

Welcome to the 31st Mahogany Memories Annual Antique and Classic Boat Show

“Mahogany Memories” is hosted by the Southern New England Chapter (SNEC) of The Antique and Classic Boat Society (ACBS). The show features some of the finest examples of wooden boats by builders such as Chris-Craft, Gar Wood, Century, Lyman, Elco, Penn Yan, Fay & Bowen and other distinguished non-wood builders such as Glasspar, Mullins, MFG and Feather Craft. We hope that you will enjoy looking at these magnificent mahogany boats and that they bring back memories of earlier days when wooden pleasure boats were a common sight on the water. Please take this opportunity to talk with the boat owners to learn more about the joys of using and preserving these beautiful “woodies” and other memorable classics!

2015 SNEC/ACBS BOAT SHOW COMMITTEE

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and Launching**

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Lynn Mc Farlin—Registration**

ACBS BOAT CLASSIFICATIONS

Historic: A boat built up to and including 1918: ____ **Antique:** A boat built between 1919 and 1942, inclusive ____

Classic: A boat built between 1943 and 1975, inclusive ____

Late Classic: A boat built after 1976 and the year 25 years prior to the current calendar year ____

. This excludes pontoon boats, inflatable craft and PWC's.

. In 2015, the Late Classic period ends with boats built in 1990

Note: *A non-wood boat in this category must have some historical significance as determined by the show committee to be considered for display. Please send a photo and description on the registration form for review by the committee.*

Contemporary: A wooden boat built within the last 25 years ____

These age classifications apply to both boats and motors.

The Southern New England Chapter of ACBS would like to thank the Chapter members and the many volunteers, without whose help this boat show could not take place. The Chapter also would like to thank the Connecticut River Museum for its ongoing support of our annual boat show, and the following sponsors for their contributions to the 2015 “Mahogany Memories” 31st Annual Boat Show.

Sponsors

***Ashcroft Inc.
Clark Group
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NE Laser and Electro-Polish***

***CCJ
CT River Museum
Essex Savings Bank
Heritage Marine Insurance
ki Advertising
New England Chrome Plating***

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 Antique and Classic Boat Show Registration Form
 July 10, 2015--July 12, 2015 – Connecticut River Museum, Essex, CT

Participant's Information:

| | | |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|------------|
| Captain | First Mate | |
| Address | | |
| Day Phone | Evening Phone | Fax |
| Email Address-important | | |
| ACBS Chapter | | |

Boat Information:

| | | | |
|--|----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Boat Name | Boat Registration # | | |
| Make | Model | Year | Length |
| Engine Manufacturer | No. of Cylinders | HP | |
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| Runabout ____ | Utility ____ | Outboard with steering ____ | Outboard without steering ____ |
| Raceboat ____ | Cruiser ____ | Non-powered ____ | Sailboat ____ Launch ____ |
| Land Display ____ | Water Display ____ | | |
| NOTE: Land displays will not be judged unless there is no dock space available or at the Chief Judge's discretion. | | | |
| Judged..... | No ____ | Yes ____ | Preserved ____ Restored ____ |

Notes:

Registrants wishing to have their boats judged must indicate whether their boat should be judged as "Preserved" or as "Restored". A general guideline for wooden boats to be considered "Preserved" is the retention of at least 65% of the original planks, not considering the bottom (which is to be excluded from the originality determination). Other hull materials should follow similar rules. Owner's categorization will be accepted unless the judges find cause to determine otherwise, in which case the Chief Judge's determination will be final.

If you are displaying more than one boat, provide the boat information on a separate sheet.

