This Week on the Sloop

April 7-14, 2016

Watch our new video, 'Splash the Sloop:Finishing a Long Haul' to get a deeper look at the restoration, and see interviews with Captain Annika as she discusses the scope of this winter's work. You'll be surprised at how far we've come in restoring the almost 50 year old sloop Clearwater.

This week on the sloop we focused on the center board trunk installation and the hull and interior planking. Progress was also made on preparing the engine for the season.
We've got plenty of plank stock ready to go!
The engine is lowered on its new supports.
Do you see what's missing?
The propeller has gone away for routine maintenance.
Follow the restoration live on Instagram!

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**What's Next?**
As the interior planking continues we will begin looking towards rebuilding the inside of the sloop.

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**Visiting the Sloop**

**Sunday Cleanup Days**
You can contribute to the sloop restoration every Sunday! Captain Annika is asking for your help in cleaning up the shop on Sundays after each work week. This will allow our crew to focus all of their attention on getting Clearwater back on the River by the spring.

**Volunteer Maintenance Day- April 16th, 9:30-3:30**
Join us in restoring the sloop Clearwater! No experience necessary, all ages welcome. Bring your work gloves and we'll provide water, coffee and a light snack.

**April Open Boat**
Thank You!
With only 10 weeks left to complete the restoration, we are working hard to make sure the Clearwater is ready to sail again this spring. With your help, we've raised an incredible $700,120.00 for the sloop restoration and only need to raise another $140,000 to meet our goal.

Thank you to all who have helped us get this far! We couldn't do it without you!

Contribute to Clearwater's restoration by becoming a member, volunteering, or helping us fund the project!