaski	2016-
Lewis Boat Works	Oshkosh	1907?-
Lund Boat (see Shell Lake Boat)	Shell Lake	1968-1980
Lymburner Boat and Mfg. Co.	Hayward	1920-1938
Mair's Marine Mart, Inc.	Minocqua	1957-
Mathisen Boat Co.	Oshkosh	1913
Melges Boat Works	Zenda	
Mercer Boat Co. (Ted Barth)	Mercer	1950s-1964
Mercer Boat Co. Mercer Industries	Mercer	1970-1973?
Mermaid Marine Mfg Co.	Manitowish	1959-1961
Midwest Boat Co.	Neenah	
MirroCraft (Mirro Aluminum Co.)	Manitowoc	1956-1982
Minocqua Lumber Co. (Wm. R. Schlecht)	Minocqua	1930s
Mold-Craft Co.	N. Lake St., Port Washington	1958?-
Murphy Boat Works	LaCrosse	
Nehls Boat Co.	Edgewater St., Plymouth	1928-1960s
Nichols & Osburn Boat Co.	Spooner	1946-
Northern Wisconsin Boat Co.	Hayward	1940s
Northport, Inc. (see MirroCraft)	Gillett	1982-present
Northwest Manufacturing Corp.	Iron River (subsidiary of St. Croix Corp)	1958-1960?
North Craft Boats	Waupaca	2005
Obsession Powerboats	Shawano	1992-1997
Oshkosh Boat Company	Oshkosh	1905
Oneida Boat Co. (W.E. Cleveland)	Rhinelander	1915?
Oneida Boat Company	Rhinelander	1946-1948
Pabst Boats (see Isle La Plume)	LaCrosse	
Palmer Boat Co.	Fontana	1900?-1950
Palmer Sailboat Manufacturing Co.	Fontana	1950-
Palmer Johnson	Sturgeon Bay	1918-present
Pierce Motor Boat Co.	Lakeside (Racine)	1910
Peterson Builders, Inc.	Sturgeon Bay	1907-199?
Peterson Boat Works	Hayward	1930s?-1965
Peterson Boat Works, Inc.	Hayward	1965-?
Peterson Brothers Boat Works	Shell Lake	1930-
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Pokegema Boat Co.	Chetek	
Pope Boat Co.	Fond du Lac	1910
Quality Plastics, Inc. (see Glass Jet)	Reeseville	1957-1960?
Racine Hardware Manufacturing Co	Racine	1879-
Racine-Truscott-Shell Lake Boat Co.	Racine & Shell Lake	1912-1914
Regal Products LTD	Adams	1947-1955
Rhinelander Boat Co.	Rhinelander	1903-
Rhinelander Marine Mfg., Inc.	Rhinelander	1960-1961
Rice Lake Boat Co.	Rice Lake (Campia)	1959?-1964
Ryan Bros. Boat Co.	Oshkosh	1876-
St. Croix Corp.	Park Falls	1958-1960?
Schneider Boat Co.	419 W. Vliet St., Milwaukee	1934-1968
Shawano Boat Co.	Shawano	1925-1927
Shell Lake Boat	Shell Lake	1904-1980
Sidewinder of Wisconsin	Peshtigo (part of Thompson Boat)	1974-1980
Sierra Boats (TriStar Marine, Inc.)	Waupaca	1970s-1980s
Sipe Boat Co.	Hayward	1077
Ski Boats, Inc. (Cobra Jet boats)	Milwaukee (12120 Silver Spring)	-1976
Skipper Liner Houseboats	LaCrosse	1971-present
Smoker-Craft	Minong	1064 1070
Span Boats, Inc.	Rice Lake (Campia) & Cameron	1964-1970
H.G. Stafford Boat Factory	Eau Claire	1874
Stamm Boat Co.	1764 Milw St., Delafield	1956
Star Boat Works (John V. Hansen)	Minocqua	1953-
Stock Bros. Machine & Boat Co.	228 E. Main St., Madison	1911-
Storm Hawk Boats	5380 Farmco Rd., Madison	2002-2005
Streblow Custom Boats, Inc.	Walworth, WI	1950s-present
Sturgeon Bay Boat Mfg. Co.	Sturgeon Bay	1904-
Sunflower Boat Works	Lake Tomahawk	
Sylvan Marine North	Minong	1996
T & T Boats, Inc.	Wausaukee	1960-1965
Thompson Bros. Boat Mfg. Co.	Peshtigo	1904-1980
Tomahawk Boat Mfg. Corp.	Tomahawk (East Somo Ave)	1945-1966
Trachte Brothers Company	Madison	1930
Traveler Boats (Arkansas Traveler)	Adams	1955-1963
Tri-Star (Allsports & Sierra boats)	Kenosha (Louis Cerne)	1970s-1986
Universal Plastic Boat Corp. Schiller & Olive	Oshkosh	1953-1957
Waterways, Inc. (Sierra boats)	Ogdensburg (N5228 Hwy E)	1980s
Waupaca Boat Co.	Waupaca	1897-1946
Welch Boat & Supply Co	Milwaukee, WI	1934-
Wilson Boat Corporation	Rice Lake, WI	1947-1959?
Winner Boats of Nevada, Inc.	Peshtigo (part of Thompson Boat)	1978-1980
Wis-Craft Boat Co.	7804 2 <sup>nd</sup> Ave., Kenosha	
Wisconsin Marine Construction Co.	Prairie du Chien	1941
Wolfgram Boat Works & Sawmill	Wabeno	
Yar-Craft Boats	Wausau (Menominee, MI prior to 2004)	1969-2011
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This story appeared on The ACBS Website "Weekly Web Watch" March 6, 2020 A similar story appeared in Rudder magazines' "The Tiller" about "Lily" by Glacier Lakes Member, Lance Ehrke