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Participant Name(s): _____

Guest Name(s): _____

Participant's Summary:

Number of Boats entered _____ x \$25.00 = _____

Number of Boats judged _____ x \$15.00 = _____

Number of People attending Friday Night Cookout _____ x \$19.00* = _____

Consisting of: : Hot Dogs & Hamburgers, Sausage, Peppers and Onions, Pasta Salad, Fruit Salad, Tossed Salad, Onion, Tomatoes, Lettuce, Bags of Chips, Baked Beans, Dessert

Number of People attending the Saturday Night _____ x \$29.00* = _____

Dinner Choices: _____ Chicken _____ Fish _____ Beef _____ Vegetarian

Choice of Fish is at the discretion of the Old Saybrook Lions Club

Saturday's dinner consists of: Hors d'oeuvres, Dinner Choice, Chowder (weather dependent), Potato Salad, Tossed Salad and Fruit Salad, Rolls and Butter, and Dessert.

NOTES: Prices shown with * include gratuity to the Old Saybrook Lion's Club. Children up to 12 years old will be HALF of the ADULT prices.

Total Amount Due _____

**NO SMOKING ALLOWED ON THE GROUNDS OF THE CT RIVER MUSEUM
NO BYOB ALLOWED! CASH BAR WILL BENEFIT THE CONNECTICUT RIVER MUSEUM**

Insurance and Foreign Matter Wavier for All Boat Entrants:

This statement certifies that I am the owner of the above listed boat and that if the boat is launched in the water that the boat and the operator conforms to all state and federal laws and regulations. I am entering it in the 2015 31st Annual Mahogany Memories Boat Show sponsored by the Southern New England Chapter, Inc of the Antique and Classic Boat Society, Inc. This event will take place at the Connecticut River Museum in Essex, Connecticut on Saturday, July 11, 2015. Pre and post dockage will be available from noon on July 10, 2015 until 4:00 P.M. and on July 11, 2015 from 7:30 a.m. It is required that the drivers of any launched boat, participating in our boat show, obey all local speed limits and safety ordinances while operating the craft in and around the docking area.

Owners who are having their boat judged are encouraged to be present while their boat is being judged. By registering a boat to be judged, the owner explicitly grants permission for the judges to board the boat as may be needed to properly judge the boat. Judges are experienced in these matters and take due care during the judging process, however, the owner agrees that neither the judges nor the sponsoring organizations nor the ACBS are liable for any damage that may occur during the judging process.

Further, I certify that I currently have effective insurance to cover any damage to my boat and to cover my liability for any damages to others, or their property, arising from any use of my boat, car, truck and trailer during this event.

I hold harmless the officers and volunteers of the Antique and Classic Boat Society, Inc., the Southern New England Chapter Inc., the officers and staff of the Connecticut River Museum, any sponsors and or advertisers from any and all actions, claims, liabilities, assertions of liability which in any manner arise or are alleged to arise from any and all activities connected directly or indirectly or proximately with the boat show listed above. **The Chapter reserves the right to use any photos taken during the show of your boat for their use.**

Participant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

This form must be signed and on file before a boat is launched or displayed. For show information call:

Lynn McFarlin 860-966-7189 (cell) or 860-391-8512 (evening)

For registration information call or email: Lynn McFarlin 860-966-7189 (cell) or 860-391-8512 (evening)

Email address: lynn.mcfarlin2@gmail.com

Submit completed form and check made payable to: SNEC/ACBS

Mail to: Lynn McFarlin, 25 Sunset Road, Unit D20, Old Saybrook, CT 06475

All FORMS WITH A CHECK MUST BE RETURNED BY FRIDAY JUNE 26, 2015.

This will be our 31st Annual Antique and Classic Boat Show – register early – don't wait until the last minute!

**31st ANNUAL
SNEC/ACBS ANTIQUE AND CLASSIC BOAT SHOW
MAHOGANY MEMORIES- ESSEX, CT
SATURDAY JULY 11, 2015**

Boat Information for Display

(Please Print Clearly)

Name of Boat: _____

Owner(s): _____

*Phone: _____

Year Built: _____ ACBS Classification: _____

Make/Builder: _____

Model/Type: _____

Length: _____

Engine(s)/HP: _____

***This will only be used if it is necessary to obtain follow-up information; it is not for publication.**

Below, or on a separate sheet of paper, please include information about your boat that you would like to share with the public: background/history of your boat, its unique features, how/where/when you got it, where you run it, fun experiences you've had with the boat, recent awards, etc. Complete the information (50-100 words) for each boat you plan to bring to the show. The information will be displayed at the Essex Boat Show.

