

the last floor, replaced the sheerstrakes with full-length oak, and installed new full-length Douglas-fir clamps," riveted in place, Danielson said. He refastened the hull using 1 1/8" No. 9 bronze screws from Goulet Specialties. He also installed new deadwood pieces, restored the top of the lead ballast keel, and finished and installed the centerboard trunk that Reineck had started earlier. New deckbeams throughout, new bulkheads, and deck blocking had been completed as of this writing, and Danielson was in the process of getting out 1/16" shiplapped Atlantic white cedar deck planks, which were to be oiled and painted before being installed. A new canvas deck, seats, centerboard trunk cap, coaming, toerail, and hardware installations remained to be done, in addition to caulking and painting, with a relaunching expected by late summer. *Redd's Pond Boatworks, 1 Norman St., Marblehead, MA 01945; 781-631-3443; www.reddspndboatworks.com.*

for The Adirondack Museum, built three Chesapeake Light Craft Wood Duck kayaks for the Hunts Point Alliance for Children, and done repairs on numerous other boats in our fleet. We'd love to have anyone passing through New York City stop by for a visit to what is certainly among the most unique wooden boatbuilding operations in the country." The program, which serves some 2,500 young people annually, is designed to use boatbuilding and boat

use to build self-esteem, teamwork, and confidence in young people growing up with severe economic and social disadvantages. We've seen Rocking the Boat's exhibit at The WoodenBoat Show for years now at Mystic Seaport, and with the energy and camaraderie these young people have been bringing to their booth, we can report very simply: It's working. *Rocking the Boat, 812 Edgewater Rd., Bronx, NY 10452; 718-466-5799; www.rockingtheboat.org.*



COURTESY ROCKING THE BOAT

Rocking the Boat has consolidated its programs into a single building, which has 6,000 sq ft, half of which is devoted to a boatbuilding shop.

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Rocking the Boat, the worthy program of boatbuilding and environmental education that has been operating in The Bronx, New York City, since 1996, has completed a long-awaited move to **new headquarters**. "Needless to say, we're very excited," Director Adam Green reports. "For the first time in our 13-year history, all of our programs are based in the same place and are able to take place at the same time. The building is 6,000 sq ft, shop space taking up 3,000 of that. The other 3,000 sq ft house offices, a full kitchen, an environmental science lab, a library, and a spacious lobby. And it all has direct access through the adjacent park to the Bronx River. In just the first three months since the building opened, we've built a new 14' Whitehall for ourselves, finished a Bisby Club Boat

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