

Minutes

North Coast Marine Manufacturing Alliance Meeting
Wednesday, January 9, 2019
8:30 to 10:00 AM
NWTC – Green Bay, WI

Type of Meeting:	Steering Committee Meeting
Note Taker:	Debbie Thompson
Attendees:	Jerry Clusen -Navy League, Peggy Collinsmith -McDonald Co., Josh Delforge -Marquis Yachts, Carrie Dorski -D.C. Maritime Museum, Joe Draves -NWTC, Cathy Green -WI Maritime Museum, Mark Hawkins -Hands on Deck, Bob Mathews -NWTC, Nate Millsap -FMM, Kevin Osgood -D.C. Maritime Museum, Sam Perlman -D.C. Maritime Museum, Curt Prokash -Burger Boat, Dennis Rockhill -Einstein Project, Ann Franz -NCMMA, Debbie Thompson -NWTC

AGENDA TOPICS

PRESENTER

2019 TALL SHIPS FESTIVAL

Friday, 7/26 through Sunday, 7/28, 2019

@ Leicht Memorial Park, Green Bay

This event is hosted every three years in the Green Bay area. Approximately 60,000 people attended in 2016.

The museums will demo ROV's, in addition to providing some exhibits and hands-on activities. Adults have been especially interested in maritime history. Their 100-year anniversary tug will be housed under a tent. In addition, it is the 50th anniversary of both maritime museums.

- The Shipyard's footprint is the same as 2016's. Josh is working on the layout and will update the group.
- Both entrances, flanked by boats, will funnel into the space.
- Ann reached out to Keller regarding partnering with them to use their entrance structure.
- Mark Hawkins will arrange to have the St. Mary's River Boat and Mackinaw Boat there.
- Efforts are being made to feature the Irish Lobster Boat, hosted by Don O'Keefe.
- Pool exhibits will be alternately hosted by SeaPerch and Maritime Museum ROV reps.
- Rowing Regatta will be asked to participate.
- Nate and Melissa of FMM are working on a display that highlights shipbuilding.
- Coastie, enjoyed by kids, will again be featured.
- Seating will be provided in shaded areas.
- Each display should have a fact sheet(s), allowing for self-guided tours.
- Careers will be promoted under a tent in the center of the Shipyard.
- Mark Hawkins has rope and posts that can be used.
- Organizers will need to submit requests for power, tables, and tents. In the past, volunteers brought their own chairs.
- Monitors and any other electronic equipment will be brought as needed.
- Ann will invite Cindy Rasmussen of PMI and Maritime Museum partners to the March 13 NCMMA meeting.

5TH ANNUAL SEAPERCH COMPETITION

SATURDAY, 2/16/2019 @ UW-GREEN BAY

Dennis shared that all kits have been distributed. Teams are starting or are in full motion. The first pool practice is this Saturday at the YWCA and is open to all participants.

Dennis is checking on UWGB's pool depth to confirm the competition course is correct. Middle school teams will be scored on presentation, obstacle course, and rescue and recovery (inspired by events in Thailand surrounding the team that was trapped in a cave).

Volunteers are needed for judging. Dave Geitner will again serve as the MC. Companies and partnering organizations can host a table. 100+ students and their parents/guardians are expected to attend.

NEXT STEPS

- ✓ Ann will schedule a meeting with regional SeaPerch organizers. The agenda will include discussing scoring.
- ✓ Nate is coordinating the design and ordering of the t-shirts. He will need sizes.
- ✓ Peggy Collinsmith and Ann will work on event PR.
- ✓ Dennis will reach out to UWGB for engineering club students to participate.
- ✓ Joe Draves will reach out to NWTC weld club students for their participation.
- ✓ Extra batteries will need to be on-hand the day of the event.
- ✓ Alliance members are needed to judge the event.
- ✓ Alliance members need to inform Ann if they would like a table to promote their company/organization at the event.

ASSOCIATE MEMBER VENDOR BREAKFAST

TUESDAY, 4/16/2019 @ CRUISERS YACHTS – 8:00 TO 10:00 AM

Ann will send associate members a Save-the-Date. RSVP’s will be needed by March 1 so participant information can be shared with the boat builders.

A catered breakfast will be provided. Each marine builder and associate member will do a brief report out about their company. A tour of Cruisers Yachts will follow. There will not be a speaker, as had been done in prior years.

2018 RECAP & FINALIZE 2019 EVENTS & PROGRAMS

2018 RECAP – Members participated in the following.

- SeaPerch Competition
- Associate Member Vendor Breakfast
- Tech Ed Teachers’ Marine Event
- Continued Partnership with the NEW Manufacturing Alliance
- Fincantieri Marinette Marine produced three Get Real Math videos.
- Events: Get Real Math Video Premiere, Manufacturing First Expo & Conference, Academic & Career Planning (ACP), Internship Draft Day
- 2019 All Stars & Mentors

2019 INITIATIVES

- SeaPerch Competition
- Associate Member Vendor Expo
- Tall Ships Festival
- Events: Get Real Math, Manufacturing First Conference, ACP, Internship Draft Day
- 2020 All Stars & Mentors

NEXT STEPS & MEETING DATE/TIME/AGENDA/LOCATION

The next NCMMA meeting will be on March 13, 8:30 to 10:00 a.m. at NWTC’s Business Assistance Center. Agenda:

- ✓ SeaPerch Recap
- ✓ Tall Ships Festival
- ✓ Associate Member Vendor Breakfast
- ✓ Upcoming Alliance Events & Programs
- ✓ Next Steps & Meeting Date/Time/Location/Agenda