OCTOBER 2009

# Save the Date: Saturday, November 14, 2009

CHATHAM MARCONI MARITIME CENTER'S SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING MARCONI/RCA RECEIVING STATION HISTORIC RESTORATION CELEBRATION

Dear Member and Friends,

You are invited to the Seventh Annual Meeting of CMMC and then to the Marconi/RCA Wireless Receiving Station for a restoration celebration ceremony and tour.

- 9:00 At the Chatham Community Center: Coffee, showing a Marconi/RCA Station Slideshow and Education Display
- 9:30 Annual Meeting

Welcome - Chuck Bartlett, CMMC President

Secretary's report - Ed Moxon

Treasurer's report - Len Magnusson

Nominating Committee's report, and election of officers and board - Roz Coleman

CMMC Accomplishments - Chuck Bartlett

Vision for the Future of CMMC - Rob Leiden

- 10:15 Preview of Exhibit Design: From Wondercabinet to Wireless Cape Cod Sari Boren and Michelle Jarvis, Wondercabinet Interpretive Design, Inc.
- 11:00 Historic Restoration of the Marconi/RCA Buildings, recognition of those who helped save the National Register site Frank Messina
- 12:00 Celebration at the Marconi/RCA Site off Route 28 in North Chatham Frank Messina
  The Chatham Historical Commission will lead a ceremony to unveil the historic plaques on the
  Operations Building and Hotel and commemorate the completion of the exterior historic restoration of
  four buildings accomplished with Community Preservation Act funds. After the ceremony everyone is
  invited to tour the newly restored exteriors of the Marconi Station buildings.

(Parking is limited on the Marconi Campus. Please carpool and park at Ryder's Cove Town Landing or take a shuttle van from the Community Center provided by The Chatham Council on Aging and Monomoy Community Services.)

### IN THIS MARCONIGRAM

**Historic Plaques** 

**Exhibit Contract Signed** 

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Report Nominating Committee

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In 2006, the Chatham Marconi Maritime Center presented two bronze plaques to Chatham Selectmen and the Historical Commission on behalf of the Town. The Chatham Historical Commission has installed the two bronze plaques on the Radio Operations Building and the adjacent Hotel. The inscriptions commemorate the placing of Marconi/RCA buildings and site on the National Register of Historic Places by the U.S. Department of the Interior in 1994. These plaques were made possible by the generosity of the Chatham Cultural Council.



Princess Electra helps celebrate Marconi's Nobel Prize centenary.

**Call for Volunteers** 

**Board of Directors** 

**Chatham Marconi Campus** 

**Renovation Photo Gallery** 

**Contact Us** 

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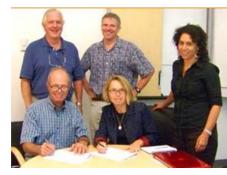


Chatham Radio WCC: The Untold Story to view a 3-minute preview of the award winning film produced by the CMMC and narrated by the late Walter Cronkite.

### Don't miss an update!

Chatham Marconi Maritime Center Post Office Box 421 North Chatham MA 02650

**Attention: Membership** 



CMMC and Wondercabinet Inc. Sign Contract for Exhibit Design.

The photo of the Wondercabinet principals and the CMMC representatives include (left

to right) standing: Read Moffett, CMMC chair exhibits; Neal Mayer, exhibit designer; Sari Boren, exhibit developer; and seated: Chuck Bartlett, CMMC president and Michelle Jarvis, project manager.

Wondercabinet Interpretive Design, Inc., located in Lexington, MA, is an exhibit planning and design firm specializing in designing environments devoted to learning. In the past several years Wondercabinet has designed several projects in Massachusetts for the National Park Service including the new Bunker Hill Museum and the Charlestown Navy Yard Visitor Center in Boston. Currently Wondercabinet is working with the National Park Service on the design of a new Visitor Center at Faneuil Hall and new outdoor exhibits at the Salem Maritime National Historic Site. Well-known for their expertise in creating dynamic and engaging exhibits, Wondercabinet has also designed many science and children's museum exhibits from New York to Georgia. They bring their experience with both history and science museums, storytelling and hands-on interactives, to their design of the new exhibits for the Chatham Marconi Maritime Center.

## **Report of Nominating Committee**

Roslyn Coleman, Edee Crowell, Read Moffett, and Rob Leiden

## CMMC Officers for 2009- 2010

Charles Bartlett, President

Frank Messina, 1st Vice President, Chair, Renovation Committee Read Moffett, 2nd Vice President, Chair Exhibit Committee Roslyn Coleman, Past President & Chair Communications Leonard Magnusson, Treasurer

Edwin C. Moxon, Secretary

Edee G. Crowell, Corresponding Secretary

## **Board of Directors Class of 2012**

Charles Bartlett, Roslyn Coleman, Barbara Cotnam, John Cotnam, John Dickson, Leonard Magnusson, Lillian McNulty, Read Moffett, Raymond Russ