



We are Cruising to Northport Bay

This coming weekend July 23-24, 2011

- ✦ *This weekend we will be cruising to one of our Gold Coast neighbors - Northport Bay, Long Island.*
- ✦ *Our Goal: To get to know our sailing friends like no other. So be prepared to let your hair down or other things as you choose fitting. Oh and of course get some sailing in on the way there and way home.*
- ✦ *I can secure moorings at the Northport Yacht Club for \$50.00 a night. This club sports a pool with snack bar, restaurant, launch service till midnight and short walk to town. I just need to know by Wednesday to reserve. Or we can anchor outside the mooring field and if anyone wants to go into town can take the dinghy.*
- ✦ *On my Pearson 38' there is room for many imbibers, oops I mean sailors. So far Ellen Badome and Francine Alheid are crew and there is room for several more. "Racers" are welcome too!*
- ✦ *Bob Hill & Laura are also making their 51' Antiqua available for this weekend. I don't think you'll find another sailboat in our fleet with more bells and whistles than this. So much so Bob welcomes those interested in learning how to fit all those electronics into one boat to join them this weekend. Or if you're just interested in seeing how the wind can pull this 24 ton yacht to our destination-jump on board.*
- ✦ *All those interested in attending another fun filled weekend of grog, food, laughter, swimming, some more grog let me know ASAP. The racers who attended the last event never imagined cruising was so much fun.*
- ✦ *Once you are on the list of attendees you will be kept abreast of the plans for the weekend. We will then meet at the club Friday evening at 7:30 pm to go over final details.*
- ✦ *My Contact info: Joe Shadel, email- jshadel@optonline.net and my cell is 973-222-1220. Please do not hesitate to call or email me with any questions.*

Thank you, Joe Shadel-Cruising Coordinator CIYC