



AGENDA

Hyatt Fisherman's Wharf
San Francisco, CA

October 26-27, 2011

As of October 19, 2011

Tuesday, October 25

- 7:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** **2011 Katica Klassic--PVA Western Region Golf Tournament***
Peacock Gap Golf Club, San Rafael, CA
*Event benefits the Passenger Vessel Foundation (PVF)
- 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.** **Welcome Reception** Hyatt Fisherman's Wharf

Wednesday, October 26

- 9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.** **Welcome Remarks**
Jay Spence
PVA President
Massachusetts Bay Lines
Boston, MA
- Patrick Murphy
PVA Western Region Chair
Blue and Gold Fleet
San Francisco, CA
- Joe Hudspeth
PVA Western Region Associate Co-Chair
All American Marine, Inc.
Bellingham, WA
- 9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.** **Distraction in the Wheelhouse**
Moderator: Rich Goben
Hornblower Cruises and Events
San Diego, CA
- Colleen Stephens
Stan Stephens Glacier and Wildlife Cruises
Valdez, AK

- 10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Break**
- 10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Stability and Passenger Weight: Implementation**
Tom Waters
United States Coast Guard
Marine Safety Center
Washington, DC
- 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Operators Panel: How We Accommodate our Passengers with Disabilities**
Moderator: David Russo
 Sterling & Clack
 San Francisco, CA
- Peter Beldin
 Blue and Gold Fleet
 San Francisco, CA
- Tara Rochester
 King County Marine Division
 Seattle, WA
- Carl Fus
 Lake Coeur d'Alene Cruises
 Coeur d'Alene, ID
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Lunch**
CAPT John Prince
Chief of Staff
Eleventh Coast Guard District
United States Coast Guard
San Francisco, CA
- 1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Marine Insurance Roundtable**
Moderator: Jennifer Bell
Aon Risk Services Northeast, Inc.
Cleveland, OH
- 2:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. Safety: How Safe are We? Lets Look at the Statistics**
CAPT Dave Fish
United States Coast Guard
Washington D.C.

2:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.

Drug Testing Discussion: How Does Your Operation Do It?

Moderator: Patrick Murphy
Blue and Gold Fleet
San Francisco, CA

2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Coast Guard Issues Update

Part I: Can I Get a Coast Guard Inspector When I Need One?

CAPT Eric Christensen
United States Coast Guard
Washington D.C.

Part II: Accidents and Investigations

CAPT Dave Fish
United States Coast Guard
Washington D.C.

3:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Break

4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Public Relations Roundtable: Promoting Your Business and Your Industry

Moderator: Christina Villiott
Elliott Bay Desing Group
Seattle, WA

4:30 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.

Innovations in Vessel Design and Construction

Moderator: Joe Hudspeth
All American Marine
Bellingham, WA

Brian King
Elliott Bay Design Group
Seattle, WA

Matt Nichols
Nichols Brothers Boat Builders
Freeland, WA

Bryan Nichols
VIGOR Industries
Seattle, WA

Thursday, October 27

- 8:30 a.m.– 9:00 a.m.** **Passenger Vessel Safety Specialist Presents: Lessons Learned from Recent Casualties**
Rick Janelle
United States Coast Guard
Juneau, AK
- 9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.** **Did You Know that These Issues Were Looming...?**
Beth Gedney
Passenger Vessel Association
Alexandria, VA
- 9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.** **Growing your Internet Marketing: Do you Tweet?**
Moderator: Dan Yates
American Waterways, Inc.
Portland, OR
- 10:00 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.** **What’s New with Mariner Licensing and TWIC?**
CAPT Anthony Lloyd
United States Coast Guard
National Maritime Center
Martinsburg, WV
- 10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.** **Captain’s Panel: A Discussion of the Issues that Are Most Important to You**
Moderator: Patrick Murphy
Blue and Gold Fleet
San Francisco, CA
- CMDR Jason Tama
Chief of Prevention
United States Coast Guard
San Francisco, CA
- Hilton Smith
Waterwyas Cruises and Events
Seattle, WA
- 11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.** **Region Old and New Business and Closing Remarks**

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