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Newsletter of the **BLACKHAWK CHAPTER-ACBS**

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Blackhawk Chapter Rolls out the carpet for ACBS Quarterly Meeting

by Roving Reporter Wil Vidal

The Antique & Classic Boat Society held their quarterly meeting in Chicago, June 22, 23, and 24. The local organizers included George Plamondon, Chairman, and his associate partners Ted Cartner and John Barrett. The real hero was George Plamondon, but it took a lot of teamwork by Blackhawk members to make the great weekend event run smoothly.

Accommodations were at The Racquet Club of Chicago and The Whitehall Inn. This writer can't speak about the Whitehall Inn, but it was a real treat to stay at The Racquet Club of Chicago. We arrived Thursday afternoon and dropped the boat off at a storage facility arranged by George. We went to The Racquet Club on North Dearborn Parkway. What a beautiful area! We encountered lots of outdoor café's and a farmers market. We realized that we were only a 10-minute walk from George's condo at 800 North Michigan, on the 36th floor across from the Water Tower, with panoramic scenic views of Lake Michigan.



Thursday evening, everyone met at The Racquet Club. A coat and tie are required in public meeting places at the club. All the men had blue blazers on, except for two, and yours truly was one of them. Hey, I don't get out much. After great conversations (boat talk) with ACBS members from across the country, cocktails and a group picture, we broke up into smaller groups and headed to area restaurants. It was a beautiful evening, and the area is absolutely stunning with flowers, surrounded by uniquely designed buildings.

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PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Hello Fellow Blackhawk Members,

Well, summer is here, finally. The weather is warm, even had a few hot days in there, and the lakes are full of boaters. As a club we have enjoyed several recent events that were very successful and fun. There was the Father's Day cruise, and the ACBS Quarterly meeting.

First, I would like to thank Captain Ron Van Horn for his annual organizing the Father's Day cruise down the Fox River to Port Edward's Restaurant for a great Sunday Brunch. Every year Captain Ron does his part to kick off the season with this annual cruise.

Next, a big thank you to George Plamondon for organizing the ACBS Quarterly meeting in Chicago this June. It was a great event that was well attended. There was a great effort in the logistics of this meeting, the coordination of people and boats, and most of all, George must have gone to church, as he managed to arrange great weather.

Both of these events are profiled in this newsletter. Next we have our Fox River show, then the Tall Ships in Chicago, and then on to the fall show at Geneva Lake. Still many events to attend and enjoy. I hope everyone's projects are going well. We will try to organize more workshops, and if anyone has suggestions, please contact me or anyone on the board.

May everyone have a safe and uneventful summer. No need to compete for the Oops award, as I'm sure all of us would like to NOT give it out this year! Be careful, use sunscreen, and you speeddemons out there, no need to test the ribs on your boat just yet. A visual inspection can suffice. Take care everyone, and please be safe on the water.

Sincerely,

Andy Ievins
President
Blackhawk Chapter
ACBS

Fathers' Day Cruise

This year's Father's Day Cruise was successfully organized again by good ol' Capt'n Ron, our swashbuckling, funny, and all around great guy and member of our club and other organizations of pirate lore. Only Capt'n Ron knows where the real treasure is buried, but he does give us a hint of good food and rum at the usual secret destination of Port Edwards. One of the great establishments on the famous Fox River.

Well, the morning started out dreary, wet, and a bit chilly. Just what a ragamufin group of wooden boat lovers needed for our journey to our secret rendezvous with food. We had several boats to assist in our journey, with the Capt'n leading the way in Casual Elegance. Our trip began with a toast to the journey, as provided by the Capt'n's mate, large glasses of strong Bloody Mary's. Complete with olives, cherries, and other garnishes.



As the trip began, the need for remedial navigation became apparant. One of our fellow pirates, whom shall remain nameless to protect his reputation, forgot which side of the navigation bouys indicated the deeper channel. Well, the river tried to take its first victim but fast thinking and a good set of old strong legs saved the ship from

further mishap. The trip continued.

Some playful running of speed got a boat or two up on plane. Due to the incliment weather, we had the river to ourselves. The race was on to our destination. As we wound our way around the many bends in the river, the



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Capt'n pointed out many interesting places along the banks. Places with helicopters, waterfalls, and ski jumps.

We finally reached our rendezvous with food, and it was great. It gave all of us a chance to fill up, chat, and come out of our winter doldrums. Yes, the summer was here, even if not today. The weather did clear up for the return trip. A new river pilot was initiated on Casual Elegance and properly trained by the Capt'n himself. Pilot Christopher had his first lesson under his expert tutoring.

