

SEA SCOUT SHIP 25

June 2025

By Ship 25 Yeoman Dom Loga

ACTIVITIES



This June, our Sea Scouts went back to their community's local roots and participated in the Dryden Dairy Day parade. Marching in this annual event has become a tradition over the past few years. We had many scouts show up to march too.

Additionally, the Ship was busy this June getting our boat ready for the season. Later in June we held our mid-year Bridge of honor and annual elections. We welcomed in our new Youth Quarterdeck leadership team and presented all of our scouts with many awards. We are very proud of all of our scouts for all the hard work they put in over the last several months.



UPCOMING EVENTS:

This summer we are concentrating on getting time on the water aboard our training vessel Sensei. Additionally, some of our scouts will be experiencing advanced leadership training through the National Youth Leadership training course. Furthermore scouts are planning to earn their boating safety certificate.

FUNDRAISERS

The Friends of Ithaca Sea Scouts which sponsors Ship 25 is currently holding a GoFundMe with the goal of supporting our activities for the 2025–2026 year! Additionally funds support things like leadership development and community service around the area.

Any contributions are extremely appreciated by our members. Funds at <https://gofund.me/32d83b7d> or through accessing the QR code shown here.



Additionally, Ship 25 is collecting bottles and cans at IthaCAN and Bottle Return, 614 Elmira Road, Rt. 13 South in Ithaca. Feel free to stop by and mention that your returns are for Ship 25, or reach out to a member to arrange dropoff/pickup!

MEETINGS & CONTACT

Ship 25 has meetings on most Fridays at 6:30pm in-person at the Coast Guard Auxiliary Base in Ithaca and via zoom.

Sea Scouts is a co-ed program for young men and women ages 13 to 20. For more details and a full calendar, contact Jim Graney at (607)-327-1226 (work/cell) or email jgraney@twcny.rr.com. Additional information can be found at www.ithacaseascouts.org.

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SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE YEOMAN

I'm excited to introduce myself as the new Yeoman for Sea Scout Ship 25. I'm honored to have the opportunity to serve the ship in this role and help keep everyone informed, organized, and connected throughout the year.

-Dom

"Sometimes the future changes quickly and completely, and we're left with only the choice of what to do next. We can choose to be afraid of it, to stand there trembling, not moving, assuming the worst that can happen, or we can step forward into the unknown and assume it will be brilliant."

-Christina Yang