

2013 Spring Rendezvous Thoughts

We had an enjoyable weekend! There were 40+ boats and around 100 people all having fun visiting, trading items at the swap meet, picking up a WWBA hat or shirt from Terry, our new apparel coordinator, and talking about boats. The friendship and camaraderie of the group over the weekend is evidenced in photos taken by Chuck and Fran Heath (“Working Girl”). These photos will be posted on the website [Photo Gallery](#).

The weather was normal for spring on the west coast: some sun, some wind, and some sprinkles. On Saturday it was cool, breezy and threatening rain. Because the musicians were concerned about getting their instruments wet with rain in the forecast, we cancelled the music, and tried to arrange a tarp for shelter. The wind took care of the tarp, but we were able to have our meeting on the dock between Dog Star and Hayden Pass without getting wet. The sky brightened up as the pot luck dinner was being set out, and we were able to enjoy visiting and feasting without getting wet. The pot luck dinner was superb.

The sailpast on Sunday morning went well with “Romance” leading the way and boats tooting their horns as they passed “Tamarack”. A video was taken of some of the boats during the weekend by Ramona and Steve Cormack:

 [Workboats 2013 Spring Rendezvous.wmv](#)

This link is also available on the website under “News”.

Thanks to everyone that pitched in to help when it was needed. These unnamed volunteers are the people that make these rendezvous the success that they are. And thanks to all the WWBA members that attended with or without vessels: it’s the members that make these events so special.

I think we all look forward to seeing you at the next rendezvous.