Weekly Web Watch!

Our Chris-Craft is a 1933 18' Deluxe Runabout. She was built in late 1933 and delivered in early 1934 to Green Lake, Wisconsin. Her serial number is 33013 and as an early model of the family of 208 runabouts that were built over the next 5 years. She has a number of unique features. She has a black waterline, an oversized steering wheel and gears from a 1933 Ford Model T, the ignition switch was from a 1928 Dodge car, a nickel plated robe rail, and the stainless rub rails arrow design came from the CC triple designs. After a 25 year life on the lake there was a period where a lot of damage was done. A hole was chopped in her deck to handle a big anchor. Finally, she was dragged partially ashore, her engine run until it blew up. The damaged hull and oil covered interior was left partially submerged. The engine was removed and used as a buoy anchor at the Green Lake Marina. After about 8 years in this condition, we acquired the remains in 1968 and planned on restoring her to operating condition. After several years of cleaning, reading, and retrieving records from the Chris-Craft Factory, we coerced our 5 children to begin stripping varnish, washing oil soaked interior wood, and looking at pictures of what the boat would look like when she was restored. They worked hard on cleaning the dried oil and dirt. They never complained out loud about anything again. In 1980 we found a replacement Model B engine in New York and Peter Henkel in Detroit restored it with upgraded electronic ignition. There were fits and starts on restoration, with replating hardware (some chrome and other nickel plated from earlier CC triple parts, new windshield glass, checking and testing instruments. The deck damage and the dried-out hull were a mess. We attempted to repair the decks, but they were too far gone.

With the arrival of a 5th grandchild we decided to completely restore the boat. After a year in planning and working with an excellent group of skilled experienced help, the boat is restored to her original delivered condition. We added a bilge pump and bilge blower. New deck, 3M bottom and original sides. We replaced fuel tank and fuel lines. The upholstery was replaced with correct CC antique red Naugahyde, kapok seating, and synthetic horse hair seat backs. She was finished at the beginning of July 2008 and has worked perfectly. She has won a number of boat show awards. She is back at her Green Lake home cruising with our children and grandchildren.

# STORY APPEARED ON ACBS WEBSITE "Weekly Web Watch" March 4, 2020 Provided by Glacier Lakes chapter member Kevin Maltby Weekly Web Watch!





Aragonne is a 1938 Chris Craft 17'deluxe Model 818 with the KB 121hp engine. There were 23 model 818's made in 1938 and Aragonne was the last one built in July of 1938. She was sent to Madison Wisconsin on July 11, 1938 and was used on the Wisconsin River, Dells area.

