



# South Whidbey Harbor @ Langley

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## Harbormaster

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Don't be left out on the hook! E-mail the Harbormaster with your reservation request for yourself or for your group!

## Transportation

Cooper Auto Rental  
360 341-2949

All Island Express Taxi  
360 341-8294

South Whidbey Taxi  
360 321-0203

Whidbey Island Moped  
Scooter Rentals  
360 221-5152

## FREE Bus Service!

Throughout Whidbey Island  
Island Transit bus route & schedule info, along with other local information, is available from marina staff & is posted at the entry to the pier.

## March is the month - to make your 2012 boating reservations!

And before it gets busy, come see us now as the Grey Whales begin their annual visit just off the Harbor, to feed on shrimp as they migrate north from Mexico to the Behring Sea. Watch for special upcoming announcements for Whale Watching Cruises.

## DockStock Art Competition – Win a \$100 prize - sponsored by the Port of South Whidbey!

The winning design will be used for the *Port of South Whidbey's* 4<sup>th</sup> annual "DockStock – Music on the Pier" posters, commemorative T-Shirts and promotional advertising. The artist will receive \$100 prize money with a featured "Artist Bio", and the winning design will be designated as the "official artwork" for "DockStock 2012 - Music on the Pier", to be held at the South Whidbey Harbor at Langley, August 24<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>.

Deadline for entries is April 16<sup>th</sup>; winner to be announced by April 30<sup>th</sup>. For additional information, rules and entry forms, e-mail us or stop by the Harbormaster office and pick one up.

## Call out for Musical Talent!

Musical groups who would like to participate in the Port of South Whidbey's annual "**DockStock - Music on the Pier**", to be held **August 25<sup>th</sup>** at the South Whidbey Harbor at Langley, may submit their EPK via <http://sonicbids.com/DockStockMusiconthePier>. Deadline for submissions is April 16<sup>th</sup>; all notifications will be sent by April 30<sup>th</sup>.

## Save these Dates for 2012:

**April 14 – Dive Langley,**  
underwater egg and beach  
treasure hunt.

**April 21st – Welcome the**  
Whales Festival

**August 24-26 – DockStock**

**Port of South Whidbey**  
invites you to help  
others with non-  
perishable food  
donations to Good  
Cheer, the food bank  
serving South Whidbey!  
Depository located at  
top of the ramp. (at the  
information center)

## Looking for activities?

**Horseback riding,**  
biking, golf, kayaking,  
art classes, soap  
making, glass  
blowing, hiking, or  
paddle boarding. Ask  
us how we can hook  
you up!

The marina offers free  
WIFI – Ask for your Log-in  
information when  
registering for moorage.

## Make your plans to visit us this Spring for:

**April 14<sup>th</sup>:** Dive Langley, with an underwater egg hunt for SCUBA divers and a beach Treasure Hunt for the kids. Dive Clubs and individual divers welcomed. Contact the Harbormaster for details.

**May:** Port of South Whidbey's Boating Safety and Education Month. Customized programs for boating groups and educational programs for the public.

## What's New in 2012?

Guest moorage is simplified – All overnight guest moorage is \$1 per ft of the overall length of your vessel. Vessels 15 ft to 35 ft just pay an additional utility fee of \$3/night, vessels over 35 ft pay \$5 per night which includes **garbage, water, and shore power**. No utility charge for vessels under 15 ft.

Day Use coupon books are available for our frequent visitors, a book of 11 coupons for the price of 10!

You will notice new dock lighting, power upgrades, and restroom improvements. And we expect to be starting the installation of new boat launch floats and the first phase of marina expansion by mid-summer!

## Reservations for 2012....

Group reservations accepted up to 1 year in advance! Individual reservations accepted up to 14 days in advance - except for DockStock Aug 24<sup>th</sup>–26<sup>th</sup>, for which reservations are already filling up!

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