SAVE THE DATE – STAFF PICNIC – THURSDAY AUGUST 14

Join in to welcome The Morgan to her new home at Chubbs Wharf at 5:30 on Thursday August 14.
More details to follow.

ARE YOU FOLLOWING THE STOWAWAY?

Our stowaway has arrived; follow along on his exciting journey on any of the following sites:

Twitter: @MorganStowaway @MysticSeaport
Facebook: [www.facebook.com/mysticseaport](http://www.facebook.com/mysticseaport)
Instagram: morganstowaway
38th VOYAGE – DRIVERS NEEDED

The 38th Voyage planning team is seeking staff members to drive 8-passenger vans shuttling Voyagers, Deckhands, and Staff to and from the ports from mid-June through the end of July.

Many of the trips will require evening driving, and are connected with the 3-day weather window for the Charles W. Morgan. Therefore, flexibility will be important. Since many of the trips involve picking up Voyagers and Deckhands after a sailing leg, there may be waiting time in the port, which will be paid time.

This is a great opportunity to get involved in the Voyage (or continue your involvement) in a fun and important role! Availability for multiple trips over the course of the summer is encouraged but not necessary.

Dates for which drivers are needed: June 13 – 20, June 25 – 27, July 6 – 17, July 23 – 25, July 28 - 30 (some of these dates include weather windows). A valid driver’s license is required, and you must be 25 or older. Please email kristen.bassilakis@mysticseaport.org or call (860) 572-5346 if you are interested.

BJ’s WHOLESALE CLUB

All employees are eligible for a discounted membership to BJ’s Wholesale Club. Enrollment periods for current members will be held quarterly in March, June, September, and December. Enrolling will add 15 months to your membership regardless of when it expires. New enrollments can be done at any time throughout the year. The discount includes $10 off the $50 annual membership or $20 off the $100 annual membership, a free additional 3 months of membership, and a free second membership card for a household member. Email Kristen.bassilakis@mysticseaport.org or stop by the HR office for an enrollment form. Forms will be due June 30th for current members.

STAFFING CHANGE

Sally Ackley is moving to the Finance Department from Visitor Services taking on a new role as Accounts Receivable Coordinator/Financial Assistant starting July 7. Sally has been a beloved supervisor of the Visitor Services Department for over 25 years (yes that’s 25 Lobster Days!). She has brought great leadership and guidance to the department managing every aspect of the Museum’s visitor center and admissions/ticketing operation. Sally will be taking over for Melissa Stratton who has been promoted to Store Accountant. Please join us in congratulating Sally on her new role.

-Jenny Doak & Isabella Zagare

WEIGHT WATCHERS AT WORK

We are looking to see how many people would be interested for signing up for Weight Watchers at work; this would be a program that is offered at a discounted rate to staff and volunteers interested in participating. We will need a minimum of 15 participants to sign up to get the discount for a 12 week program at $165 per person. Weight Watchers representatives would designate a time to come to our location during the work day to hold meetings; they can be flexible with their scheduling. Please email human.resources@mysticseaport.org if you are interested in participating in this program. The amount of responses will dictate whether or not we can set this up.
CONRAD STAFF – SUMMER 2014

The Conrad Summer Staff arrive at Mystic Seaport on Sunday June 8. Please join in welcoming them aboard for the summer!

Brian Kobernuss – Waterfront Director

Brian is a member of the non-profit International Rescue Group, with whom he organized and executed a delivery of medical and other supplies to Ile a Vache, Haiti in April of 2014. He is a lifelong boater, growing up sailing boats on lakes and rivers in upstate New York, and recently completed a trip down the Intracoastal Waterway on a fully solar-powered prototype boat. Brian also loves design and all things about nature.

Ryan Chalifour – Alternate Director

Ryan was raised in Groton, CT and always had two dominant interests; the ocean and art. He got his B.A. in Anthropology from the University of Connecticut but has made his living primarily as an artist and sailor. He doesn’t consider himself an adrenaline junkie but does crave adventure and thrill now and then, especially of the outdoorsy variety.
Kevin Lee – First Aid Director

My name is Kevin Lee and I am a new staff member on the Conrad for the summer of 2014! I am currently 24 years old and live in Norwich, CT. I drive a 2010 Silver Scion tc, practice martial arts (Krav Maga, Muy Thai, and Brazilian Jujitsu), and I love playing Magic the Gathering. I also love the outdoors, especially swimming and boating. I am not new to summer camps. Over the past three summers I have worked as a camp counselor, life guard, and boating instructor at another summer camp, mostly working with kayaks, canoes, and rowboats. I have gone sailing a few times, and I expect my sailing skills to improve by a long shot this summer. I graduated from the University of Connecticut in 2012 with a Bachelor of Arts in History and am currently pursuing a Master’s degree. While at UCONN, I spent much of my time on the rugby team. I also joined the Air Force in 2009 and have been serving since as a citizen-soldier (or airman) in the CT Air National Guard. After graduating, I took a part-time job as a substitute teacher. My immediate future goal is to become a Second Lieutenant. This summer, I’m looking forward to meeting new and interesting people, a lot of sailing, and having a lot of fun!!!