I am the 4th owner, and according to the gentleman I bought the boat from she had a hard life. The 3rd owner bought the boat from a farmer whose land bordered the Wisconsin River where he found the boat sunk and abandoned. The farmer dragged it home put it on blocks, took it apart, and pulled the engine and hung it in a granary. That's the way the 3rd owner found it except it had fallen off the blocking and pushed the rudder thru the bottom of the boat. When I got the boat home and cleaned all the parts and junk out of it I saw that at one time she had been on fire too!

Restoration was quite a challenge. All previous owners had worked on the boat, taking more of it apart; so when I started working on her I had quite a jig-saw puzzle. She had the usual problems of rot,

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cracked frames and chine, oil soaked wood, a bottom you could see light thru, and decking that was paper thin and not to forget the damage when she fell off the farmer's blocks and pushed the rudder thru the keel. She does have the original engine, 75% of the original hardware (missing hardware was replaced with original CC pieces), and maybe 60% of the original wood left. The restoration took us with the help of my wife, daughter, father, and father-in-law 6 years to complete. Restoring a boat when working full time, raising two children, and remodeling and maintaining a house is a monumental task! But with the help of my family, became a rewarding experience with a beautiful outcome.

We use Aragonne mostly in the Three Lakes, Wisconsin area where we have a cottage. The Three Lakes area has chain of 17 lakes with perfect water for these old beautiful boats and there are a good number of woodies taking residence in the area. She is currently getting a fresh coat of varnish but hope to have her back on the water this summer.

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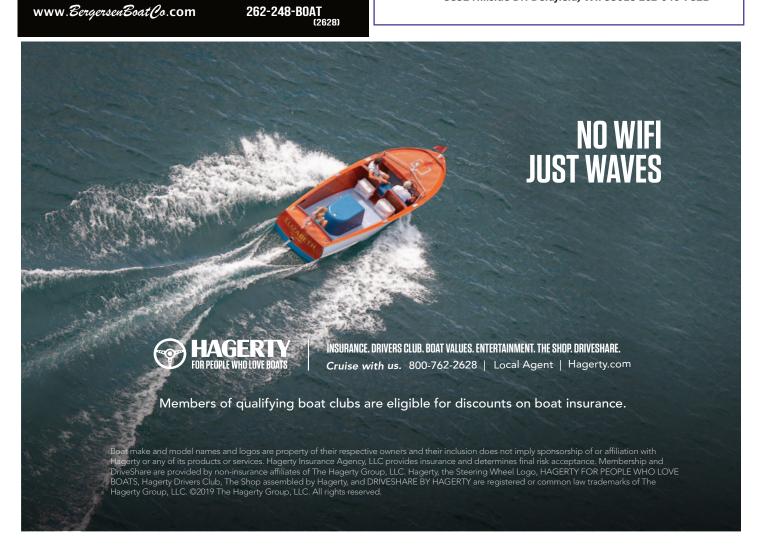
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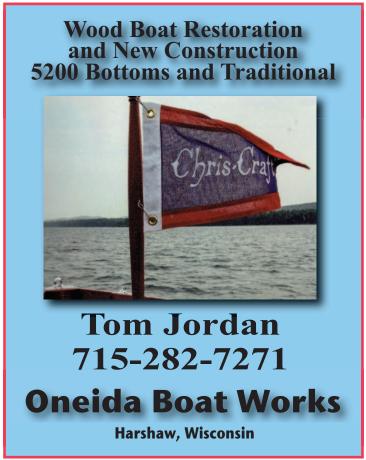
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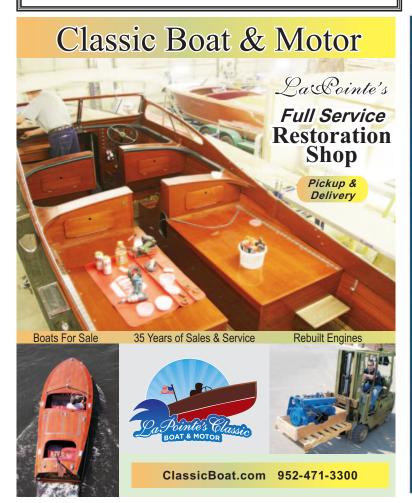


