

SEMINAR STAGE				
Sat. Jan. 14				
Time	Stage	Name	Topic	Organization/Source
11:00am	Presentation Theatre	John Neal & Amanda Swan Neal	Ocean Voyaging Countdown	Sponsored by West Marine, Blue Water Sailing Magazine & www.mahina.com.
11:30am	Salon 107	Mike Evans & Jayne Finn	<i>Down East Circle: New England, New York &amp; The Hudson River</i>	International cruising sailors, writers and producers of popular Canadian sailing dvd's
12:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Const. Gary Gibson	<i>Being Safe on the Water: Have Your Questions or Concerns Answered</i>	Metro Toronto Police, Marine Unit
12:30pm	Salon 107	Liza Copeland	<i>The Caribbean Circuit</i>	Best selling author, international cruising sailor
1:00pm	Presentation Theatre	John Wilson	<i>Electric Engine Conversion: A Great Way to Power Your Sailboat</i>	Local sailor
1:30pm	Salon 107	Derek Hatfield	<i>Taking on the World, Alone</i>	Derek Hatfield, Canada's most experienced and successful offshore racer talks about his podium finish and record breaking Velux 5 Oceans Single Handed Round the World Yacht Race
2:00pm	Presentation Theatre	John Neal & Amanda Swan Neal	Storm Avoidance & Ten Survival Tactics	Sponsored by West Marine, Blue Water Sailing Magazine & www.mahina.com.
2:30pm	Salon 107	Diane Reid	<i>One Girl's Ocean Challenge</i>	Single-handed competitor for the 2013 Mini Transat race
3:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Boating University	<i>Boat Buying Basics: How To Buy Your First Boat</i>	Canadian Power and Sail Squadrons and Canadian Yachting
3:30pm	Salon 107	Paul & Sheryl Shard	<i>Sailing to Scandinavia and the Baltic Sea</i>	International cruising sailors, best selling authors, award-winning documentary filmmakers and hosts of sailing TV series, Distant Shores
4:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Ken Blodgett	<i>Tips on Cruising the North Channel</i>	Canadian Yacht Charters
4:30pm	Salon 107	Deb Cantrell	<i>Yes You Can! Minimize the Fear Factor &amp; Maximize Your Fun!</i>	Best selling author, international cruising sailor
5:00pm	Presentation Theatre	John Hosty	<i>Knot Tying - The Ones You Really Need</i>	Points of Sail
5:30pm	Salon 107	Hugh & Heather Bacon	<i>A Circumnavigation Under Sail: Planning, Challenges, Highlights, Dangers</i>	International cruising sailors, videographers
6:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Steve Spitzer	<i>Introduction to NMEA2000 Electronics Networking</i>	Technical Director NMEA

<b>Sun. Jan. 15</b>				
<b>Time</b>	<b>Stage</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Organization/Source</b>
11:00am	Presentation Theatre	Steven Parry	<i>Explore Croatia, Turkey and the Greek Islands By Yacht</i>	Poseidon Charters
11:30am	Salon 107	Wally Moran	<i>Heading South from the Great Lakes to Paradise via the Intracoastal Waterway</i>	International cruising sailor. Writer for Waterway Guide & SAIL Magazine. Sponsored by Waterway Guides.
12:00pm	Presentation Theatre	John Neal & Amanda Swan Neal	<i>South Pacific Cruising from Panama to New Zealand</i>	Sponsored by West Marine, Blue Water Sailing Magazine & www.mahina.com.
12:30pm	Salon 107	Deb Cantrell	<i>Yes You Can! Minimize the Fear Factor &amp; Maximize Your Fun!</i>	Best selling author, international cruising sailor
1:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Mike Evans & Jayne Finn	<i>Down East Circle: New England, New York &amp; The Hudson River</i>	International cruising sailors, writers and producers of popular Canadian sailing dvd's
1:30pm	Salon 107	Heather Bacon	<i>Wind is a Four Letter Word: Perspectives on a Circumnavigation from a Skipper's Wife</i>	International cruising sailor, videographer
2:00pm	Presentation Theatre	John Hosty	<i>Buoyage - An Easy Guide</i>	Points of Sail
2:30pm	Salon 107	Paul & Sheryl Shard	<i>Sailing to Scandinavia and the Baltic Sea</i>	International cruising sailors, best selling authors, award-winning documentary filmmakers and hosts of sailing TV series, Distant Shores
3:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Boating University	<i>Trailing Safety</i>	Canadian Power and Sail Squadrons and Canadian Yachting
3:30pm	Salon 107	John Neal & Amanda Swan Neal	<i>Diesel Engine Essentials</i>	Sponsored by West Marine, Blue Water Sailing Magazine & www.mahina.com.
4:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Bob Eaton	<i>Boater Impact on Ontario's Lakes and Rivers</i>	Director of Environmental Services for Boating Ontario & Manager of Clean Marine Eco-Rating Program
4:30pm	Salon 107	Liza Copeland	<i>Cruising for Cowards</i>	Best selling author, international cruising sailor

