

The Watchorn

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Holiday Harbor/Cabrillo Marina

On behalf of Laura and Bill Gribble's family, we wish to express our heartfelt thanks for your show of kindness and support towards *Dock Holiday*, both during his illness and since his passing. The outpouring of loving sentiment has confirmed our belief that he was one very extraordinary person who touched many lives and will most certainly be missed.

Dock Holiday's Side-Kick

This is important Really!

If you are a "newbie" at Holiday Harbor-Cabrillo Marina, we're sure you have already received a wealth of information regarding the Clean Marina program, thanks to the diligence of Kyle, our Marina Manager. However, we thought it might be a good idea in the coming months to re-iterate the policies and procedures with ALL our boaters, so here's a tidbit you should know regarding ...

EMERGENCY RESPONSE

Marina Best Management Practices

Holiday Harbor-Cabrillo Marina has a formal Emergency Action Plan and maintains an Emergency Response Manual which is accessible to Marina Maintenance and Marina Security. This manual provides a map of all electrical disconnects, water and gas shut-off valves and emergency telephone numbers for any situation that may arise. These numbers are kept up to date and Marina staff receives ongoing training for emergency procedures and responsibilities.

New employees are acquainted with the Emergency Response Manual in detail.

Boater Best Management Practices

- Keep the appropriate number of fire extinguishers onboard with current service tags in place.
- Ensure that engines and fluids have cooled adequately prior to initiating any maintenance to avoid burns.
- Keep work areas on your boat clear of oil and debris.
- Provide continuous ventilation in work areas, especially below decks.

Real News

- If you'd like to be kept abreast of the Port of Los Angeles requirements for the **proposed "Rules and Regulations for Vessels Berthed in Marinas" tariff**, please plan to attend the next public meeting scheduled for Tuesday, February 12th from 6:00 – 7:30 PM in the Liberty Hill Plaza Multi-Purpose Room (100 W. 5th Street, San Pedro). The proposed tariff will be available prior to the meeting on the Port's website at www.portoflosangeles.org. For further information, call 310-732-3810.
- Did you know that one of the lowest tides of the year will be on Saturday, February 16th? If you'd like to take advantage of this opportunity, drop by Cabrillo Marina Aquarium's John Olguin Auditorium between 11a.m. – 12:30 p.m. to enjoy a slide show followed by a tide pool walk led by the Aquarium's Education Staff to explore nearby Point Fermin State Marine Park. Oh, reservations are required and the cost is \$1 per person. The Aquarium is located at 3720 Stephen M. White Drive, San Pedro (310.548.7562).
- Have you heard about (or do you remember) the Great Los Angeles Air Raid of 1942? Personally, I wasn't there, but from what I hear, thousands of local military and civilians were absolutely certain that Los Angeles was under an air attack (War of the Worlds all over again????) To commemorate this controversial event in our local history, the Fort MacArthur Museum has scheduled it's 6th Annual Great LA Air Raid Event on Saturday, **February 23rd**. The fundraiser will benefit the museum and will attempt to recreate the atmosphere of a 1942 social evening, interrupted by the realities of war. All you history buffs should show up for this event! Questions, call 310.548.2631.