



Working Harbor Committee

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

Celebrating our 10th Anniversary Year

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Newark Bay Hidden Harbor Tour

Special Guest Speaker: Ed Kelly

Director of the Maritime Association of the Port of New York/ New Jersey

Edward J. Kelly is the Executive Director of the Maritime Association of the Port of New York/ New Jersey. In his spare time, Ed can usually be found on a Civil War battlefield, where he is a living history reenactor, and battlefield preservationist.

Tour Description: This tour passes by the Red Hook Container Terminal and visits Erie Basin, home of Hughes Brothers Barges and Reinauer Tugs before crossing the harbor

toward Staten Island. It then enters Kill Van Kull, the area's busiest waterway dividing Staten Island and Bayonne, passing tug yards, oil docks and marine repair facilities. It then passes under the Bayonne Bridge and visits the giant container ports of Newark Bay, Port Newark and Port Elizabeth where the world's largest container ships tie up. On the way back, we pass by Military Ocean Terminal, the 9/11 Teardrop Memorial, the Robbins Reef Lighthouse and another container port, ending up at the Statue of Liberty for a moment before returning to Pier 16.

[Click Here For Tickets](#)

21 Aug, 6:15pm - 8:15pm

Aboard yacht **Zephyr**

Departs from Pier 16 @ South Street Seaport

Boards 15-minutes prior to scheduled sail time

20th Annual Running of the Great North River Tugboat Race & Competition



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20th Annual Running of the Great North River Tugboat Race & Competition

Sponsored by the Working Harbor Committee

With

Circle Line Sightseeing Cruises

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The Towing Industry

**Sunday, 2 September, 2012 - Pier 84, North River
West 44th Street and Hudson River, NYC, NY**

**Special Circle Line 42 Spectator Boat
Be in the parade of tugs! Be in the race!!
Improved Close Up Views!!**

Watch & hear all the action with the nose-to-nose challenges!!

Listen to all the marine radio chatter!!

9:30 am to appx 11:30 am - boarding at 9:00 am

\$30 adult - \$25 child

[For Tickets Click Here](#)

Race Day Schedule

10:00 AM – Parade of tugs from Pier 84 to the start line.

10:30 AM – Race starts – From 79th Street Boat Basin to Pier 84.

11 AM – Nose to nose pushing contests and line toss competition.

Noon – Tugs tie up to Pier 84 for lunch and awards ceremony.

Exhibits, amateur line toss, spinach eating contest
1 PM – Awards ceremony. Tugs depart at about 2 PM.

Hidden Harbor Tours Coming in September...



Brooklyn (c) 2011 Mitch Waxman **Insert:** Andrew Genn, Dan Wiley

Tuesday 4 September 2012 - 5:15pm

Brooklyn, Hidden Harbor Tour

Special Guest Speakers: Andrew Genn & Dan Wiley

Tuesday 18 September 2012 - 5:15pm

Newark Bay, Hidden Harbor Tour

[Click Here For Tickets](#)

Sizzlin' September Party: 12 Sept. Honoring Andrew Genn

The annual Working Harbor Committee **Sizzlin' September Party** is a fun filled evening of **cocktails, appetizers & music!**

Our special honoree will be **Andrew Genn**, Senior Vice President, Ports & Transportation, New York City Economic Development Corporation. The award will be presented by **Helena Durst**, President New York Water Taxi and Circle Line Downtown



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12 September @ Pier 66 Maritime located at W. 26th St. in Hudson River Park from 6 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

[Click Here for Tickets](#)

3 Hour Lighthouse Tour - 22 September



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Lighthouse Tour

A very special Hidden Harbor Tour of the Lighthouses in the Harbor in Partnership with The National Lighthouse Museum

**Saturday, 22 September
10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Battery Maritime Building**

(located next to the Staten Island Ferry)

Tickets: \$60

See the Following Lighthouses Up close:

Statue of Liberty Light
Robbins Reef Light Fort
Wadsworth Light
Coney Island Light
Elm Tree Light (Miller Field)
New Dorp Light
West Bank Light
Romer Shoal Light
Sandy Hook Light
Navesink (Twin Lights)
Great Beds Light
Princes Bay Light
Old Orchard Shoal Light
Staten Island Light

With several guest speakers from the National Lighthouse Museum

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

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