

WATERCRAFT INSPECTION WEBINAR SERIES

New York Sea Grant is hosting a webinar series on the logistics of starting and managing the watercraft inspection component of a water-based stewardship program. Registration is required for each of the WebEx-based individual webinar sessions at:

https://reg.cce.cornell.edu/WatercraftInspection_112

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New York Sea Grant's Watercraft Inspection Steward Program Leaders Trainer Brittney Rogers shows boaters some aquatic debris taken from their boat trailer during a watercraft inspection education stop.

Fall 2015 Watercraft Inspection Steward Program **Webinar Series Schedule**

Thursday, October 29, 9:30am to 10:30am

 Identification, Impact, Prevention & Control of Aquatic Invasive Species Megan Pistolese, St Lawrence Eastern Lake Ontario Patterned Hip for Regional Invasive Species Management

Thursday, November 5, 9:00am to 10:30am

- How to Start a Watercraft Inspection Program with Brittney Rogers, New York Sea Grant Extension
- Standardized Watercraft Inspection Data Collection with Eric Holmlund, Paul Smith's Adirondack Watershed Institute Stewardship Program

Thursday, November 12, 9:00am to 10:30am

Current Watercraft Inspection Program Models: Staffing Structures & Funding Mechanisms Panel:

- Adirondack Region: Eric Holmlund, Paul Smith's Watershed Steward Program
- Conesus Lake: Louie Bo Freeman, Livingston Cornell Cooperative Extension
- Lake George: Dave Wick, Lake George Park Commission
- NYS: Patty Wakefield and Megan Phillips, NYS Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation

Friday, November 20, 9:00am to 10:30am

- What Anglers and Boaters Know & Still Need to Hear About Aquatic Invasive Species: Nancy Connelly, Cornell University Natural Resources Department
- Watercraft Inspection Legislation and Regulations: A Facilitated Discussion with David G. White, New York Sea Grant Extension

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