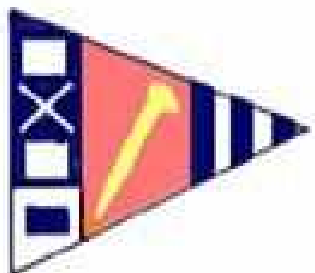




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PMPSS PRESENTS COMMANDER GLEN ANCHOR 2010 - 2011

Executive Officer: Lorraine Yigit
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Bridge Members (see page 9)

Don't miss the SailPast!

Saturday, May 15, 11:30h

- RSVP to our Cruisamaster Fantastico—Tony!
- Skippers' meeting at 10:30am in front of Café Fabesso
- For boat assignments if you need a ride: be at the skippers meeting
- Muster in front of Reed Point Marina by 11:00am
- Communications on VHF Channel 68
- Raft-up in Bedwell Bay for the Commander's lunch



2010 PMPSS MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

It's that time of year again! Take this opportunity to continue being part of the best Boating Squadron in Canada: **The Port Moody Power & Sail Squadron!**

Renewing your membership in **Canadian Power & Sail Squadrons** means that you are part of a community of passionate boaters who are committed to safety, boating education and having fun on the water! CPS has been connecting boaters for 70 years and continues to play a major role in Canadian boating culture.

Renewing for 2010 is easy!

If you have received your Membership Renewal notice from CPS National, you can pay online through the CPS website @ www.cps-ecp.ca as pictured here:

Simply click on the **Membership Renewal** tab on to the left of the Home Page and follow the instructions. All you need is your Membership ID, Last Name and Postal Code. It's fast and easy and you can be sure the credit card information you will provide is in a safe and secure area.



If you want, you can still mail in your payment using the instructions from CPS or email me at membership@portmoodypss.com if you have any questions. Thank you!

Our Membership Officer

Jim Church



BOATING WEEK AT REED POINT MARINA



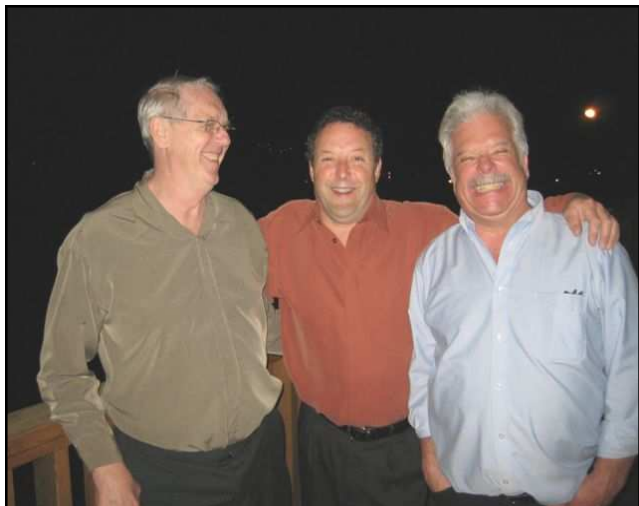
Members from Port Moody and Coquitlam Squadron were on hand to answer questions on CPS Training Courses and Licenses.

Our thanks to everyone who came out to support and represent CPS

PORT MOODY POWER AND SAIL SQUADRON CHANGE OF WATCH 2010



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Have fun on the water and save money !

The Marine Maintenance Course

The full enjoyment of boating includes the pleasure of using your boat and the satisfaction of properly maintain it.

All boats need maintenance to correct for the gradual deterioration from wear and tear and the exposure to the elements.

The Marine Maintenance course covers general maintenance, the hull, the electrical system, lubrication, seasonal maintenance, painting tips, engine cooling, ignition and much more.

From spark plugs to bottom paint, the Marine Maintenance course covers all the basics for boater.

SEAMANSHIP (Formerly Piloting)



The new full colour Seamanship Course builds on some of the techniques introduced in the Boating Course. Seamanship uses traditional navigation, GPS fixes, way points, along with the introduction of deviation.

