



# THE MANOTICK CLASSIC BOAT CLUB

*A Chapter of the Antique & Classic Boat Society*

44th MCBC Antique & Classic Boat Show  
Message from Stephen Fox  
President, Manotick Classic Boat Club (MCBC)

Our boat show is back! It will be held at the town docks in the Village of Westport on Saturday the 12<sup>th</sup> of August 2023.

Since 1975 we have brought together antique boat owners and antique boat lovers to various Eastern Ontario waterfronts in Westport, Rideau Ferry, Portland, Long Island Locks in Manotick and Dow's Lake in downtown Ottawa. Over the last 50 years, (yeah, it is *almost 50 years now* – even the Grews and Glastron's from that time are now collectibles in their own right!) we have seen a lineup of all classes of historic boats, from double ender launches from the turn of the century to Donzi's from the 1980's. We have all types of boats, cruisers, runabouts, launches, outboard skiffs, ski boats, made of cedar, mahogany, plywood, fiberglass, and sometimes steel plate and all kinds of power, inboard, outboard, gasoline, electric sail and oar and showcasing the restoration talents of both the professional and the amateur, and in few cases, the result of years of careful preservation.

The most important thing to remember is this: *It doesn't have to be perfect.* Just bring it and show it as it is- that's the whole point..

Attached is the Registration form and Information sheet for the Boat Show. As in years past, this is a non-judged Show, with registration open to MCBC members and non-members alike. I encourage you to register early, as dock and land display space is limited, and will be assigned on a first come basis.

If you would like additional information on the Boat Show or are interested in volunteering, please contact Andreas Reissmann – [mcbcboatshow@gmail.com](mailto:mcbcboatshow@gmail.com) or 613-791-4105

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## 44th MCBC Antique & Classic Boat Show August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2023 Westport, Ontario

The 44th MCBC Antique and Classic Boat Show will be held on Saturday, August 12<sup>th</sup> at the Westport Municipal Harbour in the beautiful Village of Westport. The Village of Westport is a small village with plenty of shopping and restaurants, located on Upper Rideau Lake, which is part of the Rideau Canal system, a designated UNESCO World Heritage Site.

The registration fee is \$20 per boat or land display. Please submit the accompanying Boat Show registration form by August 1, 2023. Registration is on a first come basis as dock and land display space is limited.