<b>Mon. Jan. 16</b>				
<b>Time</b>	<b>Stage</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Organization/Source</b>
1:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Amanda Swan Neal	Galley Essentials	Sponsored by West Marine, Blue Water Sailing Magazine & www.mahina.com.
1:30pm	Salon 107	Wally Moran	<i>Paws on Board - Boating and Cruising with Your Four Legged Crew</i>	International cruising sailor. Writer for Waterway Guide & SAIL Magazine. Sponsored by Waterway Guides.
2:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Const. Gary Gibson	<i>Being Safe on the Water: Have Your Questions or Concerns Answered</i>	Metro Toronto Police, Marine Unit
2:30pm	Salon 107	Heather Bacon	<i>Wind is a Four Letter Word: Perspectives on a Circumnavigation from a Skipper's Wife</i>	International cruising sailor, videographer
3:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Boating University	<i>Boat Buying Basics: How To Buy Your First Boat</i>	Canadian Power and Sail Squadrons and Canadian Yachting
3:30pm	Salon 107	John Neal & Amanda Swan Neal	Sailing to Europe and Back: The Atlantic Circle	Sponsored by West Marine, Blue Water Sailing Magazine & www.mahina.com.
4:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Mike Evans & Jayne Finn	<i>Down East Circle: New England, New York &amp; The Hudson River</i>	International cruising sailors, writers and producers of popular Canadian sailing dvd's
4:30pm	Salon 107	Liza Copeland	<i>Realities of Cruising Offshore</i>	Best selling author, international cruising sailor
5:00pm	Presentation Theatre	John Hosty	<i>Sailboat Docking</i>	Points of Sail
5:30pm	Salon 107	Mike Petersen	<i>Living the Dream: Overcoming Fear and Casting Off Inspirational Focus</i>	International cruising sailor
6:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Diane Reid	<i>One Girl's Ocean Challenge</i>	Single-handed competitor for the 2013 Mini Transat race
6:30pm	Salon 107	Sean Fisher	<i>The Search for the Atocha and Beyond</i>	Mel Fisher's Treasures
7:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Rob MacLeod	<i>Basic Sailboat Handling: An Introduction to Keelboat Sailing</i>	International cruising sailor, best selling author and partner in InformedBoater.com

