Great Lakes Maritime Transportation & Ship-Building Teacher Institute in Green Bay, WI
July 23-26, 2013 ~ AGENDA

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Monday, July 22 – Green Bay
3-7 pm Check in to hotel (rooms reserved at St. Brendan’s Inn http://www.saintbrendansinn.com/)
7:00-9:00 pm Orientation meeting: Introductions, course requirements, institute overview (at St. Brendan’s)

Tuesday, July 23 – Green Bay
6:30-8:00 am Continental Breakfast (daily)
7:30-8:30 am Overview of Great Lakes Intermodal Transportation by Joan Chadde, Michigan Tech
8:30-9:30 am Overview of Port of Green Bay by Dean Haen, Director, Brown County Port and Solid Waste Dept
10:00-11:00 Tour NOAA Green Bay Weather Station: Marine Weather (Gary Austin, meteorologist)
11:30-12:30 am Tour of ACE Marine
12:45-1:45 pm LUNCH (Erberts & Gerberts Deli)
2:30-3:30 pm Tour of Marquis Yachts
4:00-4:30 pm Return to Hotel – meet in small groups to brainstorm integration into curriculum
6:00 pm Dinner at St. Brendan’s Restaurant; Fox River walk

Wednesday, July 24 – Sturgeon Bay
8:00 am Vans depart for Sturgeon Bay (60 min. 45 miles)
9:30 am Sturgeon Bay Coast Guard Canal Station tour with Wayne J. Spritka, Station Master, and “Coasties”
  • History of the canal & station
  • Tour of the station, boats and a climb to the light house.
  • Coast Guard careers: job duties and mission.
11:30 am Picnic Lunch (Blue Front Café) along Sturgeon Bay waterway
12:45-2:30 pm Bay Ship-Building Company tour - dry dock & 1000-footer repairs
3:00-5:00 Door County Maritime Museum & John Purvis tugboat tour with Bob Desh, Museum Director
The museum showcases Sturgeon Bay, home to ship-building for the past one hundred years---producing fishing trawlers, Navy vessels, ore carriers and some of the finest yachts in the world. Take a self-guided tour of the museum and guided tour of historic John Purvis tug (limited to groups of 10 per tour, starting every 30 minutes)
5:00 pm Drive back to Green Bay (60 miles, 1 hr 15 min)
6:00-8:00 Dinner on your own at Green Bay’s Farmer’s Market; Neville Museum open til 8 pm

Thursday, July 25 – Marinette, WI *Wear “work clothes”(long pants/jeans, long-sleeved shirt, closed toe shoes/work boots*
8 am Depart in vans to Marinette, WI
9:00 am North Coast Training Center with Dave Geitner, Northeast Wisconsin Technical College
View short video & overview of their role in the marine industry.
9:30 am – 10:30 am Session 1
10:30 am – 11:30 am Session 2
11:30 am – 12:30 pm Lunch & Careers Discussion (Brian Lancour)
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm Session 3
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm Session 4
Four groups of 5 teachers rotate through four proficiencies:

1. Marine electrical
2. Marine welding
3. Ship fitting/rigging
4. Ship pipe fitting

2:30-3:30 pm  Marinette Marine yard tour with Steve Baue (tentative)
3:30 pm  Visit ship constructor lab & engineering aspect of ship building
5:00 pm  Depart for Green Bay
6:00 pm  Dinner at Red (106 S. Broadway) or Titletown Restaurant (http://www.titletownbrewing.com/)

Friday, July 26 – Manitowoc, WI

7:45 am  Checkout of hotel & load vans.
8 am  Depart in vans to Manitowoc, WI
9:00 am  Wisconsin Maritime Museum Tour: shipbuilding history & maritime transportation
10:00 am  Maritime Lesson: What Floats Your Boat? & Shipbuilding – Wendy Lutzke, educator, Wisconsin Maritime (Waterways Room)
11:00  Maritime Lesson: Great Lakes Cargo lesson from Maritime Chest
11:45-12:15  Lunch (Maretti’s Deli)
12:15-12:45  Maritime Lessons (cont.)
12:30 pm  Participants share lesson ideas

1:00  Course ends. (Some participants leaving on SS Badger - car ferry to Ludington, MI)

** Course evaluations (on your own on Survey Monkey – must complete to receive credit and registration refund)