



January 13, 2014

Dear Captain,

Spring is just around the corner, and with it comes the **33rd Annual Ohio Charter Captains Conference!** There's no better way to get into the fishing mood and get prepared for the fishing season. Here's my personal invitation to you to join us on **March 1, 2014.**

The conference will be packed with all the up-to-date information you've come to expect on fishing outlook and management of fish stocks, licensing and regulations, and managing the business end of your charter service. Specific topics this year include sea lamprey in Lake Erie, the effects of farming in the Lake Erie watershed, and the newest charting technology with Navionics. Don't forget - a select group of vendors will be back with products and services essential to chartering.

33rd Annual Ohio Charter Captains Conference
March 1, 2014 – BGSU-Firelands Cedar Point Center, Huron, Ohio

The conference will again be held at the Cedar Point Conference Center at the BGSU-Firelands campus just west of Huron, Ohio on **March 1, 2014.** The registration includes continental breakfast, all breaks, and a truly outstanding buffet lunch (new menu this year!) Be sure to register by **February 21, 2014** to ensure your lunch ticket.

Dining room tickets for the buffet lunch will be issued as you check in at the door. Door prizes will be awarded throughout the day. Tickets from those winning door prizes early will be re-entered for the larger prizes at the end of the day.

The Ohio Charter Captains Conference is open to anyone wishing to attend. If your spouse or friends would like to come, please extend my invitation. **Please make your check payable to Sea Grant Extension,** and send with the registration by **February 21, 2014.** I hope to see you there!

Best regards,

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