



Working Harbor Committee

For the heritage and future of the harbor of New York and New Jersey

Celebrating our 10th Anniversary Year

ON THE HIP*

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Annual Working Harbor Committee Gala Honoring: Clay Maitland



The Working Harbor Committee cordially invites you to attend The 7th Annual Gala Award Reception Honoring Clay Maitland

Thursday, 29 March 2012 at India House Club in Manhattan.

Clay is the Managing Partner, International Registries, Inc. and the Founding Chairman, NAMEPA (North American Marine Environment Protection Association).

We will be honoring Clay for his extraordinary leadership forging alliances for sustainable maritime transport and trade and its future through the promotion of training and education; his commitment to the development and education of youth; his advocacy for environmental sustainability; and his outstanding contribution to a multitude of maritime organizations.

For more information and tickets go to www.workingharbor.org

Profile: Clay Maitland



Clay Maitland is the Founding Chairman of the North American Marine Environment Protection Association (NAMEPA) and a member of the

Board of Directors of NYMAR (New York Maritime).

He has worked in the maritime industry since 1968 after graduation from Law School. Maitland has been a part of and observed numerous changes in the industry over the years, from the containerization of cargo to the revolution in global communications; from telex machine to satellite e-mail; from small tankers to large LNG carriers.

Maitland has worked for International Registries, Inc., for over 30 years and is the owner and managing partner of the company, which administers the Marshall Islands Ship Registry. It is now the third largest registry in the world.

Check out Clay Maitland's blog at www.claymaitland.com

"All About Tugs" panel & films



Inside The Tugboat Industry **How it was then | What it is today | Why it's important**

Documentary Short Film *Tugs* by filmmaker Jessica Edwards
Historical Short Tugboat Films from archivist Mitch Dakelman
Panel of tug captains, crew, owners and professionals
moderated by Capt. Betsy Frawley Haggerty

Plus: Reception with food, beer, wine and beverages

17 April 2012
6:00 pm

Community Church of New York
40 East 35th Street,
New York, NY 10019

The film **Tugs** by noted film maker Jessica Edwards, which was screened at numerous international film festivals, features tugboats from Miller's Launch with scenes of the everyday work life on a tug. It ends with dramatic images from the 18th Annual Great North River Tugboat Race & Competition. The film features Captain Fred Kosnac III, Captain Glen Miller, Veronica Kosnac-Rafone, Teresa Baldini and Working Harbor Committee's own Captain John Doswell and Captain Jerry Roberts.

Visit www.tugsfilm.com

Following the films we will feature a panel of tugboat captains, owners, crew members, and other tugboat professionals. The panelists will talk about their maritime experiences and will take questions from the audience. A reception with food, beer and wine will follow the films & panel

6:00 pm – Check in & enjoy light snacks and beverages
 6:30 pm – Program begins
 8:00 pm – Reception to meet the panelists
 Wine, beer, soda, coffee, tea, assorted hors d'oeuvres

Price — Adults: \$25, Seniors (62+) \$20

[Click Here for Tickets](#)

Thanks to [Classic Harbor Lines](#) for Reception donations

2012 Hidden Harbor Tours®: Tickets On Sale Now!!

Working Harbor Committee 2012 Hidden Harbor Tours® Schedule		
20 MAY Newark Bay Tour	22 MAY Special Tour OpSail 2012 Anchored Vessels*	23 MAY Special Tour 9:00AM Departure OpSail 2012 Parade*
5 JUNE Brooklyn Tour	19 JUNE Newark Bay Tour	2 OR 3 JULY Special Tour** Brooklyn + July 4 th Fireworks Prep
10 JULY North River Tour**	24 JULY Newark Bay Tour	7 AUGUST Brooklyn Tour
21 AUGUST Newark Bay Tour	4 SEPTEMBER Brooklyn Tour	18 SEPTEMBER Newark Bay Tour

Additional Special Tours:

- Lighthouse Tours - with the National Lighthouse Museum
- Newtown Creek Tours
- Rail-to-Marine Tour - circumnavigation of Manhattan
- Circumnavigation of Staten Island - including select Lighthouses
- Visit workingharbor.org for more information

Tours depart from Pier 16, South Street Seaport at 6:15PM (5:30PM in September). Tours are 2 hours.
 *Special OpSail 2012 tours are 3 hours.
 **Date to be confirmed.


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2012 WHC Hidden Harbor Tours®

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*Note: Tickets not available yet for OpSail or 4th of July Tours.
 Details will be in the next edition of On the Hip.*

The OpSail tours will include close up views (but not boarding) of tall ships as well as expert information about these magnificent vessels, including their history, type, size, and country of origin. The vessels will be available for boarding from the 24th to the 28th at various locations in Manhattan, Brooklyn and Staten Island.

The "fireworks prep" tour will go to where the fireworks barges are loaded but does not include any fireworks itself (at least not intentionally...).

Special Harbor Seals Tours - NYC Audubon Winter Ecocruises

NYC Audubon Winter Ecocruise Returns with the Seals!

Step aboard for a winter adventure in New York Harbor! Look for harbor seals on the rocky shores of Governors Island and the more remote Hoffman and Swinburne Islands.

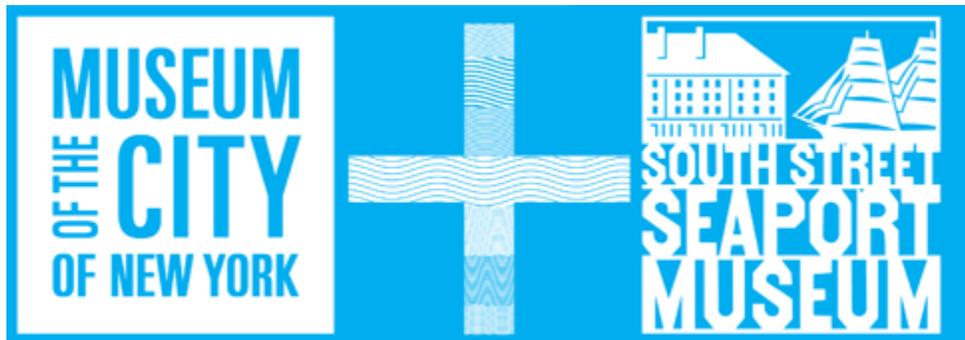
Learn about the surprisingly diverse winter birds of New York City, including ducks, geese, loons, and sandpipers - many of

which migrate south from the Arctic Circle. Dress warmly and bring your binoculars because there will be plenty to see!



Sunday, 26 February
Pier 17, South Street Seaport
11:00 am and 2:00pm
Adults: \$35 | Children (3-12yrs): \$25
[For tickets, click here](#)

South Street Seaport Museum Re-Opens



The new South Street Seaport Museum has just re-opened under new management - the acclaimed Museum of the City of New York.

The SSSM was originally started many years ago by Working Harbor Committee's founder Peter Stanford, who remains actively interested in both organizations.

Check out the new museum - only \$5.

[For directions and Exhibits, check out the website by clicking here here](#)

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Thank you and we look forward to seeing you on a Hidden Harbor Tour® soon!

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