



## HUDSON RIVER HAPPENINGS NEWSLETTER

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August 2023

July Meeting at Cornwall YC



Thanks to CYC Commodore Tom Gleeson and crew for hosting our July meeting with great food and the fabulous cake!

## **NYS DPS to hold Public Forums and Hearings on Clean Path Transmission Line Case 22-T-0558**

On October 11, 2022, New York Power Authority and Clean Path LLC filed an application with the New York State Public Service Commission (Commission), pursuant to Article VII of the Public Service Law, for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need regarding the Clean Path Transmission Project. If granted, the Certificate would authorize the construction, operation, and maintenance of approximately 178 miles of electric transmission line from the Town of Delhi, Delaware County to a point of interconnection in Astoria, Queens County, New York.

The proposed Project is comprised of underground and submarine components and will travel through portions of Delaware, Dutchess, New York, Orange, Putnam, Queens, Rockland, Sullivan, and Westchester counties (see figure on reverse side). The 131 miles of underground cable begins at the Fraser Substation in Delaware County and follows existing right-of-way owned by various state and New York City agencies, as well as utility companies and ends at the Rainey Substation in Queens. The submarine portion includes a 47-mile transmission line in the Hudson, Harlem, and East Rivers, including six landfalls where the line enters or exits the rivers. The onshore components would include a 2,000-foot underground cable route and a substation facility within the power complex.

## **Hudson River spared more toxic dumping from Indian Point!**

Amazing news! [Governor Hochul has signed the Save the Hudson bill](#), crucial legislation aimed at safeguarding the economic vitality of the Hudson River by halting radioactive wastewater discharges at Indian Point.

“The community has spoken loud and clear that it is unacceptable to use the Hudson River as a dumping ground for radioactive waste. Riverkeeper thanks Governor Hochul for her leadership and for taking action on behalf of the hundreds of thousands of New Yorkers who called on her to sign bipartisan legislation stopping the radioactive wastewater discharges from Indian Point,” said Riverkeeper President Tracy Brown. “We also thank Assemblymember Dana Levenberg and Senate Environmental Conservation Chairman Pete Harckham for their tireless efforts to secure this legislative victory; our coalition partners who have been influential in the development and passage of the bill; and the concerned community members who made their voices heard by connecting with legislators, attending rallies, and engaging with Riverkeeper’s action alerts.”

The overwhelming opposition from the public against Holtec's profit-driven discharges has resonated across New York as communities have rallied together to protect the Hudson River, recognizing it as a vital resource for the State.

### **HORSEPOWER ON THE HUDSON.**

Castleton Boat Club put on fabulous performance boat event Sat Aug 5th:

This was timed, straight line, measured Top Speed runs, from kids with 16 ft runabouts (65mph,

to Party Barges (90+mph) through 20-32 ft Vee hulls 70-100 mph.

Top speed was a 36 ft Skater with twin 1,640 hp, 178 mph.

Well organized with Sheriffs, NYSP, USCG, etc. + local Fire Dept & Vendors.

PLUS on-site Hot-Rod & Custom Car Show.

Approx 300-350 people in attendance + many anchored/rafted up boats spectators.

A good time had by MANY!!! ~ Henry Matheus, VC, New Hamburg YC

## Visit to Keyport YC and Great Kills YC

The first week of August found the Cruising Fleet of Minisceongo YC in Raritan Bay and Sandy Hook. We were welcomed at both Keyport YC and Great Kills YC, each for a 2-day stay. They both shared the best part of boating: warm welcome, meeting new people, sharing boating stories and the camaraderie of HRBYCA boaters. Thanks to both clubs from Minisceongo YC!



**Keyport Yacht Club**

**Great Kills Yacht Club**



## Announcements:

- **Upcoming Meetings:**
  - **Tuesday, September 26 location TBD**
  - **Tuesday, November 28 at Ossining Boat and Canoe Club**



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### **VOLUNTEER PLEASURE BOATERS NEEDED TO SUPPORT THE 2023 LIGHTHOUSE SWIM**

**WHAT:** The Lighthouse Swim, a non-profit organization located in Sleepy Hollow, New York dedicated to supporting the health and vitality of our community and raise funds for Feeding Westchester and other local organizations in need will stage the three (3) mile swim across the Hudson River, from Nyack to Sleepy Hollow, New York.

**WHEN:** September 10, 2023

**WHERE:** Kingsland Point Park

**SWIMMER PARTICIPANTS:** Entries will be capped at 150 swimmers.

**VOLUNTEER PLEASURE BOATS:** To support the swimmers across the three-mile course, the event is recruiting experienced pleasure boat owners who will be positioned on the river, lending support to kayakers and swimmers, helping to keep them on the course and assisting where necessary.

**SIGN-UP:** To sign-up as a volunteer pleasure boater, please register at

<https://runsignup.com/Race/Volunteer/NY/SleepyHollow/TheLighthouseSwimsleepyhollow>

## **“Hudson River Day” at the Croton Yacht Club Sept. 9, 2023**

The Croton Yacht Club is happy to announce its annual “Hudson River Day” celebration will be held on Saturday, September 9th, from 11 AM - 4 PM at the Croton Yacht Club located at 6 Elliott Way in Croton-on-Hudson. The mission of the event is to promote interest in the history and ecology of the river, to cultivate future local environmental leaders and to promote, enhance and protect river related recreational resources.

There will be events and exhibits throughout the day targeting both children and adults, focusing on the history and ecology of the river.

