



Working Harbor Committee

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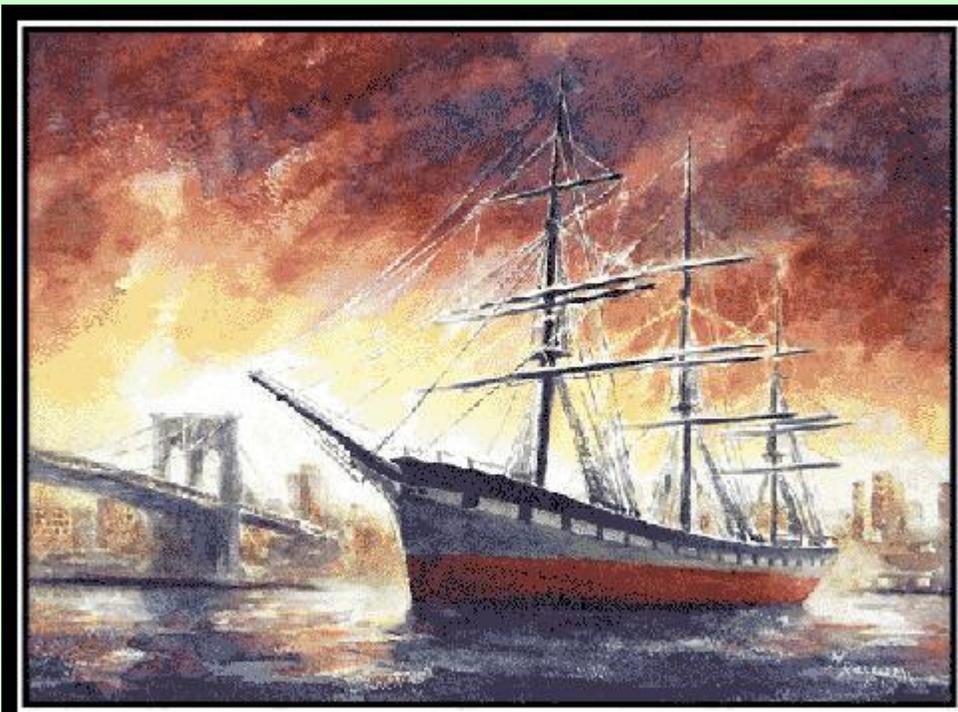
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Raffle: Win a Naima Rauam Watercolor at the 7th Annual WHC Gala



**Original framed watercolor of the tall ship
"Wavertree at Sunrise"**

by noted waterfront artist Naima Rauam

Picture dimensions 11"h x 15"w

Over \$1,100 value framed

*Wavertree is currently being restored by the newly revived
South Street Seaport Museum*

Tickets:

\$25 each or 5 for \$100

Proceeds benefit the Working Harbor Committee

and its mission to educate people about the history and value of our working harbor.

*Drawing to take place at the annual **WHC Gala honoring Clay Maitland***

Thursday Evening - 29 March 2012

India House Club - Marine Room

You do not need to be present to win

[For Raffle Tickets Click Here](#)

[For Gala Tickets Click Here](#)

For information on the WHC Gala go to www.workingharbor.org

Profile: WHC Board member Capt. Carleen Lyden-Klusses



Capt. Carleen Lyden-Kluss is Founder and President of Morgan Marketing & Communications. In her 30 years of professional experience, including over 20 in shipping, she has helped her clients develop business, reorganize and reposition their corporations, improve strategic planning, and manage sales.

Carleen is also the Co-Founder and Executive Director of NAMEPA (North American Marine Environment Protection Association) leveraging off her experience as a marketing and communications professional in the commercial maritime industry with over 30 years of experience.

