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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Join our team!

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

The Port District is currently recruiting for the position of Administrative Assistant. A complete job description and application material are available [here](#).

**Application Deadline:
Monday, December 3, 2018**

HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS

Christmas Eve
Monday, December 24th
9 AM - 12 PM
CLOSE AT NOON

Christmas Day
Tuesday, December 25th
CLOSED

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LIGHTED BOAT PARADE - SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2018

Join us for the 33rd Annual Lighted Boat Parade on Saturday, December 1, 2018, at 5:30 PM ~ rain or shine!

Spectators are welcome to view the parade from multiple landside locations around the harbor. Access to the docks will be limited to slip renters and their guests.

To participate in this year's event, please visit the Yacht Club's [website](#) for additional information and registration materials.

LIGHTHOUSE LIGHTING - SATURDAY DECEMBER 1, 2018

This year, O'Neill Sea Odyssey's annual Lighthouse Lighting Event will kick off Santa Cruz Yacht Club's Lighted Boat Parade which begins at 5:30 PM on Saturday, December 1st.

Come down and check out the festivities!

SECOND HARVEST FOOD BANK

Each year, the Santa Cruz Port District teams up with Second Harvest Food Bank for its annual Food and Fund Drive. Help make this year's Food & Fund Drive the most successful ever by donating non-perishable foods items to the donation bin, located at the harbor office. Online donations, of as little as \$1, can be made [here](#).

GOT VESSEL INSURANCE?

Reminder that vessel insurance will be required, effective January 1, 2019. Click [here](#) for additional information about the Port District's vessel insurance policy.

2019 PARKING STICKERS

Slip renter parking stickers will be available for pickup in early-January. As a reminder, all licensees must pick up the 2019

New Year's Eve
Monday, December 31st
9 AM - 12 PM
CLOSE AT NOON

New Year's Day
Tuesday, January 1st
CLOSED

PORT COMMISSION MEETING SCHEDULE

DECEMBER
Regular Public Session
Cancelled

JANUARY
Regular Public Session
January 22, 2019
7 PM

CURRENT FUEL PRICING

Gasoline: \$4.39
Commercial Gasoline:
\$4.17
Diesel: \$3.99
Commercial Diesel: \$3.89

parking stickers in person at the harbor office. Only the slip licensee of record may pick up the parking permits. Please bring personal photo ID.

Parking permits for landside tenants will be available for pickup on Friday, December 28, 2018.

HOLIDAY LIGHT CREDIT

Slip renters! Decorate your boat with holiday lights and receive an electricity credit for the month of December!

2018-2019 DREDGE OPERATIONS

ENTRANCE CHANNEL DREDGING

Dredging of the entrance commenced on Monday, November 19, 2018. The typical dredge schedule is Monday - Thursday, with maintenance performed on Fridays. With winter weather upon us, it is incumbent upon vessel skippers to be aware of, and assess depths in the entrance channel prior to transit. Skippers with deeper draft vessels need to be especially vigilant. Prior to transit, check tide and weather conditions, view the entrance sounding online ([click here](#)), and know what your vessel draws.

Entrance soundings will be updated bi-weekly and posted on the District's website on Mondays and Fridays.

During dredging operations, pass *Twin Lakes* on the east side (Crow's Nest side) of the channel unless otherwise marked. Stay at least 50' from the dredge. Contact the crew for passing instructions on VHF channel 8.

NORTH HARBOR DREDGING

Crews continue to dredge in the north harbor to address the remaining shoaled areas which have been authorized for dredging. Please read all gate notices and beware of submerged pipe and equipment hazards when operating in the area.

The crew will be mobilizing to the I-Dock area in the coming week. Harbor staff will be in contact with boat owners who may be in an area slated for dredging.

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