If you are exhibiting the same boat that you exhibited at the 2014 show and would like to keep the same description used in 2014, please indicate below.

_____ Yes I would like to use the 2014 description

_____ New description enclosed

We expect the show will be crowded so please send in your information just as soon as possible.

Return this form and the information about your boat(s) to Bette Heinzman at: email: bdbw3@sbcglobal.net, or mail to: Bette Heinzman, 155 Lakemere Drive, Southbury, CT 06488. Please forward this information just as soon as possible, but no later than Friday June 26, 2015 so printing deadlines can be met. If the information is not received by the above date, we cannot guarantee that the information you wish to pass on to our visitors about your boat(s) will be displayed.

**Important Rules and Regulations for the
“Mahogany Memories” 31st Annual Antique and Classic Boat Show
And All Future Shows at the CT River Museum**

To follow are some very important “rules and regulations” concerning our 31st Annual Antique and Classic Boat Show and subsequent shows at the CT River Museum:

- The Connecticut River Museum is a “**non-smoking**” venue and as such, no smoking is permitted on the grounds, the docks or any buildings within the museum proper.
- For those individuals bringing a boat in on Friday July 11th and placing it on the lawn, the museum has requested that boats being displayed on the lawn **not arrive any earlier than 1:00 p.m.** SNEC will have a designated chapter member available to ensure that the placing of the boats on the lawn goes smoothly. Boats may be brought in on Saturday from 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Someone will be available to assist with the placement of boats on the lawn.
- Please be cognizant of the fact that the museum has just had their entrance and lawn redone, so we must be careful of sprinkler heads, plantings, etc.
- The Connecticut River Museum is the Permittee on any liquor served during our event and as such, **no liquor may be brought in by individuals**. There will be a cash bar at the Friday night cook out as well as before, during and after the dinner and awards ceremony on Saturday. **Any additional liquor consumed must be purchased through the CT River Museum bartenders.**
- No overnight sleeping will be allowed on participant’s boats.



It's Boat Show Time!

As the Fleet Captain of our Chapter, it is my job to make sure we have an opportunity to get out on the water and run our classics. This year we will again have our Sunday Connecticut River Cruise. Last year we visited Hamburg Cove, Deep River and the Goodspeed as well as a diversion through the beautiful Selden Creek. It was fantastic time, and great to see our chapter well represented on the river.

We will also try to have a photographer with us to catch our boats in action so make sure your boat and your crew are decked out, be sure to fuel up and plan on joining us on the water Sunday morning at 10am.

Looking forward to seeing you at the 31st Annual Mahogany Memories Boat Show!

Steven Haines

Steven.g.haines@gmail.com

860-608-8930

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Directions to the Connecticut River Museum

From I-95 North or South

Take Exit 66 to Route 9 North to Exit 3 Westbrook/Essex. Turn **left** at the end of the ramp and then **right** to the light on West Ave. Follow West Ave. to Prospect Street on the **left** to Methodist Hill. Take the first **right** to Essex Square onto Main Street. Follow Main Street to the ramp at the end of the road.

From Hartford

Take Route 9 South to Exit 3 Westbrook/Essex. At the end of the ramp turn **left** under the overpass to the traffic light. Turn **left** at the light onto West Avenue. Follow West Ave. to Prospect Street on the **left** to Methodist Hill. Take the first **right** to Essex Square onto Main Street. Follow Main Street to the ramp at the end of the road.

