



**Please take a moment to read this important message about Off-Season Storage & Services**

Cheers to a great boating season on the Connecticut shoreline! While there is still plenty of time to enjoy boating this fall, it's never too early to plan for the off-season. Many marinas are already at capacity for winter storage, but we're keeping things simple: the same trusted programs, even more enhancements, and the Harborside team ready to help every step of the way.

For 27 years, our off-season programs have proven that tackling your maintenance in the winter means a smoother, trouble-free boating season come spring. We **know** the boating season in New England is already short and the last thing you need is to lose time to a problem that could have been caught months earlier. That's why we do in-depth winter maintenance, provide clear recommendations, and address issues right away, so you're not left high and dry with a big surprise on May 1. If you give us your requested launch date by your Fall Haul-Out, we guarantee we'll have you ready on time.

**Harborside Marina Off-Season Storage Advantages**

- **Indoor storage** available—Boathouse Rack Building (boats 15'–50'). First come, first serve—Reserve early!
- Turn-Key or A-La-Carte Service Plans. Ask us about our NEW Sea Hunt Owners winter plan, coming soon!
- FREE year-round tech support—Call anytime and talk to myself or one of our certified techs.
- Owner Orientation & Training – Available for Sea Hunt, Chris-Craft, Wellcraft, and Waterlodge Houseboat owners. Learn your boat from bow to stern with one-on-one or small group walkthroughs covering key systems, safe operations, and helpful tricks to build confidence.
- Priority in-season service to ALL our loyal customers FIRST
- Detailed Off-Season Boat Report – Includes photos, diagnostics, and custom recommendations
- Private Spring Walkthrough – Optional, in-depth session with one of our techs to go over any winter work and help you get reacquainted before launch
- Secure Facility – 24/7 surveillance, storm-protected
- Factory-Trained Technicians – Equipped with state-of-the-art diagnostic tools.
- OEM Parts Only – No aftermarket substitutions
- In-House Detailing & Brightwork—Limited availability, first come first serve
- Expert Advice, Professional Care, and Top-Notch Service
- 24/7/365 Communication
- Certified Yamaha, Volvo, Mercury Warranty Center
- 10% Off at our onsite restaurant, Shanks (Anytime, All Season)

*...If you call us on July 4<sup>th</sup> at the fireworks, we WILL answer the phone!*



Whether you're wrapping up the season now or extending it into fall, getting on the schedule early helps us serve you better and may qualify you for discounted pricing (Plan Customers). Demand is high again this year, especially with so many new boaters on the water, and we expect to sell out of storage space.

Enclosed are our **2025-26 Off-Season Storage Programs**. You can choose A-la-carte services or opt into one of our all-inclusive plans. Either way, we'll treat your boat like it's our own and keep you informed every step of the way. If you're done boating for the season, it's a good time to get on the haul-out schedule and prevent unnecessary growth or wear while the boat sits in the water. If you're not ready yet, no worries! Send us your paperwork now to reserve your spot and ensure you're on the calendar.

### Thinking Ahead?

If you're planning to trade up or sell this winter, let's talk. We consistently get top dollar for boats listed in the fall and we'll even include free winter services on all trades. We're proud to carry **Sea Hunt, Pre-Owned Chris-Craft, Waterlodge Premium Houseboats**, and now, **Wellcraft Boats**. We'll be debuting the Wellcraft line this September at the Newport International Boat Show, and we're excited to help introduce a bold new era of offshore and luxury performance to the New England market.

And for all our Sea Hunt owners—our Annual Rendezvous is becoming one of our favorite events of the year. Take a look at the [fun we had this year](#). Keep an eye out for details on our upcoming **Sea Hunt Winter Plan** as well.

Thank you again for your continued trust in Harborside. My phone and inbox are always open for you.

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