



This Week on the Sloop

April 14-21, 2016

This week work was focused on planking and centerboard trunk construction. We also received new sections of the exhaust that needed to be replaced, and a group of high school volunteers came to lend a hand in preparing the yawl boat for the season.



[Take a look inside Clearwater's hull restoration!](#)



Student volunteers from the Oakwood Friends School help us get the yawl boat ready for the spring sailing season.



New sections on the exhaust are ready to be installed.



A plank coming out of the steam box. Some planks are steamed to enable them to bend along the hull.



Follow the restoration live on Instagram!

What's Next?

When ordering such massive amounts of lumber, we try to be as exact as possible in an effort to cut down on waste and cost. This, however, doesn't leave much room for error. We recently discovered two pieces that we are unable to use for the project, the hunt is on for replacements!

Over the next few weeks, we'll continue working hard to get the boat back together for the spring sailing season.

Visiting the Sloop

COME OUT TO OUR FINAL
OPEN BOAT SESSION OF
THE SEASON

MUSICAL PERFORMANCES
KIDS' ACTIVITIES
BOAT TOURS
FOOD AND BEVERAGES
PLUS MORE



OPEN

CLEARWATER

SATURDAY, APRIL 23, 2016
4:00 TO 8:00 PM
FREE EVENT



BOAT

HOME PORT @ THE
HUDSON RIVER
MARITIME MUSEUM
50 RONDOUT LANDING
KINGSTON, NY 12401

SESSION

PLEASE BRING
A LABELED POTLUCK DISH
TO SHARE WITH
YOUR UTENSILS AND A
NON PERISHABLE FOOD
ITEM TO DONATE TO A
LOCAL FOOD PANTRY



To volunteer please e-mail the Volunteer Coordinator at
Volcoord@clearwater.org

Pictures can't do this work justice. Come see it for yourself at our last open boat and potluck of the season, this Saturday, April 23rd from 4:00-8:00 PM.

VOLUNTEER:

May 6th and 7th-

At the start of the restoration we invited you to help us remove the 30,000 lbs of bilge weights from the boat. Now, as we get closer to finishing the project, we need your help putting them all back! Join us on May 6th and 7th as we move the bilge weights back onboard. Please bring work gloves and a mug, we'll provide coffee, water and a light snack.

Sundays at the Sloop-

We need YOU...to help us clean the shop at the end of each work week. Your extra hands will help us to finish the restoration project on time by allowing us to focus more on the project and less on cleaning up. No need to register, just show up on Sundays at the Kingston Home Port (50 Rondout Landing, Kingston, NY).

Thank You!



Thank you to our generous donors and volunteers who have helped keep the sloop afloat!

We are incredibly grateful to be able to color in more and more of these planks each week!

Your generous donations have raised over \$147,074.33 for the project so far, but we need you to keep filling in the planks and help us meet our goal.

With our New York State grant, we're now at a total of \$713,027 in funds for the sloop restoration. We need to raise only \$136,973 dollars to meet our goal!

We can't thank you enough for all that you do, have done and will do to keep the Clearwater sailing.

Contribute to Clearwater's restoration by [becoming a member](#), [volunteering](#), or [helping us fund the project](#)!

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