### **Logistical information** (see enclosed map for location sites)

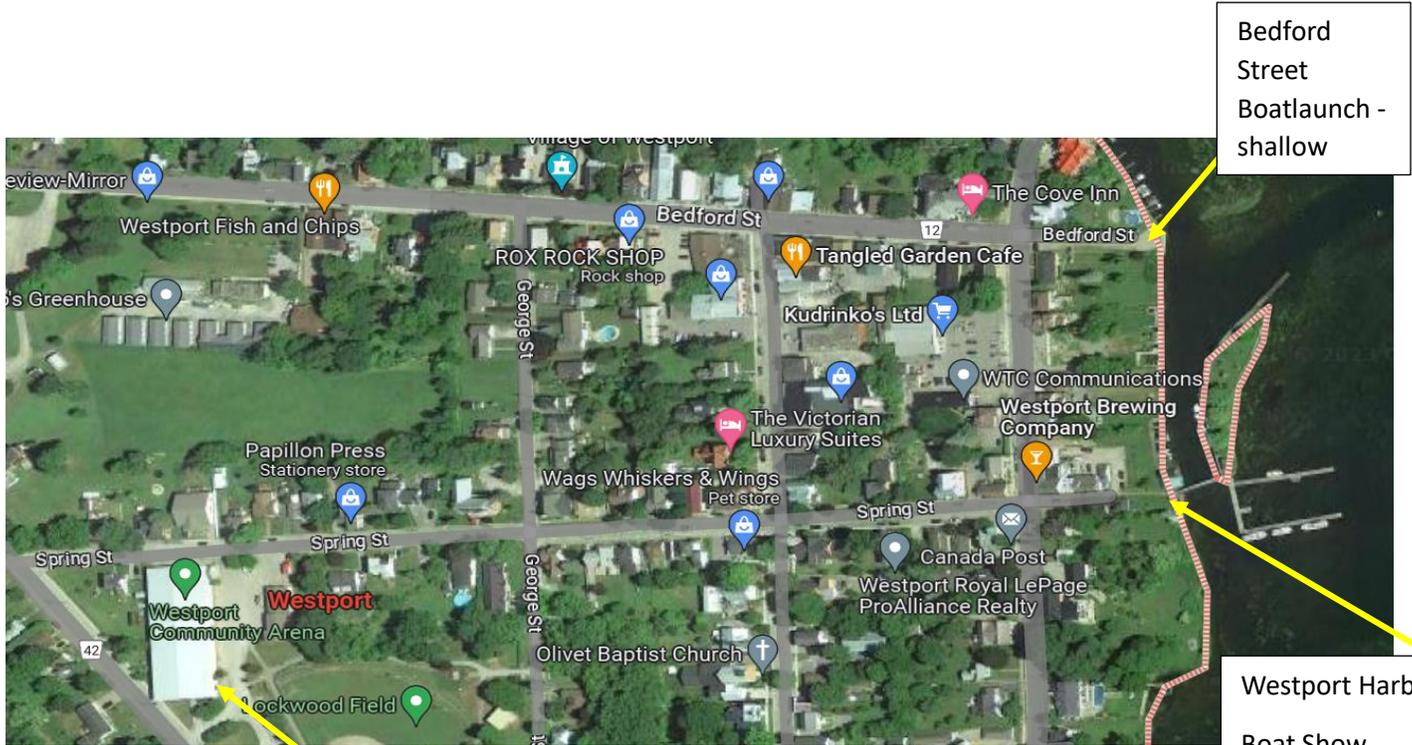
*Boat Launch: (Boats under 15')* There is a boat launch located at the bottom of Bedford Street in Westport. This launch is quite steep and shallow and is only recommended for small boats, no launch fee. Limited trailer parking will be available at the Westport Community Arena located at 37 Spring Street.

*Boat Launch: (Boats under 25')* There is also a boat launch available at Forrester Landing at County Road 42, just before Westport. (See map). This is a gravel boat ramp maintained by the Rideau Valley Conservation Authority. Parking is along the roadside.

*Overnight Docking:* If you wish a dock space on Friday or Saturday night, please call Westport Harbour. (613-273-8621) Docking charges are per foot depending on power and water requirements. Reservations are required.

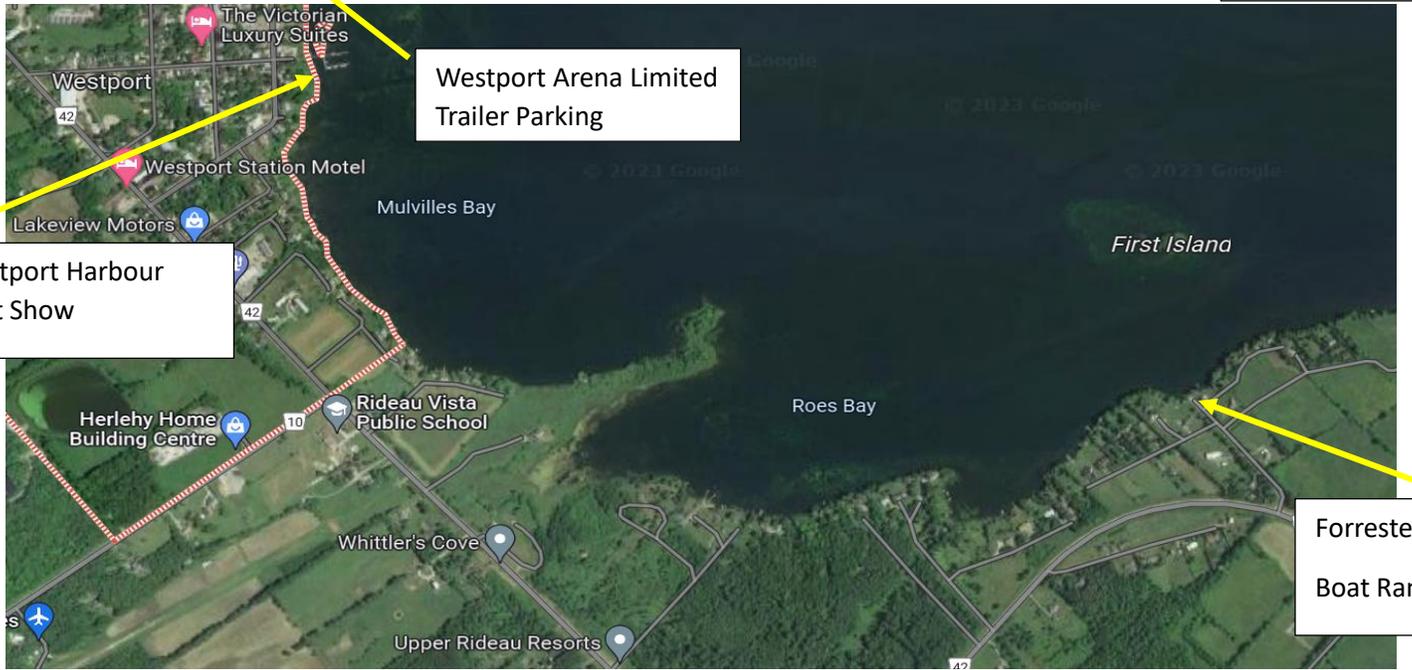
*Registration Area:* The boat show registration desk will be located at the pavilion on Fetch Murray Way at Westport Harbour on the Saturday morning.

