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## **SCHOONER EASTWIND**



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## **The Smith Family**

Herb and Doris Smith sailed around the world twice with their three children on schooners they built by hand. Five of the schooners they built are named **Appledore**.

**Eastwind**, their sixth schooner, is a sistership of the **Appledores**. They are authors of two books about their world voyages: *Sailing Three Oceans* and *Dreams of Natural Places*.



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## **SCHOONER HERITAGE**



**"she is the only schooner that you can sail on that we, the captains and owners, designed and built ourselves right here in Maine."**

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**SCHOONER LAZYJACK**



**Captain Joe Tassi**  
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Lazy Jack is a topsail schooner and when fully rigged can carry up to eight sails. A renowned charter boat in the 1950s, Lazy Jack sailed for 20 years from Ipswich Massachusetts to Man O'War Cay to Cuba. She carried various cargo for her master, which included passengers, arms, rum and cigars.



**SCHOONER AMERICAN EAGLE**



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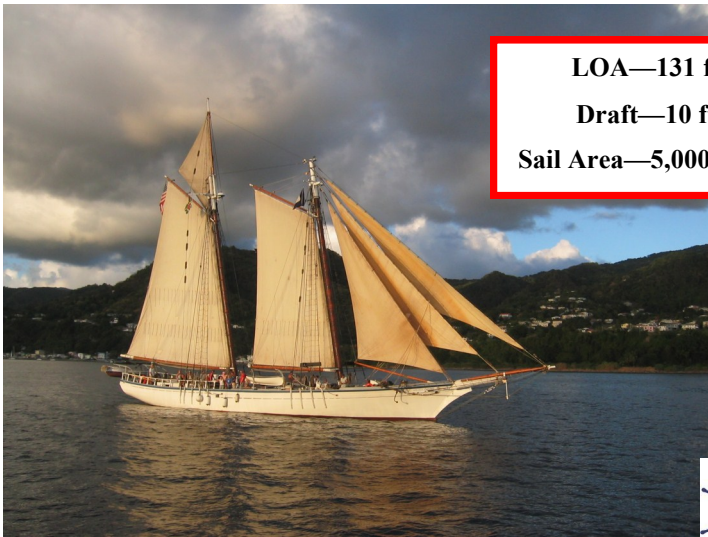
*The American Eagle is a deep draft vessel designed to be safe and stable in open water. Her rig is simple and efficient.*

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**SCHOONER HARVEY GAMAGE**



LOA—131 ft.  
Draft—10 ft.  
Sail Area—5,000 sq. ft.



In 1973, the shipyard of Harvey F. Gamage, located on the banks of the Damariscotta River in South Bristol, Maine, sent a brand new schooner down the ways to the sea. Her name was Harvey Gamage. Her lines were reminiscent of the coasting schooners, but her mission was very different. Some of the longest running and most successful sail training programs in the U.S. originated in Gamage. In December of 1993, Harvey Gamage was purchased by a non-profit educational organization that evolved into the Ocean Classroom Foundation (OCF) of today. Harvey Gamage is now devoted exclusively to sea education programming, while still following her traditional route between New England and the Caribbean.

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**SCHOONER**  
**SPIRIT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

LOA—125 ft.  
Draft—11 ft.  
Sail Area—7,000 sq. ft.



Spirit of Massachusetts was modeled after the 1889 fishing schooner Fredonia, designed by Edward Burgess. The Gloucester fishing schooners were widely known as "fast and able" vessels, and Spirit of Massachusetts proudly upholds that tradition to this day. Spirit of Massachusetts was built by her original owners for service as a sail training vessel for young people. She also served as a good-will ambassador for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts from 1984 until 1987. Ocean Classroom Foundation purchased her in 2000 to meet the increased demand for our expeditionary learning programs.



