



Coyote Point Marina

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A Word About Maintenance

Here is a note to many of you who have chosen to neglect basic maintenance on your boats, especially engine repairs, bottom cleaning and regular haul outs. Your Berth License Agreement requires that your vessel be kept in good operating and cosmetic condition. If you want to sell your boat, it must meet these requirements for the slip to transfer. We have had several recent problems when a buyer applies for a slip transfer and is declined due to the poor condition of the vessel. Please don't let yourself fall in to this trap. Keep that engine running, keep the decks clean and the wood in good shape. Take the boat out for a sail or a spin at least once a month.

A transferrable Coyote Point Slip can add to the value of your boat. Be sure that you keep her in good shape, so that a transfer is possible. Otherwise you will need to find a buyer who is willing to remove the boat from the marina.

Help keep Coyote Point looking good and protect the value of your boat at the same time with basic periodic maintenance. Thank you!

- Mark Bettis, Harbormaster

Pump it Out!

After several months of nursing a reluctant pump out station, we have replaced the pump with a new, more powerful unit. Please be sure to swing by and pump out your holding tank! The new unit operates identically to the old one, and there are instructions posted. If you need help using the pump station, just call the office from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm any day and one of our staff will be happy to assist.

Harbor Seals

As is common this time of year, at least one Pacific Harbor Seal has been seen daily in the waters of our harbor. He pokes his head up, curiously watching the odd behavior of humans, and dines on the various small fish both inside and outside of the marina.

From the Marine Mammal Center (www.marinemammalcenter.org): Pacific harbor seals have spotted coats in a variety of shades from white or silver-gray to black or dark brown. They reach five to six feet in length and weigh up to 300 pounds. Males are slightly larger than females. They are true or crawling seals, having no external ear flaps. In San Francisco Bay, many harbor seals are fully or partially reddish in color. This may be caused by an accumulation of trace elements such as iron or selenium in the ocean or a change in the hair follicle.

Pacific harbor seals are found north of the equator in both the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans. In the northeast Pacific, they range from Alaska to Baja California, Mexico. They favor near-shore coastal waters and are often seen on rocky islands, sandy beaches, mudflats, bays, and estuaries.

In California, harbor seal pups are born between February and April and weigh about 20 to 24 pounds at birth. A pup can swim at birth and will sometimes ride on its mother's back when tired. Adult females usually mate and give birth every year. They may live for 25 to 30 years.

Pacific harbor seals spend about half their time on land and half in water. They can dive to 1,500 feet for up to 40 minutes, although their average dive lasts three to seven minutes and is typically shallow. They are opportunistic feeders, eating sole, flounder, sculpin, hake, cod, herring, octopus, and squid.



Full Moon Third Quarter		31-Oct 8-Nov		Tide and Current Tables										New Moon First Quarter		14-Nov 21-Nov	
November 2020																	
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Tide corrected to Coyote Point Marina
 Current 2.3 nm NNE of Coyote Point:
 Max Flood (F), Max Ebb (E)

