

Nantucket Boat Basin Celebrates 25 Years with George Bassett



Nantucket, MA – Nantucket Island Resorts is proud to announce that 2010 is the twenty-fifth year of dedication from George Bassett, the Director of Marine Operations at the Nantucket Boat Basin.

Mr. Bassett joined the Nantucket Boat Basin team in 1986 after serving 26 years in the United States Coast Guard as a Chief War Officer. Just before retiring from the Coast Guard, he received the United States Navy League’s Captain David H. Jarvis Award for inspirational leadership and professional competence.

Bassett graduated from the International Marina Institute’s Executive Marina Management School and is a Certified Marina Manager. As Director of Marine Operations, he is responsible for maintaining the 240-slip marina that caters to some of the world’s more discerning people.

Under Bassett’s leadership, Nantucket Boat Basin was commended by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Department under the Clean Water Act as the marina that did the most pump-outs in the United States. Bassett was also the recipient of the “First Watch” environmental award for making a difference in preserving clean waters. Just this year, Nantucket Boat Basin was voted “Best Transient Marina” by *MarinaLife* magazine.

“It is exceptional to be able to depend on a fully committed employee for 25 years,” said Khaled Hashem, Managing Director of Nantucket Island Resorts.

George Bassett lives on Nantucket with his wife Sharon, and is a regular contributor to the Nantucket Boat Basin’s Facebook page, which has nearly 1800 followers.

Nantucket Island Resorts owns a unique collection of premier hotels, cottages, island residences, and marina: The Wauwinet, a Relais & Châteaux property; White Elephant; White Elephant Hotel Residences; Jared Coffin House; The Cottages & Lofts at the Boat Basin; and the Nantucket Boat Basin. For more information please visit www.nantucketislandresorts.com