

A photograph of a marina at sunset. The sky is filled with warm orange and yellow hues, with darker clouds on the horizon. In the foreground, the dark silhouettes of many sailboat masts and rigging are visible, creating a textured pattern. The water is calm, reflecting the light of the setting sun.

GYC Cruising 2025

# Lake Ontario Cruising Resources

- GYC Website “Cruising” page
- The Cruising Guide Ports Book
- Lake Ontario Club Cruising Association (LOCCA)
- Navionics or equivalent chart plotter (we run this on an iPad)



# Destiny 2025 Summer Statistics

- 10 weeks total cruising time
  - 7-week circumnavigation of the lake including 1000 islands
  - 4 separate cruises; June, 4<sup>th</sup> July, July-August, September
- GYC Members Seen around the lake – a lot!
- Yacht Club Visits – 27
- Engine Hours - 160

Prince Edward Yacht Club

Photo date: June 20, 2025

Free Spirit (Fishers) and  
Destiny at the dock

Also Faye and Bill



Loyalist Cove Marina  
Bath, Ontario

Photo on nearby Amherst  
Island, which is accessible  
by ferry, and a nice bike ride  
around the East end of the  
Island

Photo date: June 21, 2025





## Presquile Yacht Club

Friendly “GYC-type” self-help club near the entrance to the Murray Canal

Close to town and easy bike ride to Presqu'ile Provincial Park

Photo date: June 25, 2025



GYC rendezvous at  
Sodus Bay

Jackalope

Photo 7/2/2025



Rich

Robin

Ann

Nan

Bob

Julie

Paul

Jerry



Whitebird – Joanne, Joe Scooter  
Jackalope – Bob and Julie, Tator and Ozzie  
Free Spirit – Jerry and Ann  
Motor Coach – Pat and Paul  
Aria – Paul and Robin  
Land Yacht – John and Kathy

