

# WHOO NEWS

## FEBRUARY 2024



### And were off.....

With the last week in January showing us a glimpse of what this summer might be, I am sure many of us are now ready for warmer temperatures – well, I am. I love Fall and Spring, unfortunately they just don't seem to last as long as I would like. However, on the flip side, we live in California, and we get to experience all the seasons – so I need to remind myself to relax and enjoy the ride.

We have been busy around the marina preparing for a great year; clearing out the garden and deciding what we will (and won't) plant this year, which docks to paint and tidy up, what this year's party theme will be (that is definitely me), and what kind of fun is in store. With all this in mind, no matter what takes place, it is never a dull moment, that is for sure.

What are your plans for this year?

We have a few events here, that I always hope you can make, and the first one coming up is the Super Bowl and Chili Cook Off. You do not have to make chili, but if you are into a little competition, it is always a fun thing to bring. Otherwise, bring a dish to share, your favorite beverage, and watch the game with us. It's looking like a great game is in the making.

Some information from last month, I am leaving in this newsletter due to importance or dates, and it bears repeating, so here you go.

As always, hope to see you soon,

Devery and Captain Jack Sparrow

February 11

**Super Bowl Party and  
Owl Chili Cook Off**



February 14<sup>th</sup>

**Happy Valentine's Day**



February 19

**President's Day**

March 1

**New Gate Codes**



### Shows and Events Around the Waters

Thank you, Latitude, for this snippet of shows coming in 2024.

- Seattle Boat Show [www.seattleboatshow.com](http://www.seattleboatshow.com)  
February 2 - 10
- Svendsen's Spring Fling 3<sup>rd</sup> year  
April 12 - 13
- Newport Beach International Boat Show [www.nbibs.com](http://www.nbibs.com)  
April 18 – 21
- Pacific Sail & Power Boat Show, [www.pacificboatshow.com](http://www.pacificboatshow.com)  
May 16 – 19
- San Diego International Boat Show, [www.officialsdibs.com](http://www.officialsdibs.com)  
June 20 – 23
- Sausalito Boat Show, Clipper Yacht Harbor  
Oct. 4 – 6
- Annapolis Sailboat Show, [www.annapolisboatshows.com/sailboat-show](http://www.annapolisboatshows.com/sailboat-show)  
Oct. 10 - 14

## Where are you with your insurance?

With the recent fire, and sinking, of two boats it got us looking at everyone's coverage with new eyes. The two things we found is that there is a lot of different "wording" and second, a lot of different "coverage" out there.

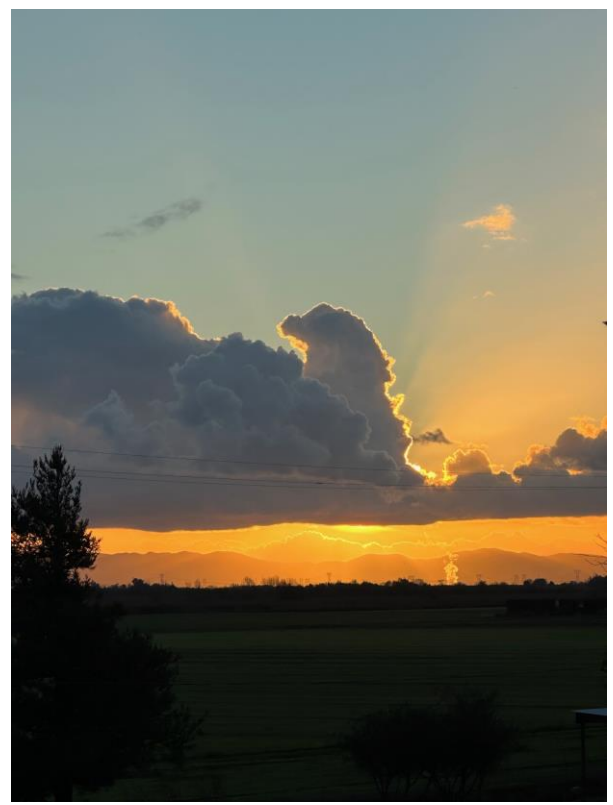
What does this mean to you, or for you?

First, we require a current copy of your insurance policy/declaration page every year on file. As a little sidebar, we also require a current copy of your registration or documentation paper as well, but that is for another newsletter. This has been our policy for 15 years for both forms of documents.

Here are some things **for you** to review:

1. Your policy should list Owl Harbor Marina as "Additional Insured", NOT, "Additional Interest".
2. Naming Owl Harbor Marina as additional insured on the Liability (P & I) policy grants no rights of ownership in the vessel.
3. If you have a personal "Umbrella Policy", this is acceptable provided it must specifically list the boat insurance policy as underlying coverage. We must be listed on this as additional insured as well.
4. We require a minimum of \$300k per accident, liability, pollution coverage. This is a min. amount, and more marinas are requiring \$500k due to the damage that can be caused in an accident.
5. The wording does need to list the above to cover liability expenses.
6. If you have an accident and only have liability coverage, your boat will not be covered for any replacement or repair – read that one again...
7. See if you have hull/wreckage removal for the fair market value of your vessel. This may be important to avoid a hefty bill to remove your vessel.

These are things you should review and investigate regarding your policy and discuss with your insurance provider. We are reviewing the policies and will be in touch if your coverage does not meet the necessary requirements. Unfortunately, the time we all need insurance from an accident, it is too late to make changes. It's a product needed to avoid unsurmountable expenses or loss after the fact.



*"You know you're in love when you can't  
fall asleep because reality is finally  
better than your dreams."*

— Dr. Seuss

## Three Mile Slough Bridge Closure

The lift span of the Three Mile Slough Bridge will be secured in the

**"Closed to Navigation"** position from

**January 2, 2024, through June 30, 2024,**

to conduct major mechanical and electrical rehabilitation. During the work, the lift span will not be able to open for the passage of vessels.

## Covered Carport Available

Looking for covered parking, we have a spot for you. A carport parking space is available at \$70.00 a month, and a \$70.00 security deposit.

They do not come up very often, so grab it while you can!

If you are interested, please contact the office and we will be happy to discuss further with you.



***COME JOIN US SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11TH FOR  
SUPERBOWL 58 AND OUR ANNUAL CHILI COOKOFF!***

***FOOD WILL BE SERVED AT 2:30PM.***

***THE GAME STARTS AT 3:30PM.***

***POTLUCK STYLE AND B.Y.O.B***

