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Tall Ships Festival - September 7th – 9th

In celebration of California's rich maritime history, the Ocean Institute annually hosts a fleet of historic tall ships that sail into Dana Point Harbor. History comes alive, as crews from each ship, along with historical re-enactors, engage the public in cannon battles, pirate adventures, mermaid encounters, ship tours, and much more. Come enjoy the fun!

Prepare To Stow Your Gear!

Following Labor Day weekend, we ask that boaters clear the docks of all gear and make sure that small crafts (dinghies, inflatables, tenders, kayaks, and paddleboards) are stored according to marina rules. As a reminder:

- Docks must remain clean and clear for emergency access.
- Small craft cannot be stored on the docks. Craft blocking dock access will be cited or impounded.
- Small craft cannot be stored behind boats if they hang out more than 3 ft beyond the end of the dock fingers.
- The Marina provides dry storage racks, contact the marina office regarding availability.
- No gear may be stored on the dock except in a marina provided dock box.

Sea Lions

We are cautiously optimistic that we appear to be making progress on the sea lion issue through the use of a variety of legal deterrents and consistent response. To help us keep the pesky critters at a manageable level, please do not fish, clean fish, cut bait or feed sea lions in the harbor. Your neighbors will thank you! If you encounter sea lions on the dock, please notify the marina office right away.

Dock Carts

To keep dock carts secure for boater use, it is highly recommended that you return the dock cart to the dock after each use and lock the dock gate!
