

Winner, winner, chicken dinner?



FBHI New England Boat Show Auction

We will be at the NE Boat Show 2/11-19

Come see New England's largest indoor boat show at the South Boston Expo Center. While the show is happening, we'll have an online AUCTION using eBAY - FBHI.org to bid on items!

Our booth is scheduled to be # 128 (on the outer wall on the left-hand side as you enter the huge hall). Over 40,000 attendees are expected!

We hope to see you there, we've learned over the past many years that the crowds are 2 types of folks - boaters & "dreamers", and most while they may know the islands exist, have little idea what is "out there". If you can't join us at the show, please check out FBHI.org to see the auction items - bid often and you just might win!

Thank you to our auction donors:

Birch Mobile Marine, Constitution Marina and Bed & Breakfast Afloat, Green Turtle Bed & Breakfast, the sailing vessel Kayla, The Point Restaurant. More donors are expected in the coming days.

Yours,

Walter Hope, *FBHI Chairman*

Happy Valentines Day!



Upcoming activities & Save the Date!

New England Boat Show - FBHI will have a booth at the show, February 11-19

Pedlocks Island Winter Tour - February 25th [CLICK HERE for INFO & TICKETS \(NPS / BHC\)](#)

Annual Meeting - April 23rd (place & details TBD) *Save the Date!*

Rainsford Island Trip - May 20th [CLICK HERE for INFO & TICKETS \(FBHI\)](#)

While some of the other non-profits working in the harbor have ***much deeper pockets*** than us, we are a dedicated non-profit that for over 35 years has worked to provide service to the Boston Harbor Islands.

Consider this season helping us continue our work.

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You will note there are 2 types of membership, "**lump sum**" or a set amount paid in one payment. The other option is a "**subscription**" membership. A subscription membership provides a donation from \$20 & up a month to the Friends and helps the group tremendously, and does so in an **easy to budget** way for you.

With the SUBSCRIPTION Feature, you can budget your increased membership level over 12 months - tremendously and affordably assisting the FRIENDS and receiving a wonderful new book at the same time!

A Subscription Membership can affordably provide:

\$20 a month = \$240 a year!

\$30 a month = \$360 a year!

\$40 a month = \$480 a year!

\$50 a month = \$600 a year!

Did you know that our boat trips are run as a "public service"? With the cost of the charter, we often run the trips at break even. **Members like YOU** are our major source of income. Thank you for being a Member of the Friends of the Boston Harbor Islands! [JOIN US!](#) *Thank you for your support.*

our volunteer board of directors



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