Life Aboard Ship: What It Takes To Be A Ship Captain & Deck Hand

6:30-8:00 pm, Monday, Jan.8
at Portage Lake District Library

Meet Capt. Dave Laban & Deck Hand Derek Wiitanen

Learn what it’s like to work & live aboard ship:
♦ Benefits and challenges of working & living on Great Lakes freighters
♦ How to apply for summer jobs (earn $20,000 for 100 days aboard ship!)
♦ How to apply to Great Lakes Maritime Academy
♦ Job prospects aboard Great Lakes’ ships
♦ Questions & answers

Games & activities for K-6 students:
♦ Match cargoes with the products they produce.
♦ Identify the parts of a ship
♦ Learn some shipping lingo.
♦ Discover the tools used by the captain and deck hand to do their jobs.
♦ Safely navigate the harbor---don’t sink your ship!

For more information, call the library at 482-4570.

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