



New Jersey Clean Marina Program

Newsletter

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THE NEW JERSEY CLEAN MARINA PROGRAM ENCOURAGES MARINAS, YACHT CLUBS, BOATYARDS AND BOATERS TO VOLUNTARILY ADOPT PRACTICES THAT HELP PREVENT ADVERSE IMPACTS TO WATER QUALITY, SENSITIVE HABITATS, AND LIVING RESOURCES IN PROXIMITY TO MARINAS.

New Jersey Clean Marinas

- ◆ Baywood Marina, Brick ◆ Dillon's Creek Marina, Island Heights ◆ Forked River State Marina, Forked River
- ◆ Green Cove Marina, Brick ◆ Hobby Lobby Marine, Toms River ◆ Kammerman's Atlantic City Marina, Atlantic City
- ◆ Leonardo State Marina, Leonardo ◆ Main One Marina, Avon-By-the-Sea ◆ Morgan Marina, Inc, Parlin
- ◆ Riverbank Marina, Bayville ◆ Robbie's Loveladies Marina Inc, Loveladies ◆ Silver Cloud Harbor Marina, Forked River
- ◆ Spencer's Bayside Marina, Waretown ◆ Viking Yachting Center, New Gretna

Congratulations!

The Marinas Below Have Recently Achieved "Clean Marina" Status

- Jersey Shore Marina, Brick
- Atlantic Highland Municipal Harbor, Atlantic Highlands

For more information on how to become a "Clean Marina", visit njcleanmarina.org.

Dates to Remember!



Ocean Fun Days

May 17th at Island Beach State Park
May 18th at NJMSC on Sandy Hook



Recycle Your Shrink Wrap



Thanks to a grant from *I BOAT NJ* there are now 30 options/locations for shrink wrap disposal throughout New Jersey. Within the next week you will be receiving a fact sheet in the mail that provides details on proper disposal methods and locations for shrink wrap generated at your facility. In addition, you will receive a version that you can photocopy and distribute to your customers. A 12" x 18" shrink wrap recycling poster has also been created. To receive a poster and/or PDFs of the fact sheets for distribution, see red box on the reverse side.

In order for this collection effort to be successful, please adhere to the following guidelines:

- Keep shrink wrap as **DRY** and as **CLEAN** as possible.
- Remove zippers, vents and nylon strips.
- Roll shrink wrap into a small bundle.

Locations for shrink wrap disposal are now available in the following towns:

- **Atlantic County** - Egg Harbor Township
- **Burlington County** - New Gretna, Westampton
- **Cape May County** - Burleigh, Woodbine
- **Cumberland County** - Deerfield, Fortescue, Leesburg, Millville, Port Norris
- **Morris County** - Mt. Arlington
- **Ocean County** - Berkeley Township, Brick Township, Lacey Township, Lakewood, Little Egg Harbor Township, Ocean Township, Point Pleasant, Stafford, Toms River Township, Tuckerton
- **Sussex County** - Lafayette, Ogdensburg
- **Union County** - Elizabeth

Don't know what to do with shrink wrap or other boating-related waste?

Recycle It!

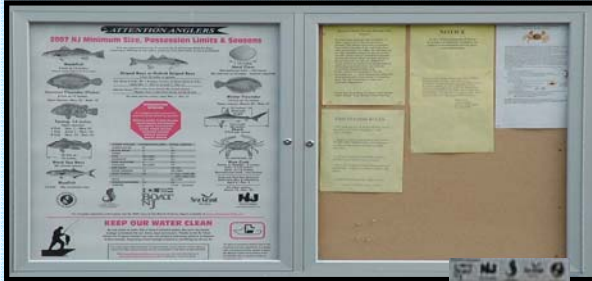
- ♻️ **Shrink Wrap**
To prep for recycling, remove doors, zippers, vents, etc. and other non-shrink wrap materials and roll into a 4" - 5" wide bundle, keeping it free from dirt and other debris.
- ♻️ **Zinc (Sacrificial Anodes)**
Check with your town recycling center or marine supply business for disposal options.
- ♻️ **Mercury-Containing Devices (Bilge Float Switches)**
Dispose as household hazardous waste on the appropriate collection day.

For more ideas and information, visit njcleanmarina.org.

