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Annual Massive Marine Garage Sale

The 10th Annual Massive Marine Garage Sale is back this Saturday at Ogden Point from 9am to 1pm. More than 60 vendors will have a whole range of maritime and outdoor items for sale at the event.

“Sailboats on trailers, dinghies, kayaks, engines – anything to do with boating,” says volunteer and sale coordinator, Ann Jones. “We even get cutlery and china.”

An annual fundraiser, this event started 10 years ago and supports the Maritime Museum’s programs and exhibits. While the sale’s primary goal is to raise money for the Maritime Museum, it has become something of a “staple in the boaters’ world,” Jones said.

At this year’s garage sale, a Pixie” Fairey Marine folding boat will be for sale through a silent auction. These little wooden boats were made in England in the 50s and 60s. A neat feature, the Pixie comes apart for storage on deck and can easily be put back together. It also comes with two removable seats and paddles. The 10 foot hull is hot molded and is in great condition.

Admission is $5 (children under 12 are free) and parking is free. The Massive Marine Garage Sale is on April 20 in the warehouse building on Pier A at Ogden Point. This event is supported by the Greater Victoria Harbour Authority, Western Stevedoring – Ogden Point, CFB Esquimalt, and Trotac Marine.

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