

Dear Eaton's Neck Community,

2024 is a watercraft reassignment year. Watercraft spots for dinghies, kayaks and standup paddles will now be a separate fee from membership. Watercraft spots are available only to POENB members, so if you wish to get a watercraft spot, please get your membership in early.

Each seasonal spot will be \$30 (limited to two spots per household). By charging a nominal fee for watercraft, we aim to improve our watercraft system by preventing an abundance of unused spots. Over the last several years, a number of households have left their watercraft spots empty and unused, resulting in a shortage of available watercraft spots.

As part of this new watercraft process, we will be holding an **in-person watercraft assignments day on Saturday, March 2nd 12:00 PM** where POENB members can select a spot in person, provide a check for their watercraft spot and receive a watercraft sticker to place on their watercraft. This will be conducted in a first come, first serve manner based on arrival. Applicant will be cross checked against the membership list and we will also be accepting membership forms at the same time. **The watercraft reservation form is on the back of this letter.**

While our watercraft assignments process has changed, we are pleased to inform our members that all lower spots will remain reserved for our senior members.

Additionally, new watercraft stickers will be provided this year as it is a reassignment year. **Watercraft stickers must be placed on a visible part of the watercraft, while on the racks.** This is essential for us to keep good records of who is complying with the rules. Watercraft without a sticker will be removed from the rack. Also, any watercraft that is on the ground and not on a rack will be removed from the premises.

We appreciate your cooperation. Your participation makes our system run smoothly and keeps the process fair for everyone. See you out on the water!

Sincerely, The POENB Board

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2024 Watercraft Reservation Form

Due to the increasing prices and upgrading our services and improvements we would like to accomplish this year POENB is charging a nominal fee on watercraft storage. Watercraft spots will be better maintained this year for easier and safer access to your watercraft.

In person assignment day will be held on March 2nd 11:00am at the Firehouse. If you can't make it in person please fill out the below form with check payable to POENB and drop it in the POENB Firehouse mailbox.

If you are dropping off a form, you can request up to three possible spot locations below. Please go to eatonsneck.org and under the watercraft tab, click on the watercraft map. Once there, you can see the spots. Dinghy spots can only be selected from the spots designated for dinghys. Kayak or paddleboard spots can be selected on any of the other racks. All senior spots are labelled in bright purple on the map.

To obtain a watercraft spot you must be a member in good standing, watercraft spots are valid for 2 years. The final list of assigned watercraft spots will be announced to the POENB membership on May 2nd.

Watercraft must be placed on a visible spot on the watercraft while on the rack. Any watercraft without a sticker will be removed. Stickers will be given out at selection or mailed to members after final assignments.

POENB has a few limited lottery spots available for sail craft. Members will be notified of the details via eblast after general watercraft assignments are mad; they cannot be reserved during the watercraft assignment period. For size restrictions, please refer to our beach rules.

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone (Contact for watercraft issues): _____

Email: (Contact for watercraft issues) _____

Please choose the requested number of watercraft stickers

() 1st Watercraft spot \$30/Year 2024

() 2nd Watercraft spot \$30/Year 2024

My watercraft is (circle all that apply): Kayak / Double Kayak / Dinghy / Paddle Board

() I am requesting a senior spot (check if applicable, must be 62 or older)

Please select up to 3 from the watercraft map found at eatonsneck.org under watercraft/watercraft map:

(1st choice) _____ (2nd choice) _____ (3rd choice) _____

Please place this form in the POENB mailbox at the firehouse or mail it to POENB c/o PO Box 124, Northport NY 11768