Seamanship explains the skills needed to understand the hazards of weather, wind, waves, tides and tidal currents and how to deal with them.

When unforeseen circumstances arise such as man-overboard and medical emergencies the Seamanship Course teaches how to acquire the skills to deal with potentially life-threatening situations.

Learn the ropes – from knots, hitches, bends and splices

If you are interested in taking a course contact Lynn Meisl at 604-516-6072 or lmeisl@telus.net

SNUG-GLY MEMORIES - 2010



FALL 2010 BOATING COURSE

GLENEAGLE SECONDARY SCHOOL
Coquitlam

Canadian Power & Sail Squadron's premier course for the recreational boater. A variety of topics are covered during weekly evening class sessions augmented by homework.

Supplementary activities of interest to boaters are also planned.

On successful completion of this course you qualify for your Canadian Coast Guard Pleasure Craft Operator's Card & become a member of the Canadian Power & Sail Squadron.

Sept. 16th - 13 Sessions
\$275 / \$450 couple

If you or someone you know would like to take this course in September please contact our Training Officer -

BRUCE LEAVITT at 604-515-8852



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2010/2011 BRIDGE

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Assistant Training (Advanced Training) - Gary McKinnon
Assistant Socials - Sheila Leavitt
Assistant Socials - Linda Brown
Assistant Socials - Wayne Gillespie
Assistant Socials - Ella Dimech
Environment Officer - Lorraine Yigit
VHF Officer - P/Cdr Lawrence Schmidt
Port Captain - P/Cdr Chris Reniers
Assistant Cruise Master (Sail) - Brodie McEachen

I would like to thank all the above Officers for volunteering to serve on this Bridge. We all pledge to serve this squadron to the best of our ability and maintain our traditions. Thank you to the members of this squadron for your support.

Commander Glen Anchor

Protecting the marine environment is a shared responsibility.

Every boat has an environmental impact.

It is up to skippers and crews, all of us who boat, to make certain that our marine environment stays clean.

The environmental impact of boating can be large or small, depending on our actions. We need to make sure we have a minimal impact on the environment so our waters will remain pure and safe for the enjoyment of all who use them. We boaters have as much to lose as anyone if our waters become polluted.

Environmental issues related to boating activity fall into five main categories:

- **Handling of fuels, lubricants, and coolants**
- **Discharge of sewage or noxious grey water**
- **Boat maintenance**
- **Protection of in-shore habitats**
- **Applicable marine laws**

Education - Preparation - Action

What can you do?



Read: *The Marine Environment - A Shared Responsibility*

A document that has been prepared by the Squadron Environment Officers of Pacific Mainland District, Canadian Power and Sail Squadrons, to be used as a tool to educate students, members and others in their responsibilities to the environment in which their boats are operated.

The document can be found at: <http://powersquadron.ca/Environment.htm>

It has been developed from resources within CPS with relevant information added for boaters in British Columbia and contains detailed information on how to preserve both the safety and the beauty of the waterways from the environmental issues listed here. One of the best and most comprehensive

references for information on the subject of marine environmental stewardship is "Guide to Greenboating" published by the Georgia Strait

Alliance. The publication and a number of other resources can be found on their website at www.GeorgiaStrait.org.

The National Office of CPS publishes "Enviro Boater Guide" for an overview of environmental boating.

Guidelines for watching marine wildlife, such as whales, can be obtained at several sources:

Fisheries and Oceans Canada at www.pac.dfo-mpo.gc.ca

Marine Mammal Monitoring Project at www.salishsea.ca

Straitwatch at www.straitwatch.org.

Lifeforce Foundation at, <http://www.lifeforcefoundation.org>

Publications such as: "BOAT GREEN" by Clyde W. Ford, which is a comprehensive eco-boating guide, and others, available at

www.newsociety.com