Carleen grew up on an island south of Detroit where Lake Erie and the Detroit River meet. She was always fascinated by the commercial shipping traffic going by. She was thrilled to

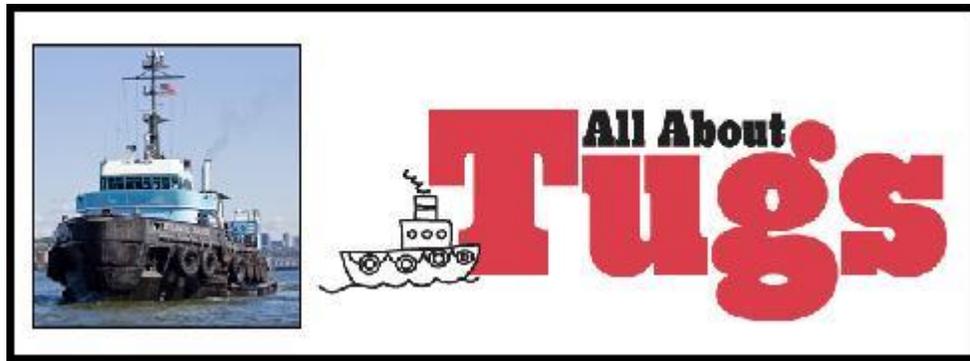
become part of an industry that is truly the most important transportation system in the world.

Through her work, Carleen has traveled to many of the world's iconic ports, and many remain that she would love to visit. She visits Greece frequently, as it represents an economy that revolves around shipping. Last December she visited the ports of China, and, most recently, Singapore.

In Carleen's words: "These trips underscore for me the unique components of our own port of New York. We have the seaborne activities and physical infrastructure coupled with the support services to keep it all flowing efficiently and economically. We need that combination to be successful, and New York certainly has all the elements!"

Carleen graduated from Wellesley College with a BA in Political Science and History (minor in Economics) and studied Accounting at Cornell School of Business Administration. She is a member of the Connecticut Maritime Association, the Marine Society, Intertanko, and The National Press Club, and is a trained facilitator and media trainer. She holds a USCG 100-ton Captain's license, and is the Past President of the Propeller Club Chapter of the Port of NY/NJ, and a member of the Executive Council of the International Propeller Club. She is also the Executive Director of NYMAR (New York Maritime, Inc.), and Press Officer for both WISTA USA and International. She sits on the Board of Trustees of the Sea Research Foundation, the Maritime Industries Academy (Baltimore Harbor School), and the Working Harbor Committee. In 2010, she received the United States Coast Guard Certificate of Merit.

"All About Tugs" Panel & Film Evening - 17 April



Atlantic Salvor (c) Mitch Waxman

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

Opening with Walt Disney's 1948 "Little Toot" cartoon about a little tug that could

Documentary Short Film "Tugs" by filmmaker Jessica Edwards

Documentary film "Tugging Through Time, The History of New York Harbor Tugboats." by filmmaker Tom Garber

Panel of tug captains, crew, owners and professionals moderated by Capt. Betsy Frawley Haggerty

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 filmmaker Jessica Edwards, was screened at numerous international film festivals and 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.

Tugging Through Time, The History of New York Harbor Tugboats, a documentary by award-winning filmmaker Tom Garber, combines rare footage of early steam tugs, onboard footage of today's modern tugs and interviews with tug company presidents to tell the story of an industry that has been filled with determination, drive and courage from the very beginning. It shows the heroic role tugboats and their crews played in the 9/11 "boat lift" that brought hundreds of thousands of people to safety.

following the terrorist attacks. And it shows tug crews joyously competing for honors at New York Harbor's annual tugboat race and competition.

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

8:30 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

Opsail 2012 Coming - 22 May to 30 May



Operation Sail and the US Navy celebrate the bicentennial of The Star-Spangled Banner.

Since the very first OpSail in 1964, the parade of sail has displayed the majesty and beauty of international tall ships. During 2012, in celebration of the "The Star-Spangled Banner," the parade will be called The Star-Spangled Sail.

