



MEDIA ALERT

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A CAREER EXPO FOR LOCAL YOUTH

WHAT: A Marine and Maritime Career Expo for St. Lucie County Middle and High School Students

**WHEN: Thursday, February 23
10am-12pm Noon**

**WHO: 100 Students from St. Lucie Public Schools, 8th-11th Graders
City of Fort Pierce, Mayor Linda Hudson
City of Fort Pierce, City Manager Nick Mimms**

- Students will talk with 20+ marine and maritime industry workers including canvas making, diesel repair, marine air conditioning, woodworking, fishing boat charters, tugboat operations, kayak rental management, sailing instruction and more.
- Outdoor demos include sailboat rigging on our dock, diesel repair, charter captain casting activity and more.
- Ed Killer, columnist for TCPalm & the St. Lucie News Tribune will monitor a panel consisting of Shearwater Marine, US Coast Guard, Longshoreman Union and Capt. Chris Yacht Services about their career choices.

WHERE: Fort Pierce Yacht Club and River Walk Center

700 N Indian River Drive
Fort Pierce FL 34948

*** Due to this being an event for students, it is NOT open to the public. ***

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