
-- PORT NEWS --

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-- welcome --

Let our New Year's resolution be this: we will be there for one another as fellow members of humanity, in the finest sense of the word.

- Goran Persson

FROM THE PORT OFFICE

Moorage Available NOW: As always, it's first come, first served. Take advantage of the Fisherman's Special: Best bargain! This month only lease a 20-foot covered slip at a discounted rate by signing a 3-month lease for February, March and April at a total cost of \$281.50 which includes all three months, the card key and set-up fees! Easily extend your stay by signing a new 6-month minimum lease at the current monthly rate.



Boat Insurance/Registrations: Please update your contact information with the Port office if any changes have occurred in the last year. Washington State RCW 53.08.480 states that all

registration and insurance be current and on file at all times while mooring in the marina. Please send current copies of insurance and registration in each time you re-new to angelina@portcw.com or by mail to the office. It is critical that we're able to contact our tenants in the event of a severe weather event or other emergency situation.

Aircraft Registrations: Please provide current aircraft registration if you have not already done so. The Port reports annually to State Aviation and we need your information. Thanks!



HARBOR MASTER'S VIEW

Here we are in 2017 and we're looking forward to a great year in the marina. The dredge project went well, and I would like to thank all the tenants for being patient with us as we moved and shuffled boats around like chess pieces on a chess board. The dredge crew, Underwater Earth Movers, was very professional and great to work with even considering the challenging weather conditions. I am excited for summer so we can see the actual results of the project, as there were some areas that needed a little more attention than others.

Secure Gear: Something we noticed during the dredge project was the amount of debris on the floor of the marina that clogged the dredge nozzle. There were a lot of old mooring lines, several boat covers, lots of towels, CARPET, plastic tarps, a starter for a boat engine, an electrical fan, just a lot of trash in general. Everything but the kitchen sink was brought up, although there was a kitchen sink faucet! Please remember to secure your gear and utilize the trash and recycle receptacles located at each entry gate. Let's do our best to promote a "Clean Marina".

Electrical Shore Power Cords: The Port offers 20 and 30 amp 120v electrical to almost all slips. Please make sure you have the correct size plug for the application. Using the wrong plug in a receptacle can create a fire hazard, and can also break the receptacle. Please make sure you have the correct size shore power cord. 30 amp outlets require a 10AWG shore power cord and 20 amp outlets require a 12AWG shore power cord. If you have questions, this information is posted on our website, or feel free to call the office and we would be glad to assist you.

Dogs on the Docks: I have had several complaints about dogs on the docks. Your pooch is your responsibility. Please make sure to clean up after your pet.

Page 8 of the Marina Policy Manual states that moorage tenants are required to keep their boat, dock box, and the pier or finger in the vicinity of their boat shipshape. Shipshape meaning tidy, clean, and free of debris or collected or abandoned materials. It

also states that storage of items in the overhead portion of the dock structure is prohibited due to safety concerns. Please be sure to store items appropriately and safely. Safety is no accident!

Thanks all, for all you do, and remember..."check your lines" and have a great 2017!!

- *Mark on the Water* -

UPDATE ON GROVE FIELD PROJECTS

Currently, all equipment and infrastructure for the airport runway and beacon pole lighting upgrade is in place and back filling of open trenches is 80% complete. With the weather still an issue, we are hopeful to finish by month end. You may have also noticed that the beacon pole and runway lights are on full-time, at least for now. January 26, 2017 we will be commissioning the system with the project Engineer. This will entail setting the proper angle and testing the PAPI system and radio control systems, which will eliminate the issue of lights being on 24/7. Dress up of disturbed areas will not take place until spring. Any pilot who would like to assist with PAPI alignment with some air time, please contact Jeremy Wilcox at (360) 335-3685 or by email at Jeremy@portcw.com.



Calendar

Jan **Martin Luther King Jr. Day**
16th - Port Closed

FEB **Presidents' Day**
20th - Port Closed

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