Class A tall ships from countries all over the world will journey to New Orleans, New York, Norfolk, New London, Baltimore, and Boston, joining the USCGC Eagle for the Star-Spangled Sail.

Schedule

22 May - Ships arrive, anchor near Sandy Hook

23 May - 09:00 Parade of Sail to GW Bridge

24 May - Private touring - 09:00 – 11:30

25 May - Private touring - 09:00 – 11:30, Public touring – 12:00 – 18:00

26 May - Private touring - 09:00 – 11:30, Public touring – 12:00 – 18:00

27 May - Private touring - 09:00 – 11:30, Public touring – 12:00 – 18:00

28 May - Memorial Day Flyover, Private touring - 09:00 – 11:30 Public touring – 12:00 – 18:00

30 May - Ships depart

Special OpSail 2012 Tall Ships Hidden Harbor Tour



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NEW!! Special OpSail 2012 Tall Ships Hidden Harbor Tour 22 May @ 6:15PM 3 Hours

See, close up, several international tall ships from around the world at anchor south of the Verrazano Bridge as they gather in preparation for the big parade on 23 May.

Vessels may include:

Cisne Branco, full rigged ship , Brazil

Cuauhtemoc, barque, Mexico

Dewaruci (AKA *Dewa Ruci*), barquentine, Indonesia

Eagle, barque, USA

Etoile, topsail schooner, France

Gloria, barque, Colombia

Guayas, barque, Ecuador

Juan Sebastian De Elcano, topsail schooner, Spain

La Belle Poule, topsail schooner, France

Expert guests narrators will talk about each vessel, from particulars to history to inside stories. Does not include boarding of vessels.

[Click here to purchase tickets for this exciting new tour!!](#)

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 Brooklyn Tour	24 JULY Newark Bay Tour	7 AUGUST North River Tour
21 AUGUST Newark Bay Tour	4 SEPTEMBER Brooklyn Tour	18 SEPTEMBER Newark Bay Tour

Additional Special Tours:

- 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.



2012 WHC Hidden Harbor Tours®

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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...).

Seaport Museum Ship Update



(c) John Watson

The "new" South Street Seaport Museum has just re-opened under new management - the acclaimed Museum of the City of New York. The South Street Seaport Museum was originally started many years ago by Working Harbor Committee's founder Peter Stanford, who remains actively interested in both organizations.

Many of the museum ships are currently being restored following the Museum's recent re-opening.

- Pictured to the left, **Ambrose** is getting a new paint job among other things at Caddell Dry Dock in Staten Island.

- **Lettie G. Howard** has been brought up to Mystic Connecticut and will return after her restoration.

- **W.O Decker** and **Pioneer** are being worked on locally at the South Street Seaport Museum.

The Seaport Museum Springs Forward

Monday 12 March - 6pm-8pm

Celebrate the Return of the Ambrose with a newly repaired hull and a paint job. Weather permitting we will gather on the dock and then party at 12 Fulton Street.

Visit the South Street Seaport Website seany.org

To become a member click here

Harbor FAQs: What's the difference between flotsam and jetsam?

Both terms refer to floating debris, and might, therefore, be considered synonyms. However, technically "flotsam" (also known as "floatsam" or "flotson") refers to the floating remains after a ship has foundered (or sunk), or cargo that was washed overboard by a storm, like wood items, furniture, life rings and so forth. Items that have been deliberately jettisoned (thrown overboard) from a ship, usually a ship in distress, are called "jetsam". A ship in danger of sinking might jettison some cargo or other items to lighten the ship. In other words, "jetsam" is deliberate whereas "flotsam" is accidental.



Of course, if a boater happens to find some floating debris in the water, it would be hard to distinguish the difference. One new hazard to navigation has become common with the advent of containerized shipping: containers that have been washed overboard in a storm. While they eventually sink, for a while they may float just at the surface, largely submerged and thus hard to spot by eye, radar or sonar.

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What you have to say is important to us and will help us know how we can improve our programs and events.

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