

# Oak Harbor Marina



SEPTEMBER 2025 NEWSLETTER

## ASSISTANT HARBORMASTER

The Oak Harbor Marina would like to welcome its newest staff member, Charlie Currit as the Assistant Harbormaster! Charlie moved here from Southeast Alaska where he spent the last 22 years Ocean Ranching Pacific Salmon for the PNP Hatcheries throughout the region. When you're at the marina be sure to look out for a new face and take a moment to say "Hi," introduce yourself, and share a fish story.



## MARINA PARKING LOT

We've had a lot of questions on parking vehicles in the marina parking lot during cruises. Vehicle storage is not included in moorage fees. Here are some of our general rules for vehicle parking.

\*All vehicles staying beyond 72-hours must register for long term parking with the Marina office (Winter only with prior approval from Harbormaster. NO long term parking during the boating season.)

\*Any vehicle parked on Oak Harbor Marina property must be used as a regular and necessary means of transportation and must be operational.

**\*Storage of vehicles, motor homes, and recreational vehicles is not permitted on Oak Harbor Marina property.**

\*Maintenance of vehicles is not allowed on Oak Harbor Marina property.

**\*Vehicles, motor homes and recreational vehicles will not be accepted for storage at the marina.**

\*All parking and traffic regulations as per Oak Harbor Municipal Code Chapter 10.12 apply to the marina parking lots.

Please call the office for more information.

## MARINA RATE INCREASE

On October 17, 2023, the City Council approved Resolution 23-21 authorizing a 3 year (2023 – 2025), rate increase.

The first year of the new rates were implemented on November 1, 2023. The second rate increase will be implemented on October 1, 2024 and the third on **October 1, 2025.**

On September 2, 2025, the City Council approved Resolution 25-34 to increase the dredge fee to \$2.94/foot (instead of the \$2.16 scheduled), starting October 1, 2025. This increase will be combined with other funding options such as the collections from the Business & Occupancy Tax for the Marina dredge and breakwater repair/rehabilitation.

We are in the process of changing rates on all accounts and you can expect to see a rate increase on your October invoice. If you would like to see what the new rates are or have any questions, please stop by or call us at 360.279.4575.

## SMALL BOAT CONTRACTS

The small boat contract runs from October 1st through April 30th and is for the 24' covered & uncovered slips on A & B dock. To be eligible for the small boat contract the boat must measure less than 26' LOA and you must be moored on A or B dock. The price per month is currently a flat rate of \$100 which includes boat trailer storage. If you were on the small boat contract last year, you will NOT be automatically on the small boat contract for 2025/2026. Customers will need to re-sign the small boat contract via an email that we will be sending out mid-September. With the new contract a security deposit of \$100 is required. Only boats with 2026 registration on file as well as the Marina on their insurance as additional insured will be offered a small boat contract

If you plan on vacating the small slip, please email your notice to [oakharbormarina@oakharbor.org](mailto:oakharbormarina@oakharbor.org)

## WINTER HOURS

Effective October 1st, the Marina Office and fuel dock will be **CLOSED** on Sundays and Major Holidays.

Office Hours 7am to 5:45pm

Monday - Saturday

Fuel dock hours 7:30am - 5:30pm

Monday - Saturday

The Office and Fuel dock will be **CLOSED** for **Lunch from Noon - 1pm.**

## EVENTS

### Labor Day

Sept 1st - Marina Office/Fuel Dock Open

**Marina Advisory Committee Meeting**

September 8th - @ City Hall, 3:00p.m.

**Military Appreciation Public Picnic**

September 6th Windjammer Park

**Harvest at the Harbor**

Sept. 13, 11 am-2pm

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September

## CALL OR TEXT

Marina Office/Stephanie

360.279.4575 call/text

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Charlie Assistant Harbormaster

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call/text 360.320.5789

Maintenance Crew

Duncan - 360.914.7244

Dannie - 360.914.7995

Tiana - 360.914.7519

To email all Marina Crew

[oakharbormarina@oakharbor.org](mailto:oakharbormarina@oakharbor.org)

Marina Fax - 360.279.4576

City Hall - 360.279.4500

Tom Daoust - 360.661.4150

[TDaoust@fisheriessupply.com](mailto:TDaoust@fisheriessupply.com)

## FUEL PRICES

(As of August 31, 2025)

Gasoline \$4.94

89 octane - non ethanol

Diesel \$4.50

Receive a 5 cent per gallon discount for over 100 gallons

[www.dol.wa.gov/](http://www.dol.wa.gov/)

[vehicleregistration/ftrefunds.html](http://vehicleregistration/ftrefunds.html)



## VIP PARKING

Trivia Question for VIP parking!!

**Who was the Oak Harbor Marina's first HarborMaster?**

**Text your answer with your name and slip# to 360.279.4575.**

**The first person to answer correctly will earn the VIP space until October 1.**

Payments are due no later than 18th of each month. 13% late fee will be charged on the 19th.