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### **Interlux and Awlgrip to Sponsor ABBRA Symposium Field Trip**

**Warren, RI**—Interlux Yacht Finishes and Awlgrip North America are sponsoring the American Boat Builders & Repairers Association (ABBRA) field trip during the association's first Summer Symposium Networking & Social Event this August 3-4, 2009, at the OceanCliff Hotel in Newport, Rhode Island.

The ABBRA field trip offers Symposium attendees private tours of three major New England boat building and repair facilities: Hinckley Yacht Services, Newport Shipyard, and Conanicut Marine Services. The field trip is included with registration.

"The ABBRA Summer Symposium is the only event of its kind in our industry," says Doug Domenie, ABBRA's president. "We are honored to have Interlux and Awlgrip sponsor the field trip since their products are widely used among our audience. It's a nice match."

Interlux and Awlgrip join *Professional Boatbuilder* magazine and Starkweather & Shepley insurance as the events sponsors.

The Summer Symposium, open to both ABBRA members and non-members, will consist of keynote presentations, panel sessions, and ample networking opportunities specifically geared towards the interests of the boatbuilding and repair industry.

For more information, or to register for the ABBRA Summer Symposium, please call Jessica Slemons at 401-247-0318 or email [jslemons@abbra.org](mailto:jslemons@abbra.org).

The American Boat Builders & Repairers Association (ABBRA), founded in 1943, strengthens and encourages professionalism in the boat building and marine service industry by providing its members with timely information, training, education, and business services.

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