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Beyond Sandy Tours Starting Soon - First tour 21 May!



**Special Discount for readers of On The Hip.
You can buy tickets at the WHC Member rate of \$32.**

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All Hidden Harbor and Beyond Sandy Tours leave from Pier 16 at the South Street Seaport. Boarding is 15 minutes prior to departure. Tours depart at 6:30 pm and return at 8:30 pm. Pier 16 is at the foot of Fulton Street & the East River. Tours are rain or shine – there are 3 decks including 2 fully covered.

**Beyond Sandy: Tour 1
High Seas on the Inner Harbor**



High Seas on the Inner Harbor: From Wall Street to Snug Harbor

Tuesday - 21 May

Special Guest Speakers:

Lucy Ambrosino

Manager of Outreach for the Port Commerce Department of the
Port Authority of New York and New Jersey

Philip Orton

Research Scientist, Stevens Institute of Technology

Jill Eisenhard

Founder & Executive Director of the Red Hook Initiative

This tour is from the Verrazano Bridge to Hoboken, including Brooklyn, Staten Island, New Jersey, The Statue of Liberty & Ellis Island. See where giant sea gates are proposed.

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Beyond Sandy: Tour 2 - Fire, Floods and Floating Containers



**Fire, Floods and Floating Containers: East River - Hell Gate
to Governors Island Speakers**

Tuesday - 28 May

Venetia Lannon

Director, NYS Department of Environmental Conservation

Chris Ward

Exec VP, Dragados USA, Chair of the Metropolitan Waterfront Alliance
and former Executive Director of the
Port Authority of New York and New Jersey

Dakotah West

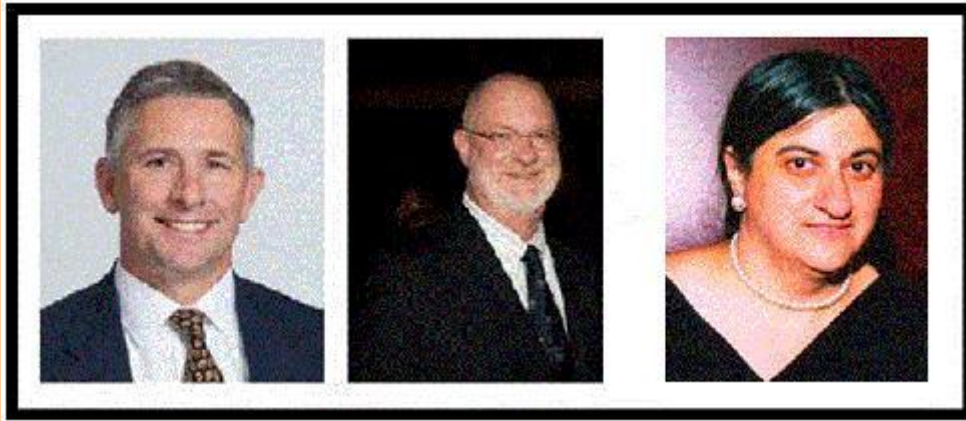
Manager, Disaster Recovery
New York Cares

This tour traverses the East River from Queens to Governors Island, including the
East Side of Manhattan, Newtown Creek & Brooklyn Navy Yard.
See the site of the giant electric sub-station explosion.

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Beyond Sandy: Tour 3 - Protecting Our Ports



Protecting Our Ports: From Red Hook to Newark Bay

Tuesday - 4 June

John Boule

VP Parsons Brinckeroff, Inc
& Former Director, US Army Corps of Engineers, NY Harbor

Ed Kelly

Executive Director, Maritime Association
of the Port of New York and New Jersey

Reverend Dr. Terry Troia

Executive Director Project Hospitality

This tour traverses Kill van Kull to Newark Bay, including container terminals, oil docks, tug yards, & rail yards. Learn how close we came to a goods delivery crisis.

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Hidden Harbor Tours - North River Tour with Bill Miller- 11 Jun

Summer Hidden Harbor Tours Series Begins!

**North River Tour - 11
Jun**

Hosted by Mr. Ocean Liner -
Bill Miller. We begin by
passing around the southern



tip of Manhattan and the large ferry terminals to Staten Island and Governors Island. We travel north up along the west side of Manhattan passing the Battery & Castle Clinton, then most of Hudson River Park, including historic ships, ferry terminals, fireboat terminals, historic Pier 57, Chelsea Piers, excursion boats, the Intrepid Sea, Air, and Space Museum and finally the passenger ship terminals. We then cross over to the New Jersey side passing the historic Hoboken waterfront, scene of "On The Waterfront", another active shipyard, Morris Canal entrance and finally, as all our tours do, we stop at the Statue of Liberty for a moment before returning to Pier 16.

Tours leaves from Pier 16 at the South Street Seaport District at 6:30 p.m. on the large three-deck motor vessel Zephyr

Additional Hidden Harbor Tours including Port Newark/Port Elizabeth and Brooklyn will be coming in July, August and September.

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Staten Island Walking Tours - First Tour 22 Jun



(c) Mitch Waxman

Hidden Harbor Walking Tour of Staten Island

11:00am – 1:00pm

Saturday, 22 June & Saturday 10 August

Join WHC's **Mitch Waxman** for an intense exploration of the Staten Island coastline of the Kill Van Kull, the busy waterway connecting Port Elizabeth-Newark with the lower harbor. Expect tugboats, special guests and a few surprises as we walk the two miles from the Staten Island Ferry terminal at St. George to Sailors Snug Harbor, home of the Noble Maritime Collection, featuring works of maritime artist John A. Noble.

Tour Leader:

Mitch Waxman is a photographer and historian known for his work documenting Newtown Creek and the Hidden

Harbor. A Working Harbor Steering Committee Member and official photographer, Mitch enjoys sharing the obscure, unique and often overlooked facets of the harbor of New York and New Jersey.

MEET UP

Meet at the St. George Ferry terminal in Staten Island, walk to the outside plaza at the north end exit (toward the baseball stadium, plaza above/over the cab stand), at 11:00 am.

Ends at Snug Harbor Cultural Center & Botanical Garden, Nobel Maritime collection at 1:00 pm

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