*Parking:* For those traveling by car, parking will be available along the village streets.



Bedford Street Boatlaunch - shallow

Westport Harbour Boat Show



Westport Arena Limited Trailer Parking

Westport Harbour Boat Show

Forrester Landing Boat Ramp

REGISTRATION FORM PLEASE PRINT



**44th MCBC Antique & Classic Boat Show  
Westport, Ontario**

**Registrant Information**

Name:

Address:

Postal/Zip Code:

Phone:

E-mail:

**Boat Show Information**

The 44th MCBC Antique & Classic Boat Show will be held at the Westport Village Harbour on August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2023, from 10am-4pm. Boat owners are encouraged to arrive early so that all boats are in place before 10am. Dock and land display space will be allocated on a first come basis so register early. The registration fee is \$20 per boat or land display. Registration closes August 1, 2023.

**Registration Fee Schedule**

Water or Land Display	BoatName or Builder / Land Display	Owner / Exhibitor	Cost \$20.00 each boat / land display

Please make cheques payable to: **Manotick Classic Boat Club** or e-transfer [mcbboatshow@gmail.com](mailto:mcbboatshow@gmail.com)

and mail, along with completed registration form, to:

**The Manotick Classic Boat Club**

**c/o Andreas Reissmann**

**950 Fieldown Street, Cumberland, ON, K4C 1B9** Registration forms can

also be sent electronically to: [mcbboatshow@gmail.com](mailto:mcbboatshow@gmail.com)

## Conditions of Participation:

The Manotick Classic Boat Club will make every effort to ensure your participation is a safe and enjoyable experience. As a participant, I certify I have effective insurance to cover any damage to my boat and to cover my liability for any damages to others or their property, arising from any use of my boat during this event. As well, I agree that, the Manotick Classic Boat Club (MCBC) is not responsible for damage to my boat or loss of personal possessions, which may occur through my participation, either personally or through the use of my boat or equipment in this show. I further agree to hold harmless MCBC, its Directors, Volunteer Assistants, the boat show host and Sponsors for any injury or loss suffered by me, my family or invitees during or in connection with the boat show event, whether such injury or loss resulted directly or indirectly from the negligent acts or omissions of said volunteers or Sponsors or others connected with the boat show.

Name:

(Please Print)

Signature:

Date:

## REGISTRATION FORM

### Boat Entry Information

Please Complete One Boat per Page. Use a separate copy of this page to register additional boats.

Boat Name:

Year:

Builder & Model:

Overall length:

Beam:

Draft:

Engine - Year/Cyl/HP:

Boat Classification: (Circle as appropriate)

Runabout    Utility    Cruiser    Skiff    Outboard    Launch

Sailboat    Race Boat    Canoe    Other (Specify)

To be exhibited: (Circle as appropriate)

In Water    On Land

**This is a non-judged show**