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## **SCHOONER TIMBERWIND**

Family owned and operated, the Timberwind welcomes every kind of family together in a safe, friendly, relaxing, and nurturing environment. With special Charter rates available, the Timberwind is the perfect platform for reunions, retreats, workshops, or school and scouting trips. "We have an abiding appreciation for family & friends, nature, the cruising grounds we sail, and the Timberwind's place in history, and we are eager to share this beautiful schooner with you."

**Welcome Captain Bob Tassi and the Schooner Timberwind to your maiden voyage to the Windjammer Days Festival 2012**

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## **SCHOONER NATHANIEL BOWDITCH**



The Nathaniel Bowditch was built as a racing yacht in 1922 in East Boothbay, Maine. The 82' schooner won special class honors in the Bermuda Race in 1923, and served in the Coast Guard during World War II. She was rebuilt for the windjamming trade in the early 1970's. Guests: 24.

**Nathaniel Bowditch**  
**Captain Owen & Cathie Dorr**  
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**SCHOONER LEWIS R. FRENCH**



LOA—131 ft.  
Draft—10 ft.  
Sail Area—5,000 sq. ft.

**Lewis R. French**  
**Captains Garth Wells and Jenny Tobin**  
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Launched in 1871 in Christmas Cove, Maine, the 64' Lewis R. French is the oldest vessel in the fleet and the oldest commercial sailing vessel in the USA. After 100 years of carrying cargo, she was rebuilt for wind jamming in the early 1970's. She is pure sail and was designated a National Historic Landmark.  
Guests: 21



**SCHOONER AMISTAD**

LOA: 129 ft.  
Draft - 10.6 ft.  
Sail Area—5200

The Freedom Schooner *Amistad*, a replica of the original vessel launched in May 2000 is based in its homeport of New Haven. On a symbolic 2007 voyage retracing the infamous route of the triangular Atlantic slave trade, the *Amistad* visited Sierra Leone, Africa commemorating the 200th anniversary of the abolition of the Atlantic slave trade. Her most recent voyage in 2010 celebrated the tenth anniversary of the vessel's first launch. The *Amistad* travels as an educational ambassador, teaching lessons of history, cooperation, and leadership to Americans of all ages, interests and cultural backgrounds in the many ports it visits. The Freedom Schooner *Amistad* is Connecticut's official State Flagship and Tall Ship Ambassador.



<http://www.amistadamerica.net>

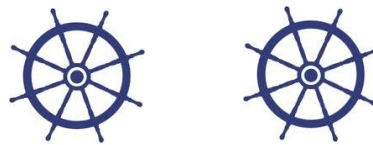
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**SCHOONER SHERMAN ZWICKER**



LOA—142 ft.  
Draft—13.6ft.  
Sail Area— sq. ft.



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Built in 1942 The Sherman Zwicker is the last remaining auxiliary fishing schooner and has all of its main original features still intact and is operational. Originally a Grand Banks fishing boat, the Sherman Zwicker is often seen at the Tall Ship Parades. She was built as a motor schooner with a 240 bhp Fairbanks Morse engine and is 142 feet long. She is not fitted with top-masts or bowsprit, and was built strictly for work, and was never a racer. In fact she is more representative of the typical workaday banking schooner. Today, the Sherman Zwicker is a fully operational, traveling museum.

**SCHOONER BOWDOIN**

- ◆ Launched: 1921, Hodgdon Brothers Shipyard, East Boothbay, Maine
- ◆ Special Features: Ice barrel at top of foremast, reinforced and designed for ice work and Arctic exploration.
- ◆ Served on U.S. Navy Greenland patrol during World War II.
- ◆ Designated a National Historic Landmark, 1989.

Mission:

- ◆ To provide sail training for Maine Maritime Academy students and the public.
- ◆ To aid in recruiting and community relations.

Voyages North: 28 north of the Arctic Circle, four times wintered over, frozen in ice; sailed from Wiscasset and Boothbay, Maine (two such voyages since owned by Maine Maritime Academy).

LOA—88 ft.  
Draft—10ft.  
Speed— 10 knots



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