Shrink Wrap Recycling Poster Available Upon Request

Outdoor Marina Display Case

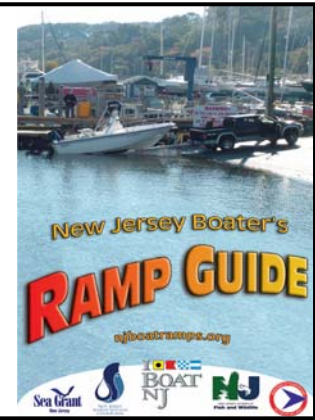
The New Jersey Sea Grant Extension Program and *I BOAT NJ* are continuing the marina display case project for 2008. A FREE display case (5 ft x 3 ft) will be given to marinas and boat ramps willing to: 1) place, update and maintain the display case in a high traffic area frequented by boaters and fishermen; 2) post the current marine recreational fishing regulations annually (large format provided); and 3) post boating/marina related materials in the other panel.



If you are interested in receiving a display case, send your name, name of marina or boat ramp, address, phone number and email address by email to Dr. Peter Rowe at prowe@njmsc.org.

New Jersey Boater's Ramp Guide

The New Jersey Boater's Ramp Guide has been updated for 2008. To receive a copy, see the red box below.



2008 Fish Regulation Cards and Posters

2008 Fish Regulation Cards and Posters will be available by mid-April. To receive copies of the regulation cards or a poster (if you have the outdoor marina display case) see the red box below.

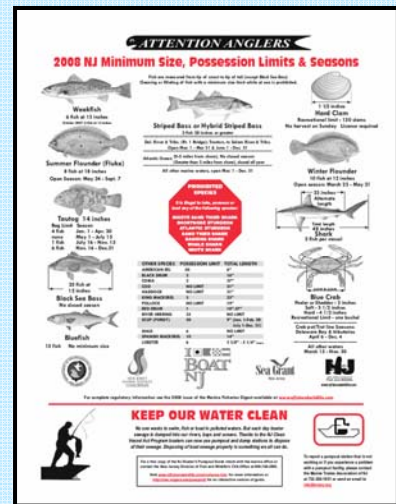
SPECIES	OPEN SEASON	MINIMUM LENGTH	HARVEST & POSSESSION LIMIT
American Eel	No Closed Season	48"	25
Black Drum	No Closed Season	14"	3
Blue Sea Bass	No Closed Season	12" (incl. tail flanges)	25
Blue Crab - Peeler or Shedder	No Closed Season	3 1/2" (incl. tail flanges)	Recreational limit - One Bushel
Soft Shell	Delaware Bay & Tributaries: Apr. 6 - Dec. 4	4 1/2"	25
Bluefish	All other waters: Mar. 15 - Nov. 30	No minimum	15
Cod	No Closed Season	21"	No Limit
King Mackerel	No Closed Season	21"	3
Pollock	No Closed Season	19"	No Limit
Porgy (Scup)	Jan. 1 - Feb. 28 - July 1 - Dec. 31	9"	1
Red Drum	No Closed Season	18" (not over greater than 27"	1
River Herring	No Closed Season	No minimum	25

For more information on what counts as fish and how to measure fish, see the 2008 NJ Recreational Minimum Size, Possession Limits & Seasons poster.

Monofilament Fishing Line Recycling Program

The New Jersey Coastal Management Program is partnering with BoatU.S. Foundation and the BoatU.S. Angler Program to collect and recycle monofilament fishing line. To date, 15 collection bins (made of sturdy PVC pipe) and signs have been distributed to various locations. When the bins are full, the host facility will ship the line in postage paid boxes, to Berkeley Conservation for recycling.

Collection bins are distributed on a first-come, first-serve basis with some priority on expanding the geographic range of the bins. Anyone interested in hosting and maintaining a collection bin should contact Tali Engoltz at 609-633-2201 or email at tali.engoltz@dep.state.nj.us.



To Receive Printed Materials...

To receive copies of the New Jersey Boater's Ramp Guide, Fish Regulation Cards, Shrink Wrap Recycling Poster or Shrink Wrap Fact Sheets, email your request to jstaats@njmsc.org with your name, name of marina, address, phone number and specific item(s) with the quantity of each (all marinas with display cases will automatically receive the fish regulation poster and shrink wrap recycling poster).

To reduce printing and mailing costs and eliminate waste, future issues of the New Jersey Clean Marina Program Newsletter will be distributed through email. If you would like to continue receiving future issues, contact Jessica Staats at jstaats@njmsc.org or 732-872-1300 ext. 20.

