



## CCA Down East Cruise Cruise Bulletin Four June 17, 2024

We're less than 7 weeks away from our Cruise kick-off in Camden. As your summer schedules get more and more busy please take a moment for the following:

- Make sure to arrange for your mooring or dock space in Camden
- Put July 11 at 4:00 pm EDT on your calendar for our Down East Cruise Zoom Call
- Make your final Cruise fee payments at [Final Payments](#)
- Send along your pictures for the Cruise Book

### 1. Down East Cruise Book

The Cruise book is almost completed and will be available online at the Cruise website by July 1. The printed version will be back from the printers by the end of July and will be ready for you when you register on Saturday afternoon, August 3, at Lyman-Morse. Please review the online version prior to the Zoom call so we can answer any questions you might have.

### 2. Dockage and Moorings

#### Camden:

Lyman-Morse dock space on Friday and Saturday August 2 and 3 is fully booked. There are still 3-4 spots available at the Town of Camden inner harbor dock and their inner harbor float. Call Steve Pixley, the Camden Harbormaster, at 207-691-4314 to make your reservation.

Lyman-Morse still has outer harbor moorings available but strongly advises fleet boats to make their reservation now. Moorings are now open to public booking. Go to DOCKWA to make your reservations.

#### Arabella Reception in Southwest Harbor:

If you would prefer a dock space or mooring rather than anchoring above Greening Island (north of Southwest Harbor) for the Arabella cocktail reception on August 7, call Hinckley at 207-546 0642 for a mooring or Dysart's at 207-244-0117 for dock space.

#### Saint Andrews:

Final arrangements are not quite complete for our moorings in Saint Andrews. Please do not contact the Wharfinger on your own for reservations. We will update you as soon as we have made final plans.



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### 3. Down East Cruise Fleet

The fleet is still at its 35 boat maximum and we have two boats on the waiting list. There are currently 19 Cruise participants in 13 of Arabella's cabins. Here is the most up to date list for our [Fleet](#) .

Boats		Arabella	
Sailboats	25	Cabins	13
Power Boats	7	Participants	19
Expected Participants	98		

### 4. Picture Book for Down East Cruise

As of this Bulletin's writing we have pictures from only five of our 117 expected participants. We will need your pictures by the end of this month in order to prepare the Picture Book for printing. Please send along mug shots as soon as possible!

### 5. Transportation and Parking in Camden

If you will not be arriving in Camden by boat, please review the transportation suggestions contained in [Bulletin 3](#) . Long term parking can be reserved at Lyman-Morse for \$120 per week. Call the dock house at Lyman-Morse (207-236-4378) to reserve parking.

For Arabella participants and other interested members of the fleet, we are finalizing bus transportation back from Saint Andrews to Camden for Thursday, August 15. We will communicate these final arrangements as soon as they are complete.

### 6. Zoom Call

As mentioned above, there will be a Zoom Call for the entire fleet on July 11 at 4 pm EDT. The Zoom link is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5274754408?omn=85379247444> We will be emailing the fleet this link again as we get closer to the date.



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### 7. Friendly Reminders

Although we have touched on many of these items in past Bulletins please remember to:

- Familiarize yourself again with the Immigration procedures in Bulletin 2
- Make sure your passport is up to date
- Get CBP Roam for your smart phone and your DTOPS decal for re-entering the US
- Check the roaming plan for your cell carrier
- Order your Cruise merchandise from Team One
- Make sure your EPIRB batteries are in working order and that the registration is up to date
- Check your insurance coverage for Canadian waters
- Download relevant sections of the CCA Online Guide for the times during the Cruise when internet will not be available
- Obtain a copy of Taft's Cruising Guide to the Maine Coast (used copies available on Amazon)
- Download What's App as an option for communications during the Cruise
- Review the [Fleet Surgeon's Memo](#) and the [Medical and Emergency Procedures](#)





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Please contact us if you have any questions.

We're looking forward to seeing everyone in Camden!

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