

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 \_\_\_\_\_

CO-Member E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Circle Preferred Phone: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

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

**New members receive a free printed ACBS Directory.**

**Renewing Members who want a printed ACBS Directory should add \$20 and check here:**

**You do not need to own a boat to belong ... just love them.**

**Boat Information:** for new memberships. Renewals just need to submit changes.

**BOAT #1**

Year \_\_\_\_\_ Builder \_\_\_\_\_ Model \_\_\_\_\_

Length Overall \_\_\_\_\_ Hull # \_\_\_\_\_ Boat Name \_\_\_\_\_

Engine Make \_\_\_\_\_ # Cyl \_\_\_\_\_ HP \_\_\_\_\_ Hull Material \_\_\_\_\_

**BOAT #2**

Year \_\_\_\_\_ Builder \_\_\_\_\_ Model \_\_\_\_\_

Length Overall \_\_\_\_\_ Hull # \_\_\_\_\_ Boat Name \_\_\_\_\_

Engine Make \_\_\_\_\_ # Cyl \_\_\_\_\_ HP \_\_\_\_\_ Hull Material \_\_\_\_\_

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](http://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](http://www.acbs.org). Also, the Terbrueggen Photographic Collection of over 22,000 photographs which represent years of inspections and surveys.
- 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, an active Trading Dock, 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.
- Monetary benefits such as a 10% discount on insurance purchased through [Hagerty Classic Marine Insurance](#), a \$15 [BoatUs](#) membership and 10% off water towing service.
- 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.

## Age Classifications for Antique and Classic Boats:

*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