

# ***EXCITING NEWS FROM LEAMINGTON MARINA!!***

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## **WIRELESS INTERNET AT THE MARINA**

It's **HERE...** it's **SIMPLE...** it's **FREE!** Upon entering the area of Leamington Marina, just open your computer and log on to our new Free Wireless Internet Service. It's all ready for you!

*Just our way of helping to make your stay at Leamington the best!*

## **DINNER THEATRE**

The Pelee Days Inn is now offering side-splitting laughter at their Summer Dinner Theatre! "SYLVIA" premieres June 10<sup>th</sup> and runs until August 26<sup>th</sup>.

*Dinner and Show for less than \$40.00 Canadian per person.*

Call the Marina at 1-888-858-3334 to make reservations. Pelee Days Inn will even provide complimentary shuttle service.

## **BORDER CROSSING MADE EASY**

It's Official! The Nexus Marine Program has been extended this year to cover an area stretching from Sarnia to Niagara Falls (all of Lake Erie).

## **PLEASURE BOAT FACT SHEET**

### **Reporting Requirements**

Those persons eligible for the Form I-68 program who are also enrolled in any other Alternative Inspection Program, such as NEXUS, may enter the United States by pleasure boat without obtaining a Form I-68 if they are in possession of evidence of that enrollment, i.e., NEXUS card.

### **Other Alternative Inspection Options**

The NEXUS alternative inspection program allows pre-screened, low-risk travelers to be processed with little or no delay by United States and Canadian border officials. Approved applicants are issued a photo-identification/proximity card. Participants cross the border in a dedicated lane, where they present their membership identification and proximity card, and make a declaration. They are then released, unless chosen for a selective or random secondary referral.

A NEXUS member will have the benefit of the expedited processing in both marine and highway modes. Becoming a member of the NEXUS alternative inspection program simplifies border crossings for pre-approved, low-risk travelers. As NEXUS members, recreational boaters have the privilege of entering the United States from Canada for recreational purposes with only the need to report their arrival to CBP by placing a telephone call. Boaters can use their NEXUS membership in lieu of the I-68 for reporting purposes.

## Who Qualifies for NEXUS?

Individuals may qualify to participate in NEXUS if they are a citizen or permanent resident of the United States or Canada, or are a non-permanent resident who can demonstrate a need to use the NEXUS lanes. To participate, an individual's application must be approved by both the United States and Canada. If an individual does not meet the requirements of the program, their application will be denied.

## What are the Benefits of NEXUS?

Individuals approved to participate in NEXUS receive an identification card to use at the border that allows them to:

- Use NEXUS-dedicated lanes in the United States and Canada; and
- Cross the border with a minimum of routine customs & immigration questioning.
- NEXUS membership allows recreational boaters the privilege of entering the United States from Canada for recreational purposes with only the need to report their arrival to CBP by placing a telephone call.

Because NEXUS is a harmonized program, applicants complete a single application form. NEXUS also allows United States and Canadian Customs and Immigration officials to concentrate their efforts on potentially higher-risk travelers and goods, which helps to ensure security and integrity at our borders.

## **Finally, there is a cost benefit compared to other existing alternate inspection programs.**

- Recreational boaters now pay \$40 CAD for a 5-year membership in the CANPASS Private Boat Program.
- Recreational boaters must pay an additional \$16 USD yearly for an I-68 permit.
- NEXUS will cost \$50 USD or \$80 CAD for 5 years.

Over a 5-year period recreational boaters would pay approximately \$110 USD. The total cost of the NEXUS program is \$50 USD for five years. This represents a significant cost saving of \$60 USD.

## **APPLICATIONS & FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:**

For more information on this new and exciting program and to apply please visit <http://www.cbsa-asfc.gc.ca/travel/nexus/marine/menu-e.html>