At the journey's end we were all well fed, relaxed, and a happy group. I can honestly say on my behalf and Christopher's, this was the best Father's Day we've had. Our thanks, the club's thanks, we all thank Capt'n Ron for organizing in the true spirit of wooden boating, a really great event.



WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST MEMBERS

Aigar & Maija Dombrovskis, Bensenville, IL
Ken Vercruysse, Chicago, IL
Theodore Moss, Lake Forest, IL
Doug Lindemann, Homer Glen, IL
Steve & Marilyn Durbin, Peoria Hgts, IL
Ron & Trish Cappuzzo, Elgin, IL

Membership Chairman Eric Moberg reports that Blackhawk membership has grown to 217 members



The Blackhawk Chapter ACBS invites you to participate in

The Geneva Lakes Annual Antique and Classic Boat Show

At the Abbey Resort, Fontana, Wi Sept 22-24, 2006

NAMES(s) _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: Home _____ Work _____ Cell _____

	Number of Boats		Total Per Event
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Boat Registration			
"IN WATER" Boat Registration, includes launching and dock space for Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.	_____	\$40.00 ea. Before 9/3 \$60.00 ea. After 9/3	_____

"ON LAND" boat registration	_____	\$25.00 ea Before 9/3 \$35.00 ea After 9/3	_____
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Additional charge for "For Sale" boats.	_____	\$25.00 per boat	_____
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Friday, September 22			
2 Hour Narrated Geneva Lk Tour on Historic Launches followed by Lunch at Gordy's	_____	\$25.00ea Before 9/3 \$35.00 After 9/3 Children under 16 FREE	_____

Colman's Lakeside Cocktail/Dinner Reception	_____	\$35.00ea (Before 9/3) \$45.00 (After 9/3)	_____
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Saturday, September 23			
Dinner: includes entrée, salad, sides, dessert, coffee, tax and tip			
	qty		
Please chose: Lemon Chicken w/ rice	_____	\$35.00 ea. (Before 9/3)	_____
or Top Round of Beef w/ potatoes	_____	\$45.00 ea. (After 9/3)	

TOTAL _____

Make checks payable to: "Blackhawk Chapter, ACBS"
REGISTRATION, TOUR/ LUNCH, DINNER, & EVENT FEES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE

For lodging information see rate sheet enclosed. Use Promo # WBS06 for ACBS discounted rates.

For additional info:
www.genevalakesboatshow.com
Cindy Cartner 847-395-8902

SEND REGISTRATION BEFORE 9/10 TO:
Blackhawk Chapter
C/O Ted & Cindy Cartner
PO Box 683
Antioch IL 60002-0683

**DEADLINE FOR ALL RESERVATIONS AND ACTIVITIES IS SEPT. 10th.
But events may close before then as SPACE IS LIMITED !!**

**The Blackhawk Chapter 2006 Geneva Lake Boat Show
September 22-24, 2006**

BOAT INFORMATION

Make _____ Model _____

Name _____ Year _____ Length _____ Beam _____

Engine: Make _____ Model _____ HP _____

BOAT AWARD CATEGORY: Please check all that apply.

Wood _____ Fiberglass _____ Steel _____ Aluminum _____

Utility _____ Runabout _____ Launch _____ Outboard _____ Cruiser _____

Canoe _____ Sail _____ Rowing _____ Raceboat _____

Other _____ (please explain) _____

Would you like your boat to be judged for most Original/Unrestored? YES _____

INSURANCE WAIVER FOR ALL BOAT ENTRANTS

This statement certifies that I am the owner of the above listed boat. I am entering it in the Blackhawk Chapter ACBS Geneva Lake Boat Show, September 2006. I certify that I currently have effective insurance to cover damage to my boat, and to cover my liability for damage to other boats, or their property, arising from any use of my boat during this event.

I hold free and harmless the officers and volunteers of the Blackhawk Chapter and the Antique and Classic Boat Society, Inc., and the owners and staff of the Abbey Resort and Abbey Harbor, and Sponsors from any and all actions, claims, liabilities, assertions of liability which in any manner arise or be alleged to arise from any and all activities connected directly or proximately with the event listed above.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

This must be signed before entering the Boat Show area.

We could use volunteers to help during the Show, if you can help please check here _____

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BASIS. RESERVATIONS DEADLINE IS SEPTEMBER 10th.

