

## Sunday June 23, 2013

### **Rain or Shine!**

Judith and Robert Mackenzie invite the Cruising Fleet Sunday Sail on June 23<sup>rd</sup> to their place on Amherst Island. The plan is to raft at their mooring or anchor nearby and have lunch ashore before heading back to KYC later in the afternoon. If you have a dinghy it would be useful.

Departure from KYC at 10:15. It is about a two hour sail. If the weather or sea conditions are not suitable come by land. Rain or shine it's a GO.

For additional information please contact Judith or Robert Mackenzie at [robertmackenzie@bell.net](mailto:robertmackenzie@bell.net) or [613 548-8332](tel:6135488332). On Amherst Island call [613-384-6861](tel:6133846861).

#### **How To Get There by Boat**

The Mackenzie's place is on the north shore of Amherst Island located west of The Brothers Islands and east of Preston Cove which is located just east of Griffin Point. See chart below.

With reference to the chart proceed west past The Brothers Islands to the point marked "X" on the chart. You can pass between the centre and westerly Brother Islands.

West of the Brother Islands the water off the Amherst Island shore is shallow with scattered large boulders. Keep clear of this area by keeping the entire Lennox Generating Plant (not just the two stacks) in sight. This sight line is shown on the chart.

Continue westward and when west of Road 6 as extended southward from the mainland across the North Channel look for the Mackenzie's house which is pale yellow with a brown steel roof. Turn in towards the house when on the range marked with two red triangles. One of the triangles is on the house and the other is on a post on the shore in front of the house. Binoculars are required to see the two red triangles from the point of turning in towards the house.

Proceed in towards the shore on the range. There is generally 8' of water on the range but it is essential to keep dead on the range and not to wander off by more than 10 feet to avoid a few scattered large boulders. Keep watch and proceed slowly. There is 10' of water at the mooring.

Monitor Channel 71.

#### **How To Get There by By Car**

The Amherst Island ferry departs from Millhaven on the Bath Road on the half hour and from Millhaven are on the hour. \$9 return for a vehicle. People are free. Consider doubling up in vehicles and leave vehicles parked at the Millhaven dock. It is a minimum 35 minutes drive from KYC to the Amherst Island ferry.

On arrival on the island proceed straight ahead off the ferry to the four way stop intersection and turn left onto Front Road. Proceed through the hamlet of Stella and go for a distance of about 4 km. The Mackenzie's are at 1150 Front Road.

Good luck! We look forward to seeing you.

**Judith and Robert Mackenzie**