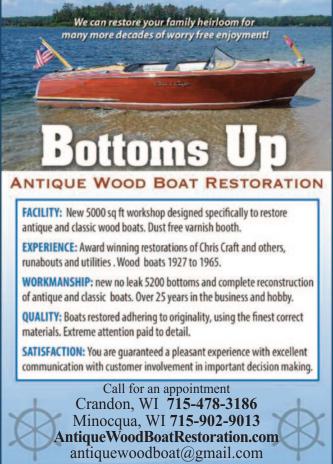
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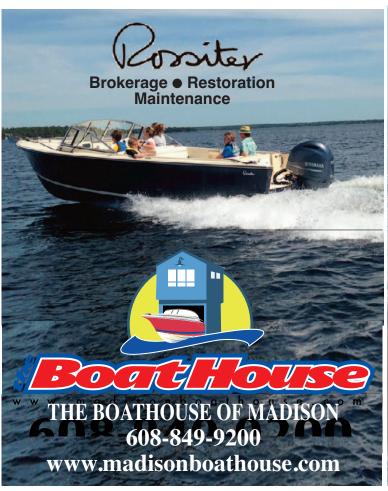
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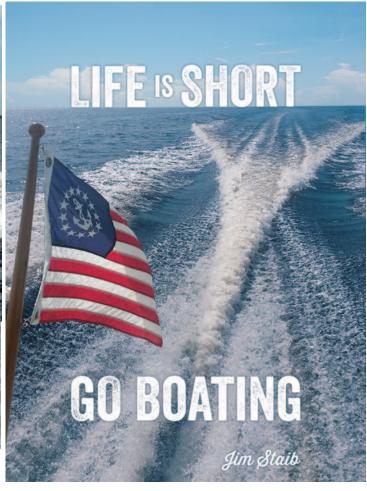
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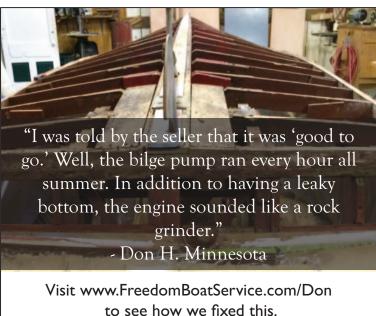
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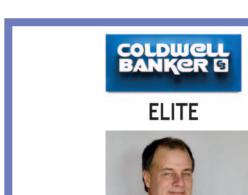
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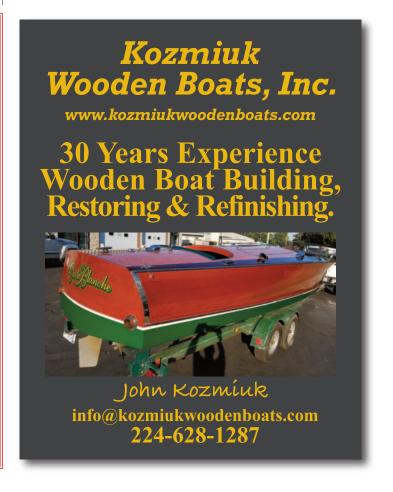
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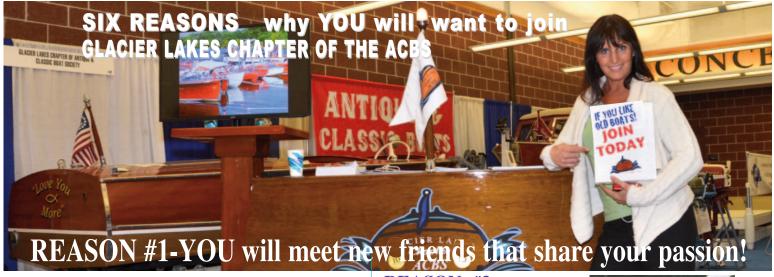
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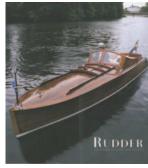
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