2006 GENEVA LAKES SCHEDULE OF EVENTS DESCRIPTION

Friday launching is available from 7:00 -9:00 AM prior to the Tour, or 2:00-8:00PM.

FRESH, NEW EVENTS FOR FRIDAY ! We'll board 2 all-weather historic day launches for a **2 hr narrated tour**. The entire lake will be seen, with it's shoreline mansions and accounts of it's rich history. This is a great way to get acquainted with one of Wisconsin's largest lakes. Meet at the Abbey Launch Ramp for check-in prior to a short walk to the Fontana Pier where the launches await. Cash beverages will be available aboard. We'll return to shore in time for **lunch at Gordy's Restaurant** on the Fontana waterfront. Lunch includes broccoli soup, a chicken wrap, salad and soda served buffet-style. You can't beat this package!

(Partial cost of this Tour/Lunch is provided by the Blackhawk Chapter, a benefit of membership.) The remainder of the afternoon is open for you to launch your boat to enjoy more boating, to antique in nearby Walworth (10 min drive), or check out the shops of Lk Geneva on the east end of the lake (20 min drive).

Friday evening rendezvous 5:00-6:00pm at the Abbey Waterfront for directions/gathering prior to departing for Charles & Dianna Colman's lakeside home. Located on the lake's North shore, the Colman's hospitality includes ample pier docking and is a short cruise from the Abbey. Due to limited parking, carpooling is urged for those coming by car. This **Pre-Show Dinner Reception** takes place from 6:30 till 9:30pm. Space is limited, we recommend early registration.

Show day packet & launching assignments will be available 7-9:30 Saturday at Abbey's Harbor House near the ramp. **Launching** is at the same time. Come in and pick-up your dock assignment before driving up to the ramp. A **complimentary continental breakfast for boat registrants** is available here till 10am.

Seventy+ in-water and many on-land antique, classic and current contemporary wood boats from the early 1900's on up highlight this Show. The public attends free.

The **4pm Boat Parade** allows another opportunity to get out onto one of Wisconsin's largest and deepest lakes, enjoying the fall scenery. If taking your boat be sure to attend the Skippers meeting @ 3:30 in the Show Tent.

Saturday's Cocktail Party and Dinner will be held in the Abbey's Wisconsin Room. It's located on the upper level of the resort with large windows offering views of the grounds and your wood boats in the Marina. **Ted Pankau, Water Safety Patrol Operations Director, is the guest speaker.**

Sunday morning have a leisurely breakfast or go boating, but be sure to attend the Show by 10am. At 2:00 the **Awards Ceremony** will take place in the Wisconsin Room. Also on Sunday there will be hundreds of classic cars on display at the Interlaken Resort nearby.

The Abbey Resort has a limited number of rooms reserved at the Blackhawk Chapter ACBS Show rate. **Use PROMO# WBS06 when making your reservation.**

We look forward to having you join us for any of the activities. It's always been a fun weekend that we hope you'll have fond memories of. See you in September!

For additional information: www.genevalakesboatshow.com or 847-395-8902

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LR Ted Cartner, Andy Ievins, George Plamondon, Gail Turner, ACBS Director, Jeff Rogers, ACBS President

The Chapter Round Table started Friday morning at 8:45am. The directors meeting started at 10am. Jim Mersman, ACBS Treasurer is looking into the option of individual chapters being able to take advantage of the IRS 501c3 charitable deductions. A few Chapters do have 501c3 status on their own. There is a lot of red tape to get the designation. Jim will be sending out a memo to find out if chapters are interested. Other points of discussion included the classifications of early fiberglass, ie the "Peggy Sue's" of the world and big fins etc. The discussions are always interesting and many ideas are thrown on the table. During lunch at Racquet Club, Lynn Osmond, President and CEO of the Chicago Architecture Foundation gave a presentation on the various buildings of historical significance in Chicago. After the meeting, we headed back to our rooms to prepare for the Friday night cocktails at the home of George Plamondon and Hollis Hines.

As said earlier, the condominium of George Plamondon and Hollis Hines is on the 36th floor with views you could only appreciate by being present. It was a great evening of conversation, cocktails, hor d'oeuvres and a delicious buffet supper.

On Saturday morning, we retrieved some of the boats from the storage facility and headed to Burnham Harbor for launching. It was a great day as we headed across the edge of Michigan to the Chicago River with a Coast Guard escort leading the flotilla to the locks. Those providing boats were John Barrett, Bruce Bone, George Haenisch, George Plamondon, Ron Van Horn (he slept on his boat the night before), Jim Wilkins, Matt Byrne, Pat Hoffman, John Spoeri (Aristro Craft) Wil and Mary Vidal and Roger Sippy with his 34ft Grand Banks Trauler.

