

TALL SHIPS® 1812 TOUR



Battle of Georgian Bay 2001 – Midland, ON

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- The Ontario Ministry of Tourism & Culture has approved the Blockbuster Grant application for the Tall Ships 2013 Celebration Tour, which will commemorate the bicentennial of the War of 1812. The following bullets provides info on the grant as well as key messages re the parameters of approval as well as the expectations of the Ontario Ministry of Tourism and Culture.
- Water's Edge Festivals & Events (WEFE) has been approved for \$880,000 for the Tall Ships 2013 Pan Provincial Celebration Tour, which will commemorate the Bicentennial for the War of 1812
- Eligible expenses from the overall Pan Provincial Budget were \$965,000 therefore; over 91% of the eligible expenses have been approved.
- This is the largest Blockbuster Grant that has ever been awarded.
- The Ontario Ministry of Tourism & Culture has mandated the following:
 - Each region MUST host a minimum of one Tall Ship event
 - Each regional/port event MUST have on land programming with a War of 1812 Bicentennial theme
 - The Tall Ships 2013 Celebration Tour must produce the event as outlined in the application including all marketing, media, sponsorship and production elements, understanding there will be a reduced number of ports participating.
- The allocation of funds will be on a “per region” basis as opposed to per port.

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- War of 1812 Celebration Boasts \$166 Million Impact on Economy
- Organizers of this summer's Star Spangled Sailabration say the receipts are in, and the 200th anniversary celebration of the War of 1812 towed in more than \$166 million for the Baltimore area economy.
- According to a study from Pittsburgh-based Forward Analytics, the week-long festival was the largest event ever in terms of economic impact in the state's history.
- The June 13-19 celebration drew about 1.54 million people, including 28 percent from outside Maryland, according to organizers. It also drew 45 tall ships from around the world to Baltimore's Inner Harbor.
- The \$166 million includes \$97.7 million in direct spending by non-local visitors, sponsors, vendors and event hosts. Visitors spent an average of \$80 per person in the city, according to the report.





ONTARIO PORTS & FESTIVAL DATES

- Brockville - June 15 – 16
- Toronto - June 20 – 23
- Hamilton, Port Dalhousie - June 28 – July 1
- Sault Ste. Marie - July 19 – 21
- **Collingwood, Wasaga Beach/Nancy Island, Owen Sound - August 16 – 18**
- **Penetanguishene, Midland, Discovery Harbour – August 23 – 25**
- Windsor, Amherstburg, Leamington, Kingsville, Pelee Island - August 30 – September 2

2013 Ontario Port Map

TALL SHIPS CHALLENGE® Great Lakes 2013

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TALL SHIP

U.S. BRIG *NIAGARA*

The U.S. Brig *Niagara* built in
1988 as a
reconstruction of a warship in
the War of 1812..

Length:

198 Feet

On-Board Capacity:

200 (max) +

100 dockside area



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The Schooner MADELINE
a reconstruction of a mid-
19th century Great Lakes
schooner and one of the
State of Michigan's official
tall ships.

Length 92'. Beam is 16' with a draft of 7'. Her
masts are 68' and 71' and is presently rigged
with 1,539 sq. ft. of sail. Her gross tonnage is
50 tons.



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INS TARANGINI

INS Tarangini is a tall ship of the Indian Navy, commissioned in 1997 as a sail training ship for naval cadets.

Length:
177 Feet

Tarangini is a threemasted barque, square rigged on the fore and main masts and fore-and-aft rigged on the mizzen mast.



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TALL SHIP SORLANDET

The Ship Sorlandet represents a unique heritage from the days of the tall ships and fast clippers.

The Ship Sorlandet is the oldest of the three Norwegian Tall Ships.

Length: 210 Feet

On-Board Capacity:

200 (max) + dockside area



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**TALL SHIPS - TS PLAYFAIR &
STV PATHFINDER**

TS PLAYFAIR:

Length:
72 Feet

STV PATHFINDER:

Length:
72 Feet

