

Oak Harbor Marina

MAY 2025 NEWSLETTER

THE GREAT COHO ESCAPE

It is hard to believe but it is time for the "Great Coho Escape." On May 3th at 9:30 we will be releasing our 30,000 Coho friends.

This is a fun event and everyone is welcome to attend. We will drop the nets and bait the Coho out with food. Depending on the weather and clarity of the water you can see them swim off for their next great adventure. Hopefully in about 2 years many of them will return to the Oak Harbor bay.



EVENTS

May 3 - Coho Release 9:30 AM

May 10th - Boat Auction @ 10:00 AM

May 12th - Marina Advisory Committee

May 15-17 - Anacortes Boat & Yacht Show 10:00 AM- 6:00 PM

May 31- June 1 Round Whidbey Race

May 26th - Memorial Day

Anacortes Boat & Yacht Show featuring Trawlerfest sails into Anacortes May 15-17, 2025! The show features new and brokerage boats of all sizes from your favorite brands, dealers, brokers, and exhibitors in one place, as well as seminars from experts and rendezvous evening activities. The Show will be open from 10:00 AM- 6:00 PM all three days, come visit the OH Marina booth in tent 4!



FISHERIES SUPPLY

Did you know that Fisheries Supply Seattle will delivery to the Marina three times a week for free? Want to get in on this?

Contact Tom Daust with Fisheries Supply at (360) 661-4150 to set up an account and let the boat projects begin.

Deliveries are Monday, Wednesday & Friday between 12pm-4pm ish. The drop off is inside the main gate to the right, there will be a flag present if the driver has made a deliver that day.



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Marine Supplies Since 1928

WEAR YOUR LIFEJACKET TO WORK DAY, 5/16/25

Whether you're working in the office, at home, in the air, or on the water, all boating enthusiasts can participate in Wear Your Life Jacket at Work Day on Friday, May 16, 2025. Three out of four recreational boating deaths in 2023 were caused by drowning & 87% of the drowning victims were not wearing a lifejacket per Coast Guard stats. Here's how to participate:

- Wear a life jacket wherever you work
- Snap a picture
- Post the picture on social media with the hashtag #wearyourlifejacketatworkday
- Tag the Safe Boating Campaign (@boatingcampaign)



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Whidbey Island, Washington
Marina

BOAT INSURANCE

As a reminder, proof of insurance in the amount of \$300,000 of liability insurance is required as a condition of your moorage contract as well as adding the marina as additional insured. The marina will not take insurance binders, we will only accept the declaration page of the insurance policy. Insurance agents will be happy to fax or email this page to us upon your request. The fax number is (360)240-0603 and the email address is oakharbormarina@oakharbor.org.



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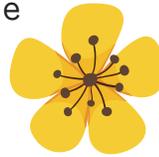
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BOAT OPERATIONAL DEMONSTRATIONS

Marina staff will be walking the marina in the near future and notifying owners if their boat does not appear operational.

Moorage contracts state in section 6A "All boats shall be kept in such operating condition that they are able to safely get under way with reasonable notice (72 hours)."

Oak Harbor Marina Policies and Procedures section IV. Vessel Owners/Operations Regulations; subsection Operable, Seaworthy vessels and vessel conditions states that a vessel may be requested to perform a demonstration run to the R2 marker buoy & back with a 15 day notice. If the vessel is found inoperable the marina allows 21 days to make repairs. If repairs are not made the moorage will be terminated.

If you have any questions please contact Interim Harbormaster, Alyce at (360)914-7993 or ahenry@oakharbor.org

13% late fee will be charged on the 19th



FUEL PRICES

(As of April 30, 2025)

Gasoline \$4.82

89 octane - non ethanol

Diesel \$4.08

Receive a 5 cent per gallon discount for over 100 gallons

www.dol.wa.gov/
vehicleregistration/ftrefunds.html

Last years prices
(As of April 25, 2024)
Gasoline \$4.73
89 octane - non ethanol
Diesel \$4.27

VIP TRIVIA

What is the annual sailboat race that happens near Whidbey Island in May ?