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LSC Autumn Mini-Cruise, Lake Michigan

It's not too late to go. Be spontaneous! Join us at Grand Haven, Michigan for Friday, September 25, 2009 to Sunday, September 27, 2009. You are welcome to join us!

This mini-cruise is a great time to close out the sailing season on Lake Michigan. The leaves are usually starting to change and the marinas are not as busy. In addition, temperature and good wind usually makes a perfect sailing weekend.

Reservations:

Please go to the Michigan DNR reservation website at <http://www.midnrreservations.com/> or call them at 1-800-44-PARKS and make your reservation for the Grand Haven Municipal Marina for the number of nights you would like to attend. The harbormaster says, "there are many open reservation spots for LSC Mini-Cruisers."

Grand Haven Municipal Marina Address:

101 N. Harbor Drive, Grand Haven, MI 49417

Oktoberfest Weekend at the LSC

Moonlight Sail – Friday, October 2nd, 7pm

Raft-up – Friday and Saturday, October 2nd-3rd, following the picnic

Frost-bite Series – Saturday, October 3rd, 12:30pm

Cook-out – Saturday, October 3rd, 5:00pm

How about a LSC Moonlight picnic? Pack your favorite picnic item and join others at the Harbor. Then, if your mind is set on it, go for a Moonlight Sail on Lake Freeman under a Harvest Moon.



LSC – An Organizational Member



LSC - BoatU.S. Cooperating Group

Does your boat have the accommodations for a sleeping bag, then a Raft-up is the event for you. Overnight mooring will be at the cove on Friday night, and at the Harbor following the Oktoberfest cookout.

The LSC 2009 Oktoberfest Cook-out will be Saturday, October 3rd, 5:00 pm, this year. **All LSC members are welcome.** The LSC will provide Brats, buns, all the condiments, and beverages. Members are welcome to bring a covered dish to share. Take your lawn chair and enjoy the evening around a “pretty” campfire.

The **Frost-Bite Series #1** (ie. non-competitive racing) Think about sailing for another month. Come join the fun!

Harbor Clean-up and Chili-Tasting

Harbor Clean-up is scheduled for Saturday, October 10th, 10:00am. The LSC Grounds & Equipment and The Fleet Committee will have a list of specific things that need to be done before the LSC slows down for the winter. Past projects have includes raking leaves, trimming trees, covering the Committee Boat, and securing the LSC Fleet for the Winter. Dress appropriately.

The **Chili-Tasting** will immediately follow the completion of the work. The LSC will provide the gas grill. Need to keep the Chili hot! The LSC will provide plastic bowls, spoons, and beverages. Members are asked to bring their favorite Chili and condiments to share. If you can’t make the Harbor Clean-up, come up for the Chili-Tasting. It’ll be OK!

LSC Fall-Banquet

Mark your calendar for a very nice evening out with LSC members. The Fall Banquet is **Friday, November 6th**, at The Trails, 325 Burnetts Road, Lafayette. All LSC members are welcome. Expect more details at a later date.

LSC September – November Schedule

Sat.	October 10	10:00 AM	Harbor Clean-up + Chili Tasting
Sun.	October 11	12:30 PM	Frost-Bite Series 2
Sat. or Sun.	October 17 or 18	12:30 PM	Frost-Bite Series 3
Sat. or Sun.	October 24 or 25	12:30 PM	Frost-Bite Series 4
Sat. or Sun.	Oct. 31 or Nov. 1	12:30 PM	Frost-Bite Series 5
Wed.	November 4	7:00 PM	B.O.G. Meeting