

# At the Marina

A Facility of the  **Port of Grays Harbor**

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**Summer 2017**

## A Westport Marina Welcome



As we head into a season of sunny days and long hours, we feel privileged to manage a facility that is the hub of so much activity! While the Westport Marina is the home of a booming commercial fishing industry, a community of recreational anglers from near and far, and a skilled and successful charter fishing fleet, it is also the hub for many local businesses. The Marina District sees nearly 8,000 boat launches each summer, hosts various festivals and events, and provides a unique synergy between industry and tourism as onlookers enjoy our working waterfront. While some of you have been moored in our marina for 40 years, others of you are just visiting our facility for the first time. Whatever the case may be, we genuinely appreciate your business and hope you have a great experience in the Westport Marina.

Molly Bold,  
Westport Marina Business Manager

## Your Customer Service Crew



Top: Molly Bold, Robin Leraas, Seagra Carkonen, Stacy Baker Bottom: Colby Peters, Brayden Roiko, Joseph Perette, Richard White, Dustin Goldade, Ken Rausch

### Summer Office Hours:

**Sunday-Saturday 8am-5pm**  
**360.268.9665**  
**marina@portgrays.org**

You will notice a few new faces around the Marina Office this summer. In addition to our Office Manager, Robin Leraas, Seagra Carkonen has joined the staff as our full time customer service assistant. Molly Bold has joined the team as the Westport Business Manager. Our Summer crew is fully staffed and hard at work. Stop in to grab a cup of coffee and say hello!

## Partnering for a Secure Marina

Earlier this spring, Marina Staff reached out to Police Chief Rosenow, Corporal Nate Saunders, and Mayor Rob Bearden to discuss steps to strengthen security in the Marina. A solid partnership between the Marina Staff, the Marina Users, and our local enforcement agencies is critical to improving the overall safety of the marina. Below are a couple tips on how you can help us:

**Report all Crime!** According to WPD most theft goes unreported. Every crime incident should be reported regardless of the value of items damaged or stolen. Reporting crime gives the department the ability to take action and it clarifies trends in theft or vandalism. If we want to improve security, we need know the extent of the problem.

### Take Responsibility

- Lock Up Boats, Vehicles, Valuables
- Install Personal Security Systems
- Video Surveillance
- Communicate to the Westport Police Department and the Marina Office any suspicious activity



Corporal Nathan Saunders (left) and Chief of Police, Tracy Rosenow (right). Westport Police Department

Corporal Nathan Saunders, the night patrol for the Westport Police Department welcomes communication from our users. Please feel free to contact him directly: email, call or text: 360.580.0312.

However, in the event of an emergency, please dial 911.

## Project Updates

- Marina Bankline & Sidewalks**  
-Estimated Completion: July 15, 2017
- Float 15 Repairs**  
-Estimated Start Date: August 1, 2017
- Marina Dredging Project**  
-Estimated Start Date: 2018  
*\*Subject to Legislative Appropriation*
- Float 9 Bathrooms & Showers**  
-Estimated Start Date: November 2017
- Boat Launch Parking Lot Project**  
-Estimated Start Date: Spring 2018  
*\*Subject to Legislative Appropriation*

## C3F Sea-Based DCSA



On August 1st, from 7:00am-11:00am the boat launch will be blocked for Military testing. They will be conducting a trial run of their response capabilities in the event of a catastrophic event. The event is open to the public. Landing craft, various military vehicles, and helicopters will be on site. Military personnel will be greeting the public with information on their response plans in the event of a Cascadia Earthquake event or a tsunami event. The US Coast Guard Station will also be hosting an open house during the event.

**Please remember: Westport Marina Boat Launch will be blocked On Aug. 1st from 7:00am- 11:00am.**

## Marina Text Program

Marina Users, in an effort to better serve our customers, we recently added a texting service as a tool for communication. Please sign up to receive occasional news, emergency notifications, and various information from the marina office.

[https://mobile-text-alerts.com/subscribe/Port\\_Grays](https://mobile-text-alerts.com/subscribe/Port_Grays)  
Or type: 'Port\_Grays' to 662-200-4303

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