Launching at the Essex Town Ramp

The Essex town launch ramp is at the end of Main Street alongside the lawn of the Connecticut River Museum. There is room for several boats to stage without blocking traffic; but we must launch in a manner so that the local law enforcement establishment is not irritated. We ask that all participating boat owners drive up to the ramp and prepare your boat for launching while you are waiting for the boats ahead of you to launch; once your boat is launched have someone move your vehicle and trailer to the trailer parking area. **Do not leave your boat or vehicle and trailer unattended at or near the ramp.** There will be a launch team available to assist you.

Launching at Haddam Meadows State Park

If you want to enjoy a ride on the River and launch and retrieve your boat in fresh water, you can use the State launch ramp at Haddam Meadows State Park (approximately 10 miles up river from Essex). There is no fee, and you can leave your vehicles. This is a concrete ramp with docks on both sides. Be aware that the ramp may be busy during the weekend. If you will need your vehicle during the weekend, you will have to make your own arrangements.

Directions to Haddam Meadows State Park

From the South

Take Route 9 North to Exit 7 (Route 82). At the "T" with Route 154, turn **left** (North) and stay on Route 154 until you see the sign for Haddam Meadows State Park **on the right** (approximately 3-4 miles). Enter the Park, turn **right** and follow the road to the launch ramp.

From the North

Take Route 9 South to Exit 10. Turn **right** (South) onto Route 154. Stay on Route 154 until you see the sign for Haddam Meadows State Park **on the left** (approximately 6 miles). Enter the Park, turn **right** and follow the road to the launch ramp.

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Parking in Essex

Unfortunately, there is no parking available at the Connecticut River Museum. The limited parking is reserved for handicapped access and the area is needed to park and arrange for displays that will be on the lawn. To ensure a safe and enjoyable visitor experience, please do not leave unattended vehicles blocking the main gate or walkways into the museum.

Boat Trailer Parking

From the Museum

Make a right hand turn onto Ferry Street

Follow around to Pratt Street

Pratt Street takes you to the center of town

Take a left onto West Avenue

Address is **50 West Avenue** which is approximately 2+ miles from the museum

Will be on left hand side behind the industrial park and next to the pond

Accommodations in the Essex Area

The Griswold Inn

36 Main Street
Essex, CT 06426
(860) 767-1776

www.griswoldinn.com

Comfort Inn

100 Essex Road
Old Saybrook, CT 06475
(860) 395-1414
Fax: (860) 388-9578

The Deacon Timothy Pratt House

325 Main Street
Old Saybrook, CT 06475
(860) 395-1229

Liberty Inn

55 Springbrook Road
Old Saybrook, CT 06475
(860) 388-1777
Fax: (860) 395-4705

Saybrook Motor Inn

1575 Boston Post Road
Old Saybrook, CT 06475
(860) 399-5926
Fax: (860) 399-8510

Saybrook Point Inn and Spa

Two Bridge Street
Old Saybrook, CT 06475
(860) 395-2000
(800) 243-0212
Fax: (860) 388-1504

The Admiral House

Spencer Plains Road
Old Saybrook, CT 06475
(860) 399-6273

Copper Beech Inn

46 Main Street
Ivoryton, CT 06442
(888) 809-2056

www.copperbeechinn.com

Days Inn

1430 Boston Post Road
Old Saybrook, CT 06475
(860) 388-3453
Fax: (860) 395-0209
Reservations: 1-800-Days Inn

Heritage Motor Inn

1500 Boston Post Road
Old Saybrook, CT 06475
(860) 388-3743

Sandpiper Inn

1750 Boston Post Road
Old Saybrook, CT 06475
(860) 399-7973
Fax: (860) 399-7387
Reservations: (800) 323-7973

Riverwind Inn

209 Main Street
Deep River, CT 06417
(860) 526-2014
(866) 52602014 (toll free)

Captain Stannard House B&B

138 South Main Street
Westbrook, CT 06498
(860) 399-4634
Fax: (860) 399-0072

Days Inn

375 East Main Street
Branford, CT
(203) 488-8314

Additional accommodations may be found at www.ctrivervalley.com