

Make check payable to ACBS and mail check and application to:
ACBS International Headquarters, ATTN: Membership, 422 James Street, Clayton, NY 13624

Membership Application



NAME _____

E-Mail Address _____

CO-Member _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: Home _____ Cell _____

(please circle your preferred phone)

If you have a seasonal address and phone number, check here and enter it on the back.

Dues Schedule: payment is for a 12 month membership in the **International Antique and Classic Boat Society and Heartland Classics Chapter**

TOTAL DUES: (ACBS \$55 dues + chapter \$35 dues) = **\$ 90.00**

Membership entitles you to:

- 8 publications per year; the ACBS *Rudder* and the chapter *Mahogany&Chrome*
- Access to the extensive ACBS "how-to" video library
- 10% discount on Hagerty Classic Marine Insurance
- A variety of events for you to use and share your antique and classic boat
- A life-long network of friends
- Secure access to up-to-the-minute Online ACBS Membership Directory

This will NOT include the Printed ACBS Directory. Include \$10 extra for printed copy if desired.

You do not need to own a boat to belong ... just love them. Boat Classifications are as follows:

Historic: 1918 and earlier

Antique: 1919 through 1942

Classic: 1943 through 1975

Late Classic: 1976 through 25 years prior to current year

Contemporary: a wooden boat built within the last 25 years

Boat Information:

BOAT #1

Year _____ Builder _____ Model _____

Length Overall _____ Hull # _____ HP _____

Engine Make _____ # Cyl _____ Boat Name _____

BOAT #2

Year _____ Builder _____ Model _____

Length Overall _____ Hull # _____ HP _____

Engine Make _____ # Cyl _____ Boat Name _____

List information about additional boats on an additional page

BENEFITS of Being an ACBS & Heartland Classics MEMBER

Membership automatically gives you invaluable relationships and experiences.

Ask a member what the membership benefits are – they will first talk about the relationships.

You will be welcomed at any Antique and Classic Boat Society event wherever you go. ACBS members automatically have friends who want to share boat stories – and dreams.

The *DIRECTORY* -printed or online- lists all members and boats. Cross reference listings include geographic location and chapters for members and make, model, year, power, and boat name for boats and engines.

The www.acbs.org website is so full of information for all, but the “Members Only” section has even more resources. The first time you go there, use your own email address as your sign-in. A link will be sent to your email where you create your own password.

An ever-expanding VIDEO LIBRARY covering preservation and restoration techniques for boats and engines. Videos are available online to ‘Members Only’ through the ACBS website www.acbs.org.

Immediate access to sources for supplies and service, some with discounts, and resources for knowledge needed to help resolve vintage boat restoration, maintenance and operational problems.

Subscription to the ACBS quarterly magazine, *RUDDER*, which carries news of current events in the vintage boating community as well as historic, restoration and other articles of interest to antique boaters. And the Heartland Classics quarterly magazine *Mahogany & Chrome* which is always full of beautiful photos, event reports, “how-to” articles, and stories about the people and boats in our chapter.

Direct access to the "TRADING DOCK" section of *Rudder* where ACBS members can list and find antique boats and marine engines for sale. Members may also post a public listing through the ACBS website.

Loving an old boat or a classically styled boat makes you also want to share experiences, even for the benefit of the community. Sharing those experiences leads you to an ever-broadening network of friends.

Want to increase the “property value” of your boat? “Grandma’s post war little runabout” is invaluable to your family. Learning more about its past, the original manufacturers’ specs, the best maintenance techniques, all add to keeping its value. Plus having a network to register the boat and events to “show it off” add to its claim to fame.

Of course then there is the list of traditional benefits valued by members:

- The *Rudder* magazine, a world-class publication comes to your mailbox quarterly
- Access to Membership Directory with multiple **searches** for people, boats, engines, and more
- **Videos** of how-to preserve, restore and maintain all vintage boats – for members only
- **Terbruggen Photographic Collection** of over 22,000 photographs which represent years of inspections and surveys.
- **10% discount** on insurance purchased through [Hagerty Classic Marine Insurance](#).
- Special discount rates on [Hertz Rentals](#) worldwide. Discount coupons for upgrades and weekly rentals.
- A 50% discount on [BoatUs](#) membership. (call ACBS (315) 686-2628 for discount code)
- \$250 discount on a complete refinish from ACBS past-president Jeff Funk’s [Antique Boat Shop](#)
- [Custom Marine](#) – Jeremy Goldstein – Custom bilge pump with major service
- 5% labor discount on complete engine rebuild from Casey or Dave at [CD’s Engine Service](#)
- Jonathan Reus of [Macatawa Bay Boatworks](#) offers a 10% discount on leather interiors, 5% discount on new trailers
- [Antique Boat Center](#) offers a 10% discount on all chrome work plus FREE oil change for winterization or summerization
- 5% off on parts at [Sierra Boat Company](#) courtesy of Herb Hall
- Nick Lamando offers 5% off a full restoration at [Hall’s Boat Corp](#)