Jack Fitzpatrick - Waterfront Assistant

I have been sailing since I was about 6 years old. The first boat our family started out on was an 18.5-foot Sandpiper 565, then we later acquired a 23.5-foot Hunter, our current boat, and a 13-foot Flying Junior within the last five years. I attended the Joseph Conrad Sailing Camp for two years as a camper and took a short break. During my time away from Mystic our family sailed around Long Island Sound mostly, but also ventured to Lake Champlain, Lake Bomoseen, and Lake Sunapee. Three years ago I came back to the camp as a Sailing Assistant and within the past two years have become a full counselor. Sailing has been a part of my life for as long as I can remember, and besides sailing personally, my second favorite thing to do is pass on my knowledge of sailing to others.
Sydney Carella – Office Manager

Sydney is a senior at SUNY maritime college. As a spring 2014 Williams mystic alumni, Sydney loves to spend her time in and around the water. She is perusing her bachelors degree in maritime studies, and plans on a career in maritime law.

SEA MUSIC FESTIVAL- JUNE 12-15

Mystic Seaport is proud to host its 35th annual Sea Music Festival, one of the world’s premier sea music events. Fans of traditional sea music gather each year to hear international performers and the Museum’s chantey staff perform music from the golden Age of Sail through the best of contemporary compositions. This year’s roster includes music from Great Britain, The Netherlands, Portugal, Canada, and the Caribbean, along with singers from across the United States. The weekend’s festivities include concerts, special performances for children, instructional workshops, and a unique opportunity to witness sea music at work aboard the Museum’s historic vessels.

FREE FOR THE TAKING

Free for the taking: Pansies from the spring flower boxes are in flats behind the Variety Store. Cut them back and plant in a partly-shady spot, they should bloom again in the fall. First come, first serve.
DONATIONS NEEDED

As summer fast approaches, the Summer Day Camp staff is diligently working to ready ourselves. But there are still a few things we need. Any BUTTONS that you may have lying around and NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC magazines that are piling up would be a great help. We are trying to limit the magazines to ones published after the year 2000. Any help you can provide is welcome and appreciated. All donations to camp can be dropped off in the Education Department in Haynes house. Thank you again.

-Mary Morrissey

POT LUCK DINNER

Wow, spring has finally arrived, (my fingers are crossed) and it’s time for our June potluck dinner. Our book selection for June 12 is Interpreter of Maladies by Jhumpa Lahiri. We will be meeting about 5 p.m. at Sally and Bill Salancy’s house. Their phone number is 860-536-3850. Please bring something yummy to share. Sally will supply paper plates, napkins, table ware and glasses. Newcomers are always welcome. Hope to see you there.

-Phyllis Dorfman

THIS WEEK FROM THE OPERATIONS COMMITTEE – JUNE 4, 2014

- Mallory Annex (Children’s activity center for Neptune’s Orchestra) is closed to the public to changeover the space for the new Morgan exhibit - The Morgan Sails Again! – Opening Saturday, June 14. The new exhibit will include:
  - A large screen TV will show live broadcasts from the voyage along with video programs that are created during the trip.
  - In addition to breaking stories about the 38th Voyage, the exhibit will explore the history, the restoration, and the significance of this national treasure.
  - An audio program will feature the sounds of whales as well as modern and historical music about whales and whaling.

- Latitude 41° hours are incorrect on the Spring Today Sheets and Caulking Memo. Latitude 41° will be open on Tuesdays and Wednesday starting June 17 not June 1.

- Saturday, June 7
  - 8AM – 1PM: Junior Volunteer Training (Campbell Room)
  - 5PM: Wedding Ceremony and Reception (Lighthouse Point)
  - 5:30PM: Brewers Yacht Club Docktails (Docks)
  - Coastal Gourmet Catered Events, Latitude 41°

- Sunday, June 8
  - Adult Sailing, 9:30AM – 12:30PM (YTB)
  - Adult Sailing, 1:30PM – 4:30PM (YTB)
  - Coastal Gourmet Catered Events, Latitude 41°

- Coming Up Next Week
  - Wednesday: 12:30 – 2PM: North Canaan School (Greenmanville Church)
  - Thursday: Sea Music Festival: All Day
  - Thursday, 7PM: Sea Music Festival Evening Concert: “Fitting Out” (Boatshed)
  - Friday: Sea Music Festival: All Day
  - Friday, 11:30AM – 1PM: Broad Rock School (Greenmanville Church)
  - Friday, 7PM: Sea Music Festival Evening Concert: “Unmooring” (Boatshed)
WEEKEND DUTY OFFICER/WATCH CAPTAIN/WATERCRAFT SUPERVISOR

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- Director of Major & Planned Gifts
- Advancement Administrative and Events Manager

HAVE A GREAT WEEKEND

Photo by Andy Price