



Barker's Island Marina

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420 Slip, Full Service Marina on Magnificent Lake Superior

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The 8th annual Lake Superior Dragon Boat Festival was a great success for the 85 teams that participated, thousands of spectators who enjoyed the racing and other festivities, and the Festival organizers; Superior Rotary Clubs and Harbortown Rotary Club of Duluth. Over \$80,000 was raised in team pledges for the SMDC Breast Cancer and Breast Health Fund, and thousands more for other charitable giving in the Twin Ports. To see more on the Lake Superior Dragon Boat Festival, view race results and photos from this year's event, or to register a team for the 2009 festival, visit the web site at www.lakesuperiordragons.com.

The 16th annual Barker's Island Regatta, aka "Fray on The Bay", will be held on Saturday, September 19 within the Superior/Duluth Harbor. The Skipper's meeting will be held at the Clubhouse at 11:00 am. The race will begin at 1:00 pm. The Regatta entry fee is \$8.

Enclosed is the Winter Haulout and Storage Reservation form and service rate sheet. Please complete the form, sign both sides and return it to us as soon as possible. Services will be scheduled as forms are returned. For those taking advantage of our indoor heated storage there is a separate form enclosed.

Our Parts Manager, Sterling Weatherford, has stocked up with all the essential winterizing supplies. We carry propylene glycol antifreeze in concentrations suitable for proper protection of engines, and water systems.

Our service department is busy planning and scheduling for the winter service season. Now's the time, while your boat and its systems are readily accessible, to discuss any winter service projects you would like completed. Our Service Advisor, Eric Thomas, will be happy to review with you any projects you're considering and how we can accomplish them over the coming storage season. Eric can be reached at ethomas@barkers-island-marina.com or 1-800-826-7010.

Please have your cradle inspected so repair or replacement can be arranged in time for hauling your boat. If you do not have a cradle, we must know, by September 8, if you will need boat stands for storage.

For those with trailerable boats needing storage only, but no haulout or relaunching, our **self service winter storage rate is half the full service rate**. For example the charge for a 25' boat is only \$363 including summer trailer storage!

If you are not winter storing with us, but left your trailer here in the lot during the boating season, the trailer storage charge is \$6.75 per foot based on boat length.

September Hours: Service Dock Hours 8:00 – 5:00 everyday, Ship's Store Hours 8:00-4:30 everyday.

Happy Fall Boating!

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