

FALL RETURN TO BOAT CHECKLIST

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- _____ Open up boat, air out!
- _____ Sails out of cabin
- _____ Open all seacocks
- _____ Canvas enclosure back on
- _____ Flush head with fresh water & clean
- _____ Turn on refrigerator, close & make sure cooling (clean from spring)
- _____ Replace anything stored on pullman berth to proper location
- _____ Remove chain over side for lightning/extra zinc
- _____ Reconnect propane, make sure stove is working
- _____ Connect camping propane for grill
- _____ Clean inside of boat – dust/mop/
- _____ Check battery water levels
- _____ Sails bent on
- _____ Covers off hatches & stored
- _____ Dehumidifier stored under pullman berth
- _____ A/C on main hatch, if necessary (we have a portable unit)
- _____ Change Fuel Filters, Oil Filters & Diesel Impeller
- _____ Change Oil if not changed in the fall
- _____ Unpickle Watermaker & test
- _____ Replace batteries removed (headphones, handheld VHF, headlamp, etc.)
- _____ Drain water from tanks (dock water not potable)
- _____ Check windlass & wire brush all connections to remove corrosion
- _____ 303 Aerospace “sunscreen” on Kayaks, Dinghy, radar dome, KISS, etc.
- _____ SSB & Pactor Modem out of oven & reinstalled
- _____ Test SSB Sailmail/Winlink
- _____ Test Nobeltec electronic charting & GPS connection
- _____ Clean Bilge if necessary
- _____ Replace any halyard & Monitor shock cords that are worn out
- _____ 2 coats of varnish exterior
- _____ coat of wax topsides & hull
- _____ clean stainless
- _____ Clean & Lemon Oil interior teak
- _____ Put gas in Honda 2000 generator & test
- _____ Gas in outboard tank & make sure outboard runs
- _____ Tohatsu tune up
- _____ Air up dinghy (partially deflated over summer)
- _____ Recommission Diesel (left fresh water flushed over summer)
- _____ Check transmission fluid & coolant water
- _____ KISS wind generator blades back on & grease
- _____ Top off water tanks (clean if necessary)
- _____ Clean diesel tank
- _____ Top off diesel fuel
- _____ Fill diesel & gas jerry cans

- _____ Screens cleaned & in place
- _____ Lubricate all locks & clean with vinegar if necessary
- _____ Finish any maintenance projects not finished before leaving boat in spring:
- _____ Find Canvas maker for outboard gas tank & fender buoys
- _____ Repair windlass
- _____ Grease bow roller
- _____ Repair hot water heater
- _____ Wax mast & repair corrosion on boom
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