

FILMS & TALKS IN THE ROCKLAND YACHT CLUB BUILDING

FRIDAY:

3:00 p.m.

Midcoast Fisherman's Cooperative, Glen Libby

Creating new market strategies to promote restoration of the fishery

Glen Libby, is a lifelong second-generation fisherman from Port Clyde, Maine. He will speak about the traditional fishing community of Port Clyde and how changes in fishing regulations and market conditions have brought about the creation of the Midcoast Fishermen's Association, the Midcoast Fishermen's Cooperative, and the Port Clyde Fresh Catch seafood business. He is the owner and operator of the F/V *Skipper* and has been fishing for groundfish, scallops, and shrimp for more than 33 years.

4:00 p.m.

Island Institute, Suzanne Pude and Nancy Carter

Fox Island Wind Power: Sustaining a Way of Life

This talk will cover the highlights of the Island Institute's current initiatives in the areas of renewable energy (wind power), island agriculture, and conservation-minded fisheries management. The goal is to help ensure that Maine's island and working-waterfront communities remain vibrant places to live and work.

5:00 p.m.

Stephens, Waring, White Yacht Design: Bob Stephens

The Spirit of Tradition: Innovation in Classic Sailing Yachts

"Spirit of Tradition" sailboats combine the best of classic appearance and style with state-of-the-art sailing performance, comfort, and luxury. With words and pictures, Robert Stephens of Stephens Waring, White Yacht Design will illustrate recent developments in this exciting genre, which is leading to boats that are faster, more beautiful, and more pleasant to sail.

SATURDAY:

3:00 p.m.

Yarkitecture Design, Panel discussion with Ken Sawyer, JB Turner, Eric Beckstrom, and George Workman. Moderated by Rosie Curtis.

What is Yarkitecture?

The session will begin with a short presentation and slide show about the concepts and creative process behind Yarkitecture Design. This will be followed by a panel discussion between key participants in the current project in Cushing, Maine. There will be time for questions from the audience.

4:00 p.m.

Atlantic Challenge: Director Jeff Lewis

Traditional Boatbuilding in the 21st century: Honoring heritag, embracing innovation

Lewis will speak about how this wooden boatbuilding and seamanship school works with both heritage and innovation in the twenty-first century. In particular, two recent launches, known as "the Twins," will be highlighted. These new sail-training vessels are traditional plank-on-frame open boats that honor timeless craftsmanship yet have modern, innovative rigs that can be changed from sloop to ketch to schooner. The result is a blend of the historic and the contemporary, exemplary both as teaching tools and as works of art built by student hands.

5:00 p.m.

Morris Yachts—Speaker and content TBD

SUNDAY:

There are no talks on Sunday, but there ARE films throughout the day.