

Minutes

North Coast Marine Manufacturing Alliance Webex Meeting
Wednesday, May 12, 2021
8:00 to 8:30 AM

Type of Meeting:	Steering Committee Meeting	
Attendees:	Jerry Clusen-Navy League/WMM, Joe Draves-NWTC, Dennis Rockhill-Einstein Project, Monica Salmeri-Fincanteri Marine Group, Ann Franz-NCMMA, Debbie Thompson-NWTC	
	AGENDA TOPICS	PRESENTERS
	CHANGES AT NCMMA BOAT BUILDERS	Ann
In April, KCS International Inc., parent company of Cruisers Yachts, purchased Carver / Marquis Yachts. Then, last week Marine Max purchased KCS. Cruisers will continue to be a part of the NCMMA.		
	DCMM GRAND OPENING OF THE MARITIME CAREERS EXHIBIT	Sam Perlman – via Email
Sam Perlman was unable to attend today's meeting but provided the following update. <i>"The videos for the Great Lakes Careers interactive were filmed by Fincantieri late last week. Digital Design is working on that project, along with the interactives for the Jim Kress Maritime Lighthouse Tower and the Elba interactive in the Horton Gallery. I don't have a timeline on completion for the Careers interactive quite yet.</i> <i>Press release on the opening of the Tower on Saturday, May 22 at 11 a.m., is attached."</i>		
	YWCA AUGUST EVENT	Ann / Joe / Dennis
Thursday August 12, 2021 – 2:00 to 4:00 PM - at NWTC's Green Bay Campus Members will be replicating the March 23 boat build, hands-on workshop. The boat build is being planned as an in-person event for 12 girls, grades 4 to 7. <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Ann will follow-up with the YWCA.✓ Joe will check for available space on NWTC's campus.✓ Dennis will purchase 12 boat kits and send the invoice to Ann for processing.✓ NCMMA boat builders will be encouraged to attend and help facilitate the event.✓ The event will be finalized at the July 7 NCMMA meeting.		
	OCTOBER VIRTUAL BOAT BUILD & SEAPERCH	Ann / Dennis
Virtual Boat Build – Tentatively October 12, 2021 Ann connected with the groups that participated in the March 23 virtual boat build. All are interested in participating again and feel they can recruit new kids to take part in the build. Dennis would like to get more representation from the boat builders. This could include having each of their logos on the boat. This event could serve as a good hybrid model; in-person and virtual. The virtual component allows for more parents and kids to get involved. The NCMMA will pay for up to 150 boat build kits. In August, members will begin contacting the groups to recruit for the 10/12 event. This event will serve as a kickoff for teams; boat building and SeaPerch. SeaPerch The NCMMA will purchase up to 20 SeaPerch kits from them for the 2021/2022 school year. Participating groups will be identified in September / October. The spring 2022 NCMMA regional competition date will be determined in fall 2021.		
	PLAN ASSOCIATE MEMBER EVENT	Monica Salmeri
Monica is working with FMM's purchasing department to coordinate the event. Ideally, it is thought an early September date would work best. Monica will follow-up with Ann.		

UPCOMING ALLIANCE EVENTS		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May 21 - Mentorship Webex Workshop, 8:30 – 10:00 AM • June 30 - NEWMA 15 Year Anniversary Celebration at Lambeau Field, 2:00 – 4:00 PM 		
NEXT MEETING DATE/TIME/AGENDA		
<p>The next NCMMA Webex meeting will be on July 7, 2021, 8:30 – 10:00 a.m. Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ DCMM Maritime Careers Exhibit Update ✓ Boat Build with the YMCA 4th to 7th Grade Girls – August 12, 2021 ✓ Boat Build - October 12, 2021 ✓ SeaPerch ✓ Associate Member Event at FMM ✓ Upcoming Events & Programming ✓ Next Meeting Date/Time/Agenda 		