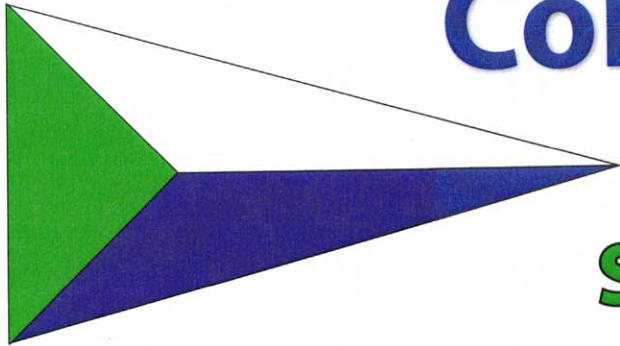
Events and exhibits will include: a seining exhibition where local marine life will be captured, displayed and later released; viewing tanks where local marine life can be identified and observed; hands-on exhibits for children such as toy sailboat making, fossil making; sail boat rides, and local artist displays and sales.

Free sailboat rides, will be offered by Ferry Sloops aboard their 22’ sloop-rigged Catboat the “Whimbrel” on a first come first served basis. The sails will depart at 11AM, 12PM, 1PM, 2PM and 3PM. Guests can sign up at the Ferry Sloops table in the tent beginning at 10:00AM for any of the day's scheduled sail times. Limit of 4 passengers per sail. Passenger age requirement: must be at least 12 years old, under 18 years old must be accompanied by parent or adult guardian.

There will also be a youth fishing clinic and contest sponsored by the Hudson River Fisherman’s Association and the Yacht Club. Volunteers will be present during the hours of 11:30 AM and 3:30 PM and provide the use of fishing equipment and bait, free of charge. Fishing rod and reel combinations will also be awarded as prizes. All youths wishing to fish at the Yacht Club must be accompanied by an adult.

The Croton Yacht Club looks forward to coordinating this event because it provides the membership and local exhibitors the opportunity to share their river related knowledge and expertise with the community, especially the children. The organization realizes that only through this transfer of knowledge can it safeguard the future of this great resource, the Hudson River.

Food and beverages will be available including the best fish chowder on the Hudson. Admission is free so please come and join us in a fun filled, educational and family focused event you will surely enjoy. Environmental organizations, local craft vendors and artists are welcome. For additional information please contact Dennis Kooney at [dennis@kooney.net](mailto:dennis@kooney.net) or call 914-271-6384.



# Cornwall Yacht Club, Inc. Steak Bake

**Saturday, September 9, 2023**

**Noon to "Into the Night"**

**Family Fun, Music & Entertainment  
Beer, Soda & "Lots A Food"**

**Adult \$70.00 Child \$15.00**

**CONTACT:**

**JOHN AUGERI (845) 656-3939**

**OR**

**BRENDON RISANO (845) 476-6860**

**All the "right stuff" for a great party celebrating the "end of summer!"**

STEAMERS

CHICKEN

**Cornwall Yacht Club Steak Bake  
Saturday, September 9, 2023**

Noon - 2:00 pm Hot Dogs • Hamburgers • Sausage & Peppers  
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm Shrimp • Clams  
5:30 pm Complete Chicken Meal  
All Day Beer, Wine and Soda

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**CHILDREN UNDER 12 - \$15**



# O.B.C.C. Annual Clambake



SEPTEMBER 17, 2023  
12:00 NOON



Advance ticket purchases:

ADULT.....\$40 cash/check OR \$37.01 + \$2.99 processing fee (online).  
CHILDREN under 12....\$10 cash/check OR \$8.45 + \$1.55 processing fee (online).

For cash/check purchases see a board member

*Only 150 Tickets will be sold*

## Come Join The Feast!

Food ••• Clams ••• Raffle

Wine ••• Beer ••• Soda

[Here is the link to buy tickets online:](#)



## FOR SALE

### 2000 Logic 21 ft. walk around \$19,000



Sitting on a new this year dual axle aluminum trailer. Boat only used for Stripper fishing 700 hours on 150hp E-Tec Evinrude motor, also has extra rod holders.

Good review on internet by Sport Fishing. Excellent boat for \$19,000.00.

Call Zach @ 845-2221952 .



## WANTED

Tom Gleeson, Commodore of the Cornwall Yacht Club:

If possible, we are looking for the following model boats:

**Carver 396**

**Carver 405**

**Silverton 392**

or similar Aft Cabin Motor Yacht models with a maximum LOA of 44 feet.

My contact info is: 845-492-1517 [commodore@cornwallyachtclub.com](mailto:commodore@cornwallyachtclub.com)

# For Sale : 1988 Tollycraft 30 Sport Cruiser (31 ft.)

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Asking \$23,500.00

Year: 1988

Make: Tollycraft

Model: 30 Sport Cruiser

Class: Cruiser

Length: 31ft

Fuel Type: Gas

Hull Material: Fiberglass

Offered by Pennybridge Marine

845-786-5100



*“Sea Clusion”*

[Click here for more pictures](#)

Easily one of the most spacious and versatile 30’ cruisers available – this Hudson River boat has been meticulously maintained. The galley offers a 3-burner stove as well as a separate oven for easy family meals. The 11.5 foot beam affords stability and expanded living space. Air conditioning and a generator make long distant cruising a pleasure. Listed exclusively with PennyBridge Marine – Please call 845-786-5100 for more details. Owners are extremely motivated for a quick sale.

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