



Adirondack Chapter, ACBS
44th Annual Lake George
Antique and Classic Boat Rendezvous
August 25th & 26th, 2017

The Adirondack Chapter of the Antique & Classic Boat Society is proud to present the 44th Annual Antique & Classic Boat Rendezvous. Scheduled annually for the fourth weekend of August it provides a setting for fun and friendship. Lake George, nicknamed “The Queen of American Lakes” is 32 miles long and varies from 1–3 miles in width. There are a total of 395 islands of various sizes on the lake. Come and spend some time exploring this beautiful lake and participate in our annual boat show. There will be many interesting boats and other land displays to see.

Even if you don't have a boat coming to the show, please join us for the pre & post show events!

*****REMINDER*****

All trailered boats being launched into Lake George must undergo an inspection at one of the seven regional inspection stations around Lake George before they launch. The purpose of this inspection is to ensure that boats and trailers are clean, drained and dry, and are harboring no invasive species. There is no cost to boaters for these inspections, or the washing of the boat and trailer if determined necessary by an inspection technician. <http://lgboatinspections.com/>

Boat Show Weekend Highlights

Friday, August 25th

- 1:00 pm – 2:30pm: Guided lake tour of Southern basin in your boat. Event will start at the village docks. More information below.
- 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm: Cocktail / Hors D'Oeuvres welcoming party with cash bar at The Boardwalk Restaurant, Lake George

Saturday, August 26th

- 8:00 am – 10:00 am: Complimentary coffee and light breakfast fare provided for exhibitors
- 8:00 am – 10:00 am: Registration and dock/land assignments.
- 10:00 am – 4:00 pm: Boats on display.
- 2:30 pm: Mandatory captains meeting for fly-by parade participants.
- 3:00 pm – 4:00pm: Fly-by parade
- 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm: Award Dinner at The Georgian, Lake George

We will once again have our fly-by parade for the spectators to view. As the boats pass the docks, they will be announced by name and a brief description of the boat. **On the registration form, there is a check box where you may indicate whether or not you plan to participate in this activity.** We will dock boats not participating in this event together.

Traditionally a non-judged show, exhibitors and participants are asked to vote on boats in the different ACBS categories. The public also votes for the “People’s Choice” Award. Additional voting and awards information will be included in your registration packet. The awards will be presented at the dinner after the show.

REGISTRATION FORM

Due to docking restrictions, only ACBS members will be allowed to display their boat in the water. Please complete (with ACBS membership number if registering for an in-water display), sign and return the registration form, no later than August 18, 2017, with proper remittance.

Once registration is received, you will receive an email confirmation. On or around August 23rd, a docking diagram will be emailed to all in water registrants. Please find and remember your location, as you will need to know this coming into the docks. **PLEASE be sure to bring plenty of fenders and lines, some of you will be tying stern in to the sea wall with your bow secured by a tether line.**

The Adirondack chapter continues to support the guidelines presented by ACBS International regarding the “Best Preserved” and “Best Restored” categories. On the registration form, please indicate if your boat has been “preserved” or “restored”. The general criteria is that traditional boats with less than 65% of their original hull side and deck planks should be considered as “restored” rather than “preserved”. Bottom replacement is a safety item and should not be factored into the preserved/restored estimate. We will be presenting the “Best Preserved – Most Original Boat Award” at our dinner. This award is provided annually to the chapter from ACBS headquarters. Please remember there is no official judging at our show; we are voting on what we personally like best.

Friday Cruise of the Southern Basin

Bring your boat and join members of the Adirondack Chapter as they take you on a guided tour of the Southern Basin, starting at 1:00pm. This hour and a half cruise (feel free to end sooner if you prefer) will start and conclude at the village docks. Questions? Contact Tom Carmel at 914-584-4005

Friday Evening

Our Friday welcoming reception will be held at The Boardwalk Restaurant in Lake George. The restaurant is located at 2 Lower Amherst St, Lake George, NY 12845; and is directly on the shores of Lake George. There will be VERY LIMITED docking available and we suggest you come by car. If coming by boat, be sure to bring fenders as you may need to raft. The Boardwalk does have their own private parking lot. Come check their brand new boat bar!

There will be plenty of hors d'oeuvres and boat talk. A cash bar will be available. Come and join us to see old friends and meet new ones.

Saturday's Events

When you arrive Saturday morning, you will be greeted by the dock/land display masters or event staff who will arrange land placement and assist with docking. We request that all registered participants be in place by 9:45 am.

Our awards dinner will be held at The Georgian, on the terrace by the pool (or inside by the pool area, if inclement weather); they are located at 384 Canada St, Lake George, NY 12845 (www.georgianresort.com). Dinner will be buffet style; dessert, water, soft drinks and ice tea will be included. A cash bar will also be available. The Georgian has plenty of parking including an underground garage.

Again this year, the Adirondack Chapter will be supplementing both events for all our members and guests.

LAUNCHING SITES

Lake George: Million Dollar Beach ramp: - Located on Beach Road in Lake George Village, just east of the docks. **If you want to use this launch you need to get there EARLY, they only have 25 spaces for trailer parking.**
<http://www.lakegeorge.com/boating/public-docking.cfm>

East Side: Dunham's Bay Marina: - 4.3 miles north on 9L. This site is for small boats only. (22 ft. or less with low windshields) You have to go under a fixed bridge to get to the lake.
Phone: 518-744-2627 or 518-798-1718 www.dunhamsbaymarina.com

West Side: Norowal Marina: - 11.3 miles north on 9N in Bolton Landing. Full service marina.
Phone: 518-644-3741 www.norowalmarina.com

If you trailer your boat to Lake George, please remember to purchase a Lake Use Permit. (\$7.50 day, \$11.25 per week) Permits are available at any Marina.

Additional Information

If you are registering as a Vendor, it is required by the Village of Lake George to provide a tax ID number. Please include that number in the space provided on the registration form.

If you need any other information or assistance, please contact Marsha Smith, Boat Show Registrar, at 518-225-0684 or e-mail: marshab@nycap.rr.com, or Boat Show Co-Chairs Ed Becker, at 518-469-3600, email: beckerdvm@gmail.com; or Tom Carmel at 914-584-4005, email: underwriterssurvey@verizon.net

We look forward to seeing you at the show!