



## FALL NEWSLETTER 2021

### DOCKAGE AND WINTER (OUTSIDE) STORAGE AGREEMENTS 2020/2021

The package containing next year's Dockage, Terms and Conditions, Rules and Regulation, and the Clean Marina policy will be available by email or on our website:

[www.harbourlightsmarina.on.ca](http://www.harbourlightsmarina.on.ca)

Please complete and return to the office with your preferred method of payment or payment instruction on or before **September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021**, if you want to take advantage of the lowest rate.

Keep in mind that with a full marina and a waiting list of boaters who want to relocate to Harbour Lights Marina, it is imperative that, if you want a slip for the 2022 season, you complete a contract this fall.



Today is August 13<sup>th</sup> and once again the summer season is coming to an end. We would like to thank everyone who made this season so successful. We enjoyed the beautiful weather and hope you did as well. We can only hope that the nice weather stays with us, so there will still be plenty of opportunity to get out and enjoy the Lake and Marina.

### **A NEW NORMAL**

Since March 2020, we have all had to adjust and adapt very quickly. We have experienced multiple lockdowns, ever changing rules and although it didn't resemble summer of 2019 our summer of 2021 provided a lot more freedoms than last year. It has been so nice seeing all the social media shares of the trips North of Bayfield. Whether you chose to weekend in Kincardine or spent a month in Baie Fine, you went somewhere and did something. That's amazing after everything we have faced in the last year and a half.

We have had fantastic summer weather with a few cold nights and a smattering of storms. Our team has worked hard on the maintenance throughout the marina. After Hollandia Pools and Spas stunning restoration of our pool, it has been marvelous to hear all the positive feedback from all who have enjoyed a moment or more in the water. Through the summer many have noted the alluring planters Huron Ridge Acres Inc. has put together for us to add additional beauty to the property.

Due to COVID-19 we are unable to facilitate the end of season barbeque that we have all grown to love, in place we have arranged a token of our appreciation that can be located at the office after Labour Day weekend.

As we turn to the latter half of the season and we start to prepare for haul out, winter storage and dockage for next season. Please remember, all personal property must be removed from the Marina areas before **November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021** and final haul out date is Friday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

### **INDOOR WINTER STORAGE**

Due to limited availability, to secure a place inside for the winter, we strongly recommend that you contact the office at your earliest convenience and have your name placed on the Indoor Storage list for this upcoming winter. If you choose indoor storage, your vessel will not be placed there until the inside storage fee has been paid in full.

## CONTEST WINNERS

What a tremendous effort from all our colouring contest entries! Although there were some clear favourites, we would like to congratulate all participants on a job well done and will contact each to collect their prize!



The photo contest had some fabulous contenders although there could only be one to walk away with the prize. A magnificent eye from all our amateur photographers and congratulations to Tom Slama for the winning entry.



We would like to give recognition to the runner up Mike Bacigalupo for a stunning photograph of the south pier.



## **BAYFIELD MARINE STORE AND SERVICES**

For all your winterizing needs, please contact Bayfield Marine to schedule your service or grab your winterizing products in store! For all inquiries and service requests please contact through email: [bayfield@tcc.on.ca](mailto:bayfield@tcc.on.ca) or call 519-565-2411. Check out the new website [www.bayfieldmarine.ca](http://www.bayfieldmarine.ca)

## **HAUL OUT AGREEMENT**

The same rules apply to haul out dates this fall as launch dates in the spring.

**Your agreement must be dated, with signature and returned to the office with your preferred method of payment. Your haul out must be paid in full before you will be given a date and time.** Do not call for a haul out date until this process has been completed. Your completed form can be emailed to [info@harbourlightsmarina.on.ca](mailto:info@harbourlightsmarina.on.ca) or sent by fax to 519-565-2078 or left in the mailbox (located at the rear of the building, at the bottom of the stairs). The office remains closed to the public, access will be granted for an appointment. Only one person allowed in at a time and you must have a mask for entry.

Remember if you haul out early in the fall you may not be able to launch early in the spring. Subsequently, if you haul out late, you will be launching early. If you are holding up others in the spring and we need to move your boat, the location of your vessel may have changed.

As in the past Monday through Friday we schedule six (6) haul outs each date, first appointment is 8:15am followed by 9:30am, 11:00am, 1:00pm, 2:30pm, 4:00pm. Saturdays we schedule three (3) haul outs, first appointment at 8:15am and last at 11:00am. There are no Sunday haul outs. These appointments times go fast and are first come, first serve. We encourage everyone to be out of the water by the end of October, so we can begin to put the Marina to bed for the winter.

**\*Sail boats, this is the time to check your cradles and ensure no repairs are needed\***

**\*Remember for your haul out, please remember two (2) bow lines and two (2) stern lines need to be prepared for the safety of your vessel\***

Please note the following:

1. The haul out fee now includes pressure washing the bottom of the vessel
2. Get your pump out prior to your haul out date
3. Agreements for haul out are available on the website
4. Remember to co-ordinate with your service provider if you require them to winterize your boat

Pump outs are **only** available at the Village of Bayfield Marina until **Thursday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021**. Please call ahead on channel 68.

*May your winter be warm and merry*  
*- Harbour Lights Management and Staff*