

PORT OF BROWNSVILLE NEWSLETTER

LOGO

You might be wondering why we left our logo off this month's newsletter. Am I right?

Well, at our last commission meeting it was decided to create a new logo for the Port and we want to involve all of you in this project!

We are looking for your ideas, sketches, full graphics. ANYTHING!! We want to bring the port into a new era with a new design that looks to our future. Let us know what you've got!!!

We will be keeping our current logo for Staff Gear, and hopefully have new gear available for purchase with the new logo on it!

Stop by the office and give us your ideas written out, drawn or however they come! We will have them at the next commission meeting for the Commissioners to select a new Logo.

SEAWORTHINESS CHECKS

'Tis the season for seaworthiness, as we move into the winter storm season, and prepare for 2024's projects we have made September Seaworthiness Month.

We are trying to cross all our t's and dot all our i's as we look ahead to applying for permits to update/upgrade portions of the marina. As part of that we want to ensure that there is nowhere that any agency can fault us. A large part of this is the Seaworthiness Check.

There is a checklist available in the office of items that we will be checking. If you cannot fill a date in September, please reach out to the POB@PortofBrownsville.org email and let us know why.

To schedule your check please visit: https://calendly.com/port of brownsville/seaworthiness-check or call/stop into the office to have one of our Admin's schedule it for you.

EVENTS

Park/Pavilion Rentals & Yacht Clubs

Date	Event
9/1-3/23	Des Moines Yacht Club
9/14/2023	PSNS Picnic
9/16/2023	Wedding!
9/18-19/23	Port Townsend Yacht Club
9/23/2023	Baby Shower!



ATTENTION AUTOPAY CUSTOMERS

We are moving to new marina management software and will no longer be using the same autopay service we have been. As a result, since we do not store your card information in our records, we will need you to contact us to provide your card information, again. We know this is inconvenient and we do sincerely apologize but moving forward, please know this will be a huge time-saver for the staff. There was nothing automatic about the previous autopay system, on our end! If you would like to sign up for autopay, we will be happy to get you signed up! We are hoping to have the new system in place by the beginning of October.

OTHER NEWS

We wanted to keep you updated on some other items that have happened for the Port in the last Month.

Kiosk Covers, we have ordered and are waiting for the covers for the kiosks. These should be sometime in the 2^{nd} week of September, and you will be seeing staff out and about beginning installation of these.

CERB Grant, we have signed the grant paperwork with CERB and are working on finalizing our agreement with the company that will be conducting the study. Over the next few months, we will be getting more information on how the community will be involved in this project. We don't have it yet, but stay tuned, we are just beginning.

Fiber Internet, I think many of you have seen our Port Manager running around with several different services getting quotes to bring fiber internet to the port as part of our RCO Boating Infrastructure Grant. We haven't selected a service yet, but we are hoping to have the project completed by the end of December. This is your Dedicated Fees Dollars at work!



UPCOMING MEETINGS

Commissioner Meeting – September 13th, 2023, at 6:00 PM 9756 Ogle Rd. NE Bremerton, WA 98311 Via ZOOM – Meeting ID: 818 0060 2605 Passcode: 865331