



ACBS/ABM SYMPOSIUM HANDS-ON WORKSHOP



**May 19,20,21, 2017
Antique Boat Museum
Clayton, New York**

Main Subject: Bottom Replacement

PROGRAM

Friday

12:00-2:30

Registration

1:00-3:00

Tour of the Doeblner Building Collection

Boat rides (weather permitting)

3:00-5:00

Bottom Replacement, the very important and necessary planning stages so the boat will perform well when the new bottom is completed. This introduction to bottom replacement will take place in the Museum's auditorium.

Speaker: Bo Muller

5:30-8:00

Cocktails and Dinner at the Clipper Inn Restaurant

Saturday

7:30-8:30:

Breakfast at the Museum

8:45-12:00:

Bottom Replacement, a hands-on work shop in the Stone Building shop.

Instructor: Bo Muller

12:00-1:00:

Lunch at the Museum

1:15-4:00:

Bottom Replacement continued at the Stone Building

4:30-5:30:

A boating historic talk by author, Tony Mollica. His talks are always a wonderful way to end the day.

Dinner is on your own. There are several very nice restaurants in Clayton.

Sunday

7:30-8:30: Breakfast at the Museum

8:30-10:00: Finish up bottom Replacement. Time to tie up any loose ends and answer any final questions.

**10:15-12:00: Rudder and Props. What criteria should you use to design a replacement rudder so your boat will perform and steer better. What is the best Prop for your boat, when considering the diameter, pitch and cup or no cup.
Speaker: Doug Mehring**

Just a note: Even if you never plan to do a bottom replacement yourself, this weekend will educate you on what you should expect from a professional boat restorer replacing the bottom on your boat that should be correctly planned and engineered. Wood working techniques learned this weekend can easily be applied to other aspects of boat restoration such as deck and side replacement.

You will find this to be a very educational as well as a fun weekend. It is well worth the money invested.

We are again honored to have Bo Muller, a very well recognized and respected Boat restorer from New Hampshire heading up this workshop.

To register or for addition information about the workshop, motels, etc.

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Cost: \$199.00 (\$225 after April 24)

Fees cover all lesson materials and select meals

(Friday dinner; Saturday breakfast and lunch; Sunday breakfast)

Online registration will open February 1 at <http://www.abm.org/>