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Membership News

We thank the following new members and members who have recently renewed their membership at an upgraded level:

NEW MEMBERS: David G. Shields, Captain David Shoemaker, Katherine Worthington and Todd Becker.

Members renewing at a higher level: Harold Eaton, Johnnie & Janice Ridgway and Norman Werner.

October Newsletter Delay

Did you receive an e-mail concerning the delay in the PSMHS Newsletter mailing which included an electronic copy of the newsletter? If not, and you would like to be on our e-mail list, please send an e-mail to membership@pugetmaritime.org.

Upcoming Programs

DECEMBER: No Meeting. JANUARY: An afternoon at MOHAI. Patrolled and Rescue Boats on Puget Sound—a pictorial history book by Chuck Fowler and Dan Withers. FEBRUARY: An afternoon at MOHAI. A registered pilot from Puget Sound Pilots Association will speak about their requirements of assisting ship handling, the waterfront economy and water safety.

The Sea Chest Survey Enclosed — We need your support

The Sea Chest, our Society’s quarterly journal, has undergone significant changes in recent years. Improvements have included the introduction of gloss paper stock, full color covers, and selected color photos within the magazine.

The Sea Chest is now seeking limited advertising to help offset production costs. To attract advertisers, we need to develop meaningful statistical information about our membership. Accordingly, all members are asked to complete the enclosed membership survey. Although it is very brief (just nine easily answered questions), the survey results will provide essential information which will enable targeting of appropriate advertisers.

Please complete and return the enclosed survey as soon as possible (and definitely no later than November 14, 2011.) Your prompt response will play an important role in attracting much needed revenue and allowing continued improvements in this widely acclaimed publication. All individual responses are anonymous and confidential.

PSMHS Online: www.pugetmaritime.org

November Afternoon Program at The MOHAI McCurdy Gallery: Ferryboat Design

John Waterhouse and Russ McComb of Elliott Bay Design Group and long time professionals in the ship design business, will present a program dealing with ferryboat design. Ferries, an integral part of the Puget Sound transportation network, have undergone many transformations over the last hundred years. Starting with the fragile, wood, “Mosquito Fleet” steamers that connected many small waterfront communities before the highway system developed, transitioning to the early days of auto transport that saw many steamers converted to car/passenger ferries, and on to the fledgling startup of Washington State Ferries and it’s growth to become the largest ferry system in the nation, ferryboats have become...
November Report From
"Behind The Scenes”
by Karen Marshall, Executive Director

The packing update is here again. As of the beginning of October, 35,025 items were packed in 2,645 boxes. The crew has now reached our section of artifacts and framed items so packing has begun! For the month of October, Jennifer and I will be working closely with the packers to ensure our location data is correct in our database and artifacts are properly packed.

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In Memoriam: Carl F. McComb

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In Memorium: Carl F.W. Weber

We lost a very long time member on September 27 of this year. He had a wonderful maritime book store in Greenwood for a number of years and then moved to Aberdeen and became a mail order seller of books. Carl regularly sold books at various festivals including Seattle’s Wooden Boat Show. He was an excellent artist in his own right. He was also a collector of maritime ephemera. Carl was President of PSMHS in 1976 and again in 1991-1992. We have indeed lost a marvelous friend.

A memorial service will be held in Seattle later this spring. His ashes will go to sea on LADY WASHINGTON where he served on their board while living in Aberdeen.

November Research Library/ Archives Update

As far as we know, in November research hours may be limited. We ask that you please email research@pugetmaritime.org or phone us at 206.324.1126 x 41 with your inquiry or to make an appointment to come in on Thursday. The final stages of organization are taking place so appointments are needed to ensure that we can accommodate your request. Thanks for your patience and understanding. Expect additional updates in the December newsletter!

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Like Us! We’d love to have more viewers as our new Social Media Volunteer Jenny Montague is ramping up our existing Facebook page with information and photographs. Be sure to get to our correct page with over 20 friends. You’ll find us as The Puget Sound Maritime Historical Society as a non-profit organization with our newer logo and many photographs.