That evening, everyone met at the Yacht Club for cocktails and an outstanding dinner. The view was spectacular with the Chicago Skyline as a backdrop. During the weekend, some ACBS members took sightseeing trips to Millennium Park and the Art Museum. It was a great event that will be remembered for a long time. Thank you George Plamondon, Hollis Hines and those involved in making it all happen.

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Chicago skyline from George and Hollis condo



John Barrett at Lawrences Dock & Dine



Pat Hoffman in his 30ft CC Express Cruiser



Andy presents fun gifts to George Saturday night

1st Annual Madison Area Antique & Classic Boat Show

Saturday, September 9th, 2006

You are invited to take part in the first annual, Madison area event for “*Owners of Antique & Classic Boats!*” The renowned Christy’s Landing Tavern, located on Lake Waubesa, will be the site for the show scheduled on Saturday, September 9th, 2006. This location is unparalleled and simply outstanding for the public to view these beautiful boats. There are two nearby boat launches with ample parking (see attached map).

Most important is the fact that a portion of the proceeds from this event will go to the area’s *Multiple Sclerosis Society.*

Awards will be given for boats in several categories: the “Popular Choice Award” selected by the public and the Skipper’s will vote on the Best Chris Craft, Best Inboard Motor Boat, Best Outboard Motor Boat, and Best of Show (any Class).

Please return your registration form soon, as we are limited to 40 boat slips (working on a first come first serve basis). If you wish, include a brief history of your boat and a photograph to enhance area publicity.

The enclosed Schedule of Events and Registration Form should help answer your questions. Should you need additional information, feel free to contact Mark Walters or Andy McCormick via e-mail or telephone (see below). Christy’s Landing will also make every effort to accommodate this event.

Thank you in advance for your interest and involvement!

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Tall Ships to Set Sail in Chicago

Highly Anticipated Majestic Sailing Vessels Return to Chicago

The Blackhawk Chapter of the Antique and Classic Boat Society has been asked by Tall Ships Chicago to supply a number of antique boats for an on land display during their visit August 3-9 2006. The display will be in conjunction with the Antique Boat Museum of Clayton New York who will be exhibiting as well. This display will be in the park area located on the south side of the Chicago River between Columbus drive and Michigan Avenue. Ten tall ships will be there for the public to view and board. Our boats will be a backdrop to these majestic sailing vessels from around the world telling a story of maritime history. In addition 4 other tall ships will be on display at Navy Pier. In 2003 nearly two million people visited the Tall Ships Chicago event. Below is a description of the events from the Tall Ships Chicago Organization.

The City of Chicago announces the return of the largest Tall Ships festival in the Great Lakes, when majestic wind-powered vessels sail into Chicago this summer for Tall Ships Chicago 2006, August 3-9. The festival brings the vessels to the shores of Lake Michigan docking along the Chicago River, Navy Pier and DuSable Harbor, providing a display that will be reminiscent of the majestic lakefront of the 1800's. Tall Ships Chicago 2006 celebrates Chicago's rich maritime history and new waterfront developments by bringing this spectacular array of ships to Chicago with its incomparable skyline as the backdrop. In 2003 nearly 2 million people participated in Tall Ships Chicago.

On Thursday, August 3, the festival kicks off with a breathtaking Parade of Sail, culminating in the ships docking in the three festival sites. Beginning Friday, August 4 through Wednesday, August 9, festival attendees will have the opportunity to board vessels to learn about the ships and experience the sailing life (vessels remain docked). Boarding hours are 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. See participating vessel listing on second page.

Before Tall Ships sail into Chicago this summer, boarding passes will go on sale online, beginning March 1. Individual wristbands, which serve as boarding passes for the vessels, can be purchased for \$11 online through www.tallshipschicago.net or by calling a Ticketweb call center (visit ticketweb.com for call center phone numbers). Access to the festival grounds along the Chicago River, DuSable Harbor and Navy Pier is free, but individual wristbands are required to board vessels. (Please note that not all vessels are available for boarding.) A separate wristband must be purchased for each day that boarding is available (August 4-9, 2006).

Costs are as follows:

Individual wristbands: \$11 per day in advance, \$12 on-site.