<b>Tues. Jan. 17</b>				
<b>Time</b>	<b>Stage</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Organization/Source</b>
1:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Hugh & Heather Bacon	<i>A Circumnavigation Under Sail: Planning, Challenges, Highlights, Dangers</i>	International cruising sailors, videographers
1:30pm	Salon 107	Wally Moran	<i>Heading South from the Great Lakes to Paradise via the Intracoastal Waterway</i>	International cruising sailor. Writer for Waterway Guide & SAIL Magazine. Sponsored by Waterway Guides.
2:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Ken Harrison	<i>Introduction to NMEA2000 Electronics Networking</i>	Summerhill Canada and International Director of NMEA
2:30pm	Salon 107	Derek Hatfield	<i>Taking on the World, Alone</i>	Derek Hatfield, Canada's most experienced and successful offshore racer talks about his podium finish and record breaking Velux 5 Oceans Single Handed Round the World Yacht Race
3:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Boating University	<i>Boat Buying Basics: How To Buy Your First Boat</i>	Canadian Power and Sail Squadrons and Canadian Yachting
3:30pm	Salon 107	Marnie Keith-Murray	<i>Catching a Ride South with Friends and Strangers</i>	International cruising sailor
4:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Herb Thoms	<i>Weather Forecasts: Tips to Maximize Your Weather Knowledge</i>	Warning Preparedness Meteorologist, Environment Canada
4:30pm	Salon 107	Liza Copeland	<i>The Pacific Northwest</i>	Best selling author, international cruising sailor
5:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Bob Eaton	<i>Boater Impact on Ontario's Lakes and Rivers</i>	Director of Environmental Services for Boating Ontario & Manager of Clean Marine Eco-Rating Program
5:30pm	Salon 107	Diane Reid	<i>One Girl's Ocean Challenge</i>	Single-handed competitor for the 2013 Mini Transat race
6:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Sean Fisher	<i>The Search for the Atocha and Beyond</i>	Mel Fisher's Treasures
6:30pm	Salon 107	Mary MacLeod	<i>Living His Dream on Her Terms</i>	International cruising sailor and partner in InformedBoater.com
7:00pm	Presentation Theatre	John Wilson	<i>Electric Engine Conversion: A Great Way to Power Your Sailboat</i>	Local sailor

<b>Wed. Jan. 18</b>				
<b>Time</b>	<b>Stage</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Organization/Source</b>
1:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Mary MacLeod	<i>Living His Dream on Her Terms</i>	International cruising sailor and partner in InformedBoater.com
1:30pm	Salon 107	Wally Moran	<i>Paws on Board - Boating and Cruising with Your Four Legged Crew</i>	International cruising sailor. Writer for Waterway Guide & SAIL Magazine. Sponsored by Waterway Guides.
2:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Const. Gary Gibson	<i>Marine Unit</i>	Metro Toronto Police, Marine Unit
2:30pm	Salon 107	Derek Hatfield	<i>Taking on the World, Alone</i>	Derek Hatfield, Canada's most experienced and successful offshore racer talks about his podium finish and record breaking Velux 5 Oceans Single Handed Round the World Yacht Race
3:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Boating University	<i>Trailing Safety</i>	Canadian Power and Sail Squadrons and Canadian Yachting
3:30pm	Salon 107	Herb Thoms	<i>Weather Forecasts: Tips to Maximize Your Weather Knowledge</i>	Warning Preparedness Meteorologist, Environment Canada
4:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Liza Copeland	<i>Preparations for Offshore</i>	Best selling author, international cruising sailor
4:30pm	Salon 107	Marnie Keith-Murray	<i>Catching a Ride South with Friends and Strangers</i>	International cruising sailor
5:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Ken Blodgett	<i>Tips on Cruising the North Channel</i>	Canadian Yacht Charters
5:30pm	Salon 107	Rob MacLeod	<i>Basic Sailboat Handling: An Introduction to Keelboat Sailing</i>	International cruising sailor, best selling author and partner in InformedBoater.com
6:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Mike Petersen	<i>Voyaging Under Power: All the Fun, Half the Hassle</i>	International cruising sailor
6:30pm	Salon 107	Barb Radu Sprenger	<i>Sailing Through Life: Jump In With Both Feet!</i>	Best selling author, international cruising sailor
7:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Gail & John Thomassen	<i>Like Nike says " Just Do It!!"</i>	International cruisers, members of the America's Great Loop Cruisers Association

