

Minutes

North Coast Marine Manufacturing Alliance Meeting
Wednesday, January 8, 2020
8:30 to 10:00 AM
Door County Maritime Museum – Sturgeon Bay, WI

Type of Meeting: Steering Committee Meeting

Attendees: Peggy Collinsmith-McDonald Companies, Josh Delforge-Marquis Yachts, Abigail Diaz-WI Maritime Museum, Carrie Dorski-D.C. Maritime Museum, Dave Geitner-NWTC, Cathy Green-WI Maritime Museum, Mark Hawkins-Hands on Deck, Nate Millsap-FMM, Kevin Osgood-D.C. Maritime Museum, Sam Perlman-D.C. Maritime Museum, Dennis Rockhill-Einstein Project, Melissa Wollering-FMG, Ann Franz-NCMMA, Debbie Thompson-NWTC (via phone)

AGENDA TOPICS

PRESENTER(S)

SEAPERCH COMPETITION

Saturday, 2/22/2020 - Southwest High School (Green Bay)

Dennis Rockhill

An update on the Door County Maritime Museum renovation was provided.

Dennis shared that the first SeaPerch pool practice will be held on February 1 at the YWCA, while the first coach's clinic has taken place. Organizers are looking to host 20 teams at the 2/22 challenge. There are still a couple of slots that need to be filled. The goal has been to involve as many schools as possible but still have the program be manageable.

Volunteers are needed for set-up, check-in, water challenge, poster board presentations, awards presentation, and takedown. Dave Geitner will again serve as emcee. Ann will send out an email next week requesting volunteers, including Southwest High School reps to get some of their students involved. Joe Draves is reaching out to NWTC's Weld Club for student volunteers. Ann will do a press release for potential media coverage.

Nate Millsap will coordinate the food and t-shirts, while Ann will confirm there are enough medals. All 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners will be awarded a certificate and medal. The Navy League will again sponsor the first place team a larger amount of cash if they attend nationals or if not attending nationals, a lesser amount will be donated to their school. The Einstein Project, Green Bay Sail & Paddle, and the Maritime Museums will also sponsor prizes. All participants will receive a free t-shirt.

RECAP: NCMMA 2019 EVENTS & PROGRAMS

Ann Franz

- SeaPerch Challenge – February 2019
- Associate Member Breakfast – April 2019
- Tall Ships Festival – July 2019

2020 – 2021 STRATEGIC PLANNING

Ann Franz

- SeaPerch
- NCMMA 10-year Anniversary – Fall 2020
- Associate Member Breakfast - MMC will host the event sometime after Easter. The date will be finalized by the end of next week.
- NWTC's Center for Maritime Excellence - Curriculum & Programming Discussion
- National Shipbuilding Campaign
- Joint events will also be held with the Maritime Museums to focus on STEAM and utilization of the Get Real Math videos, including Fincantieri Marinette Marine's All Star video.
- Promote the ship/yacht building industry to Veterans.
- ADP is offering a talent management survey to NCMMA boat builders. This opportunity allows an organization to benchmark with other companies. If interested, contact Ann.
- Will be identifying some joint ventures via the Industry 4.0 Task Force.

FAST FORWARD GRANT: LAMINATIONS TRAINING**Ann Franz**

Cruisers and Marquis Yachts have been discussing holding laminations training. The Fast Forward Grant should be available starting in February, which could offset the cost of the training.

NEXT MEETING DATE/TIME/LOCATION/AGENDA

The next NCMMA meeting will be on Tuesday, March 3, 2020, 8:30 – 10:00 a.m., at NWTC's Startup Hub, Green Bay.

Agenda:

- ✓ RECAP: 2020 SeaPerch Challenge
- ✓ NCMMA 10-Year Anniversary
- ✓ Associate Member Breakfast
- ✓ Upcoming Alliance Events & Programs
- ✓ Next Steps & Meeting Date/Time/Location/Agenda