Group wristbands (for 20 or more people) are available in advance only: \$9 per person per day

Tall Ships Chicago 2006 is part of the American Sail Training Association's (ASTA) Tall Ships Challenge 2006, an annual series of sail training races, rallies, cruises and port festivals organized by ASTA in conjunction with host ports in the U.S. and Canada. During the 2006 Great Lakes Series, wind-powered ships will make their way along the St. Lawrence Seaway and stop at different ports along their way to Chicago's festival stop. Other festival stops include Cleveland, Ohio; Bay City, Michigan and Green Bay, Wisconsin. Participants have an opportunity to be sail trainees on many of these vessels between ports (visit the website for more information).

Tall Ships Chicago 2006 is presented by The City of Chicago, Mayor's Office of Special Events, Navy Pier and the Chicago Park District and sponsored in part by the Chicago Sun-Times, CBS 2 and American Airlines.

15th Annual Minocqua Antique & Classic Wooden Boat Show

Event Starts Friday 7/28/2006 ~ Ends Sunday 7/30/2006

An entire weekend of fun!

The weekend starts with a wooden boat parade Friday night (6:45 p.m.). Saturday offers antique & classic wooden boats & woodie cars displayed at Bosacki's Boat House, People's Choice voting, concessions, and live music. The awards ceremony on Sunday serves as the show's finale. -- The Minocqua Antique & Classic Wooden Boat Show benefits the Multiple Sclerosis Society. For more information contact the Minocqua-Arbor Vitae-Woodruff Chamber of Commerce at 800-44-NORTH

More Pictures from the Chicago River Cruise



George Haenisch, Bob Bergl, Bill and Gail Turner



John Spoeri braved it across the edge of Michigan in his Aristo Craft

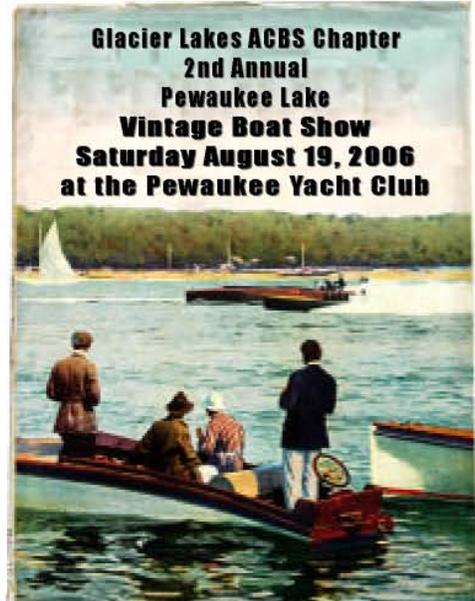


Scene on way to locks and Chicago River



Where we had lunch on southern branch of Chicago River

**2nd Annual Glacier Lakes Chapter of ACBS
VINTAGE Boat Show
Saturday, August 19th, 2006
at the Pewaukee Yacht Club Pewaukee, WI**



- * Launching 7am-9:00
- * Show Hrs Sat. Aug. 19th 9am-4pm
- * Judging 10am to 2:00pm
- * Silent Auction 10am-2:00pm
- * Boat winners Announced 2:30pm
- * Silent Auction winners 2:30pm
- * Start engines & tour of lake 3:00pm

Boat Show REGISTRATION FORM (COMPLETE by July 31)

Registration Fees: ACBS or PYC members \$35.00 by July 31th. \$45.00 after August 1st. Non ACBS/PYC member registration Fee: by 7/31/06 ☆ \$85.00; after 8/1/06 ☆ \$95.00 (☆ includes ACBS membership) On land display \$25.00 *Limited mooring space. First come first served.* No overnight mooring is allowed at Yacht Club Friday night or Saturday night. Glacier Lake members will provide overnight mooring. Phone numbers of close proximity motels will be supplied to those wishing overnight accommodations.

Name _____ Spouse/Partner _____ PHONE home _____ work _____
 Mailing address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 E-mail _____ Fax _____
 Boat Name _____ Builder _____
 Length _____ Model _____ Yr built _____ Engine _____ No. Cylinders _____ Horsepower _____

I need overnight mooring {circle} Friday night (YES) (NO) Sat. Night (YES) (NO) Check # _____ Amt \$ _____
 Make check payable to: GlacierLakes Chapter, ACBS c/o Frank Petran, 533 W. Grand Ave. Port Washington, WI 53074-2102

-RELEASE OF LIABILITY-

Please read and sign the following agreement, which is required of all participants:

I hereby release, discharge, protect, indemnify and hold harmless the Glacier Lakes Chapter of the Antique & Classic Boating Society, Inc., The Pewaukee Yacht Club, organizers, committee chairpersons and directors and officers, administrators, successors and assigns from and against any and all claims, liability demands and causes of action of all kinds, including without limitations property damage, injury, illness or death, including costs and attorney fees incurred in connection with the undersigned's use of all facilities during this event. Further, I certify that I currently have effective insurance to cover any damage to my boat, and to cover my liability from any damages to others and their property arising from the use of my boat during this event.