<b>Thurs. Jan. 19</b>				
<b>Time</b>	<b>Stage</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Organization/Source</b>
1:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Gail & John Thomassen	<i>Like Nike says " Just Do It!!"</i>	International cruisers, members of the America's Great Loop Cruisers Association
1:30pm	Salon 107	Bob Eaton	<i>Boater Impact on Ontario's Lakes and Rivers</i>	Director of Environmental Services for Boating Ontario & Manager of Clean Marine Eco-Rating Program
2:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Const. Gary Gibson	<i>Being Safe on the Water: Have Your Questions or Concerns Answered</i>	Metro Toronto Police, Marine Unit
2:30pm	Salon 107	Barb Radu Sprenger	<i>Sailing Through Life: Jump In With Both Feet!</i>	Best selling author, international cruising sailor
3:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Boating University	<i>Trailing Safety</i>	Canadian Power and Sail Squadrons and Canadian Yachting
3:30pm	Salon 107	Herb Thoms	<i>Weather Forecasts: Tips to Maximize Your Weather Knowledge</i>	Warning Preparedness Meteorologist, Environment Canada
4:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Derek Hatfield	<i>Taking on the World, Alone</i>	Derek Hatfield, Canada's most experienced and successful offshore racer talks about his podium finish and record breaking Velux 5 Oceans Single Handed Round the World Yacht Race
4:30pm	Salon 107	Robin Martel	<i>NMEA2000 Integration of SmartPhones</i>	President, Northport Systems
5:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Serge Besner	<i>Be Weather Prepared for Ontario Lakes</i>	Client Services Representative, Environment Canada
5:30pm	Salon 107	Diane Reid	<i>One Girl's Ocean Challenge</i>	Single-handed competitor for the 2013 Mini Transat race
6:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Wally Moran	<i>Heading South from the Great Lakes to Paradise via the Intracoastal Waterway</i>	International cruising sailor. Writer for Waterway Guide & SAIL Magazine. Sponsored by Waterway Guides.
6:30pm	Salon 107	Sean Fisher	<i>The Search for the Atocha and Beyond</i>	Mel Fisher's Treasures
7:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Liza Copeland	<i>Sailing Around the World</i>	Best selling author, international cruising sailor

<b>Fri. Jan. 20</b>				
<b>Time</b>	<b>Stage</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Organization/Source</b>
1:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Liza Copeland	<i>The Mediterranean</i>	Best selling author, international cruising sailor
1:30pm	Salon 107	Serge Besner	<i>Be Weather Prepared for Ontario Lakes</i>	Client Services Representative, Environment Canada
2:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Sean Fisher	<i>The Search for the Atocha and Beyond</i>	Mel Fisher's Treasures
2:30pm	Salon 107	Zac Sunderland	<i>Around the World At 16</i>	In 2009, the youngest solo sailor to circumnavigate the world and the first under 18!
3:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Boating University	<i>Boat Buying Basics: How To Buy Your First Boat</i>	Canadian Power and Sail Squadrons and Canadian Yachting
4:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Gail & John Thomassen	<i>Like Nike says " Just Do It!!"</i>	International cruisers, members of the America's Great Loop Cruisers Association
4:30pm	Salon 107	Lori Mason	<i>Tips Women Need to Know to Feel Comfortable on the Water</i>	Founder of WOW = Women on the Water seminar series and owner of The Store Mason's Chandlery
5:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Barb Radu Sprenger	<i>Sailing Through Life: Jump In With Both Feet!</i>	Best selling author, international cruising sailor
5:30pm	Salon 107	Zac Sunderland	<i>Around the World At 16</i>	In 2009, the youngest solo sailor to circumnavigate the world and the first under 18!
6:00pm	Presentation Theatre	John Wilson	<i>Electric Engine Conversion: A Great Way to Power Your Sailboat</i>	Local sailor
7:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Wally Moran	<i>Paws on Board - Boating and Cruising with Your Four Legged Crew</i>	International cruising sailor. Writer for Waterway Guide & SAIL Magazine. Sponsored by Waterway Guides.