Signed _____ Date _____

Questions? Contact Frank Petran at 262-284-3650; e-mail: mr.fwp.wood.boat@worldnet.att.net
 or Wil Vidal at 262-695-2994 or e-mail: wvidaljr@wi.rr.com

Judging Criteria: This will not be an official ACBS judged event. Judging will be done by the registered captains and the "People's Choice" by popular vote. Awards will be provided by the chapter and marque clubs: Century Club-"Best Century"; Chris-Craft Club-"Best Chris Craft". No boat will receive more than one award. Judges reserve right to adjust categories to reflect registrations. ACBS rules will be used as a guide.

- | | | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------|
| ☆ Skipper's choice | ☆ Antique 3 Cockpit | ☆ Classic Utility Over-22' | ☆ Outboard Boat |
| ☆ Best Century | ☆ Antique (Non 3 Cockpit) | ☆ Classic Runabout | ☆ Contemporary |
| ☆ Best Chris Craft | ☆ Classic Utility Under 20' | ☆ Racer | ☆ Sailboat |
| | ☆ Classic Utility 20-22' | ☆ Classic Fiberglass | ☆ Peoples Choice |

VOLUNTEERS WELCOME during the show

Please indicate if you might be willing to help in any of the following areas....

Working the registration table.....Yes _____ Working the Sat food tentYes _____
 Working the Silent Auction.....Yes _____ Assist at launching ramp Sat. AM and or PM.....Yes _____
 Donating an Auction item (IDENTIFY).....Yes _____

Name _____ Phone Number _____ E-mail address _____



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If you desire lodging, we’ve enclosed a list of hotels on the enclosed map.

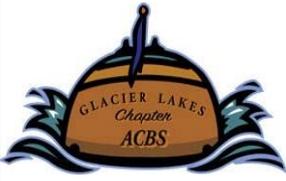
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Madison Area Antique & Classic Boat Show

September 9, 2006

Registration Form

-Required to participate in any part of the events
-Covers self, mate, children under 18 and one primary display

PARTICIPANT:

FEE: \$30 (After August 15th FEE: \$40)

Skipper's Name _____ Mate's Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State ____ Zip _____

Evening Phone _____ E-mail Address _____ Chapter _____
(Not required)

ADDITIONAL CREW: (Please include both first and last name)

Name _____

Name _____

BOAT DISPLAY:

Land Display _____ Water Display _____

Original _____ Owner Restored _____ Professionally Restored _____ Boat Class _____

Year _____ Manufacturer _____ Model _____

Boat Nickname _____ Length _____ Engine Type _____ HP _____

REQUIREMENTS FOR REGISTRATION:

COMPLETE form and send **\$30.00 Registration Fee**, payable to **MAACBS**

READ the risks and warnings below so you can come prepared.

SIGN the backside of registration form to verify that you understand the risks and warnings; waive and release any damage claims against the show sponsor; and to confirm you and your boat are covered by your own casualty and liability insurance.

MAIL the completed & signed Registration Form and your check to: Mark Walters, 4439 Beale Street, Madison, Wisc 53711 – Questions – call (608) 224-0815 – e-mail waltswoody@charter.net

IMPORTANT RISKS AND WARNINGS:

BRING FENDERS! If your boat is being displayed in the water, it is essential that you bring an adequate system of bumpers to protect your boat against damage while being operated or parked near other boats and the dock. Please come prepared to protect your boat.

BE CAUTIOUS AND ALERT AT ALL TIMES! Remember, the boat show is in a tight area of boat traffic. Operate your boat very slowly and keep your eyes and ears open.

PLEASE NOTE: There will be a \$7.00 Launch Fee Payable at Launch Site



**31 YEARS of wooden boat
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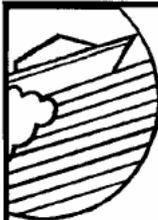


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15th Annual Minocqua Antique & Classic Wooden Boat Show	July 28-30	Minocqua, WI	Gordon Moore 715- 356-4218 www.minocqua.org
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2 nd Annual Pewaukee Lake Boat Show	Aug 19	Pewaukee Lake, WI	Frank Petran 262-284-3650
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