<b>Sat. Jan. 21</b>				
<b>Time</b>	<b>Stage</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Organization/Source</b>
11:00am	Presentation Theatre	Marnie Keith-Murray	<i>Catching a Ride South with Friends and Strangers</i>	International cruising sailor
11:30am	Salon 107	Zac Sunderland	<i>Around the World At 16</i>	In 2009, the youngest solo sailor to circumnavigate the world and the first under 18!
12:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Gail & John Thomassen	<i>Like Nike says " Just Do It!!"</i>	International cruisers, members of the America's Great Loop Cruisers Association
1:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Derek Hatfield	<i>Taking on the World, Alone</i>	Derek Hatfield, Canada's most experienced and successful offshore racer talks about his podium finish and record breaking Velux 5 Oceans Single Handed Round the World Yacht Race
1:00pm	Salon 107	Abby Sunderland	<i>Unsinkable: A Young Woman's Courageous Battle on the High Seas</i>	In 2010, at the age of 16, Abby became the youngest person ever to sail solo around Cape Horn!
2:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Barb Radu Sprenger	<i>Sailing Through Life: Jump In With Both Feet!</i>	Best selling author, international cruising sailor
2:30pm	Salon 107	Zac Sunderland	<i>Around the World At 16</i>	In 2009, the youngest solo sailor to circumnavigate the world and the first under 18!
3:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Boating University	<i>Trailer Safety</i>	Canadian Power and Sail Squadrons and Canadian Yachting
4:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Ken Blodgett	<i>Tips on Cruising the North Channel</i>	Canadian Yacht Charters
4:00pm	Salon 107	Abby Sunderland	<i>Unsinkable: A Young Woman's Courageous Battle on the High Seas</i>	In 2010, at the age of 16, Abby became the youngest person ever to sail solo around Cape Horn!
5:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Serge Besner	<i>Be Weather Prepared for Ontario Lakes</i>	Client Services Representative, Environment Canada
5:30pm	Salon 107	Wally Moran	<i>Heading South from the Great Lakes to Paradise via the Intracoastal Waterway</i>	International cruising sailor. Writer for Waterway Guide & SAIL Magazine. Sponsored by Waterway Guides.
6:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Sean Fisher	<i>The Search for the Atocha and Beyond</i>	Mel Fisher's Treasures

<b>Sun. Jan. 22</b>				
<b>Time</b>	<b>Stage</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Organization/Source</b>
11:00am	Presentation Theatre	Diane Reid	<i>One Girl's Ocean Challenge</i>	Single-handed competitor for the 2013 Mini Transat race
11:30am	Salon 107	Zac Sunderland	<i>Around the World At 16</i>	In 2009, the youngest solo sailor to circumnavigate the world and the first under 18!
12:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Mike Petersen	<i>Long Range Passagemaking: Customs, Kids and Cruising</i>	International cruising sailor
1:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Rob MacLeod	<i>Basic Sailboat Handling: An Introduction to Keelboat Sailing</i>	International cruising sailor, best selling author and partner in InformedBoater.com
1:00pm	Salon 107	Abby Sunderland	<i>Unsinkable: A Young Woman's Courageous Battle on the High Seas</i>	In 2010, at the age of 16, Abby became the youngest person ever to sail solo around Cape Horn!
2:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Steven Parry	<i>Explore Croatia, Turkey and the Greek Islands By Yacht</i>	Poseidon Charters
2:30pm	Salon 107	Zac Sunderland	<i>Around the World At 16</i>	In 2009, the youngest solo sailor to circumnavigate the world and the first under 18!
3:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Boating University	<i>Boat Buying Basics: How To Buy Your First Boat</i>	Canadian Power and Sail Squadrons and Canadian Yachting
4:00pm	Presentation Theatre	Mary MacLeod	<i>Living His Dream on Her Terms</i>	International cruising sailor and partner in InformedBoater.com
4:00pm	Salon 107	Abby Sunderland	<i>Unsinkable: A Young Woman's Courageous Battle on the High Seas</i>	In 2010, at the age of 16, Abby became the youngest person ever to sail solo around Cape Horn!