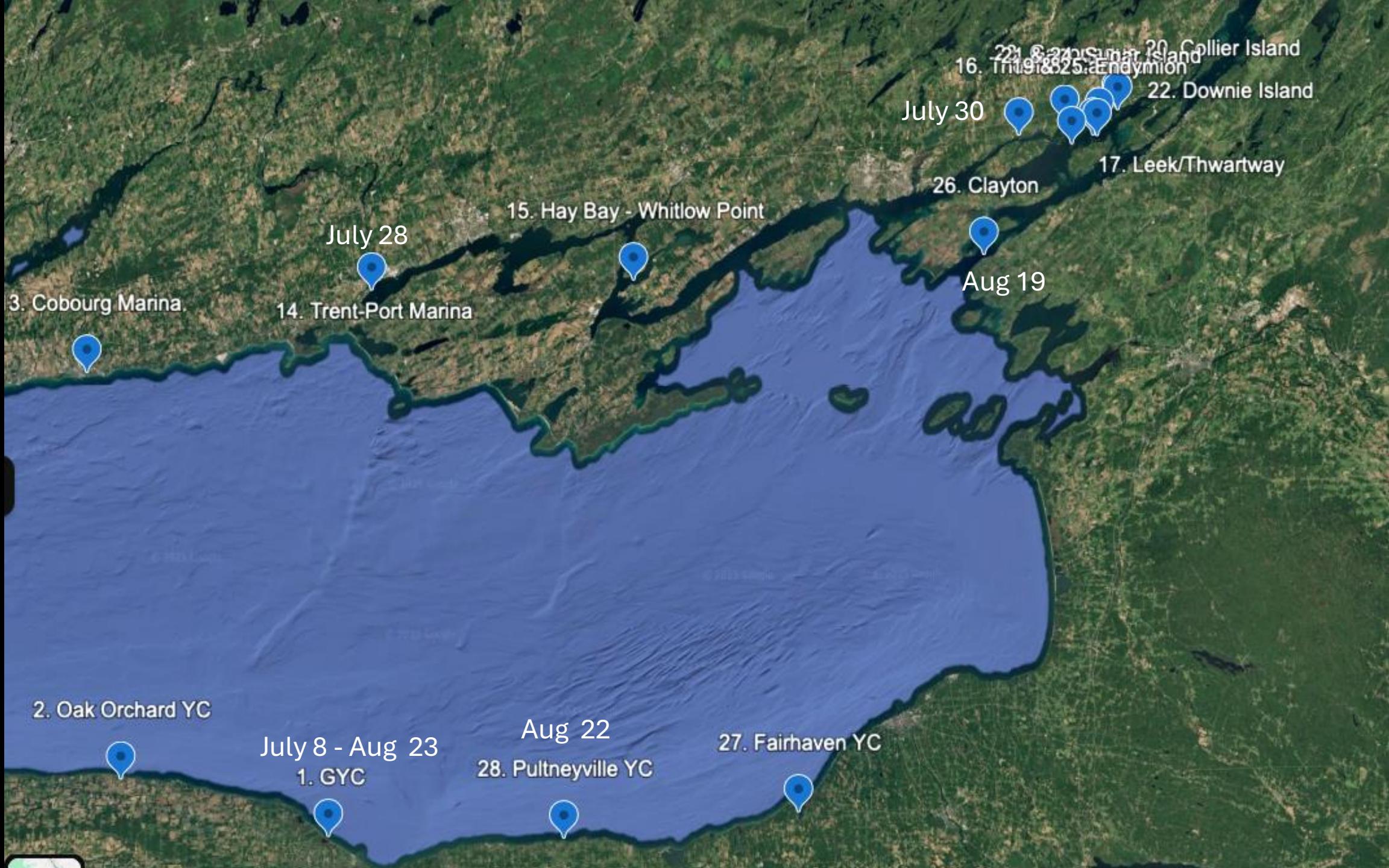




Richie's Angels

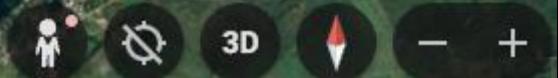








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Oak Orchard Yacht Club

Photo date: July 8, 2025



We could do this!

Tuscarora Yacht  
Club Self-Serve Ice  
Cream Chest



Close Encounters

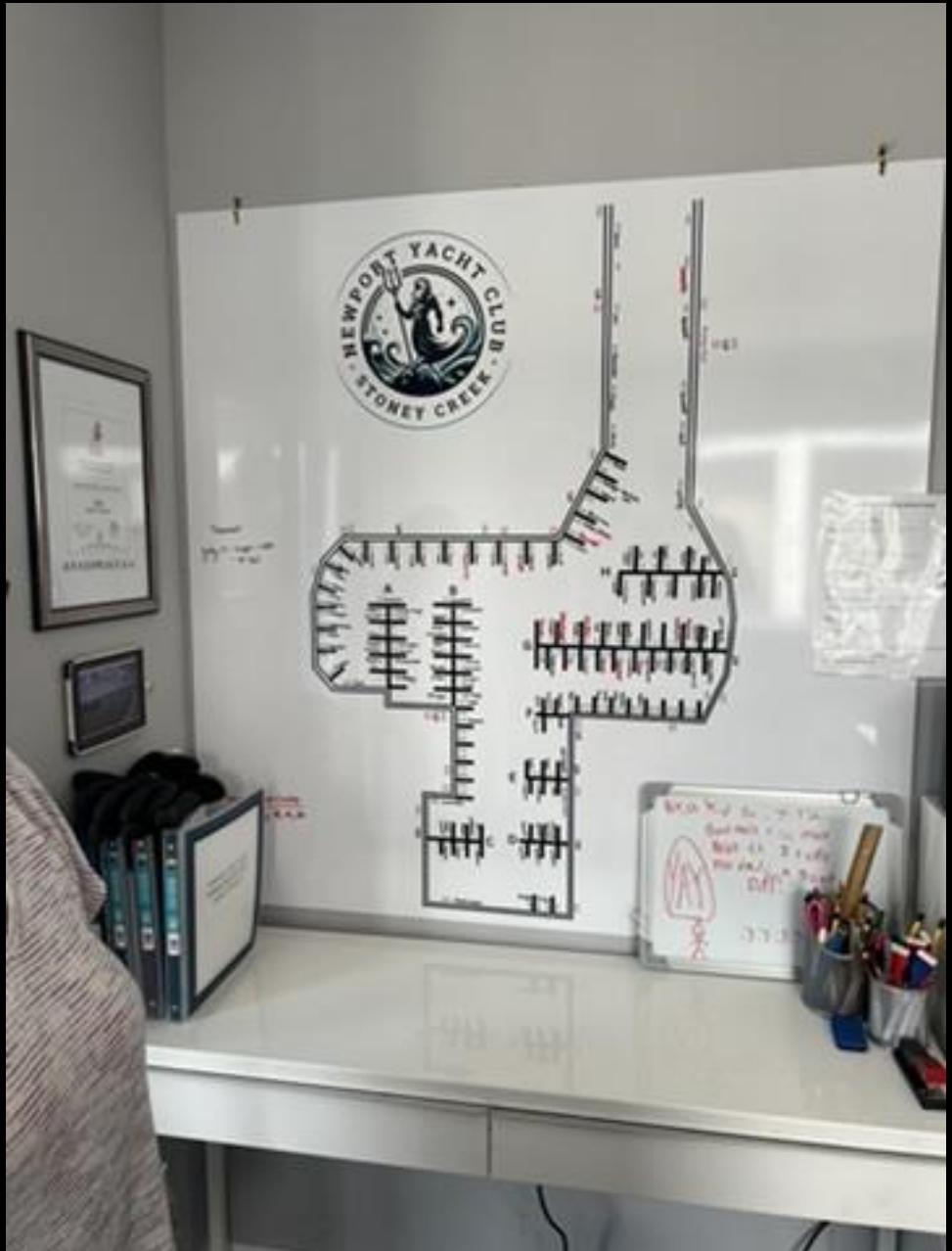
## Fifty Point Marina and Yacht Club

Reciprocal when  
member docks are  
vacant





Check the radar  
before departure –  
we waited for this  
to pass then  
headed out from  
Fifty Point to  
Macassa Bay YC



## Newport Yacht Club – west of Fifty Point

Docks look nice, but are within a condo development.

The small club house is nice, and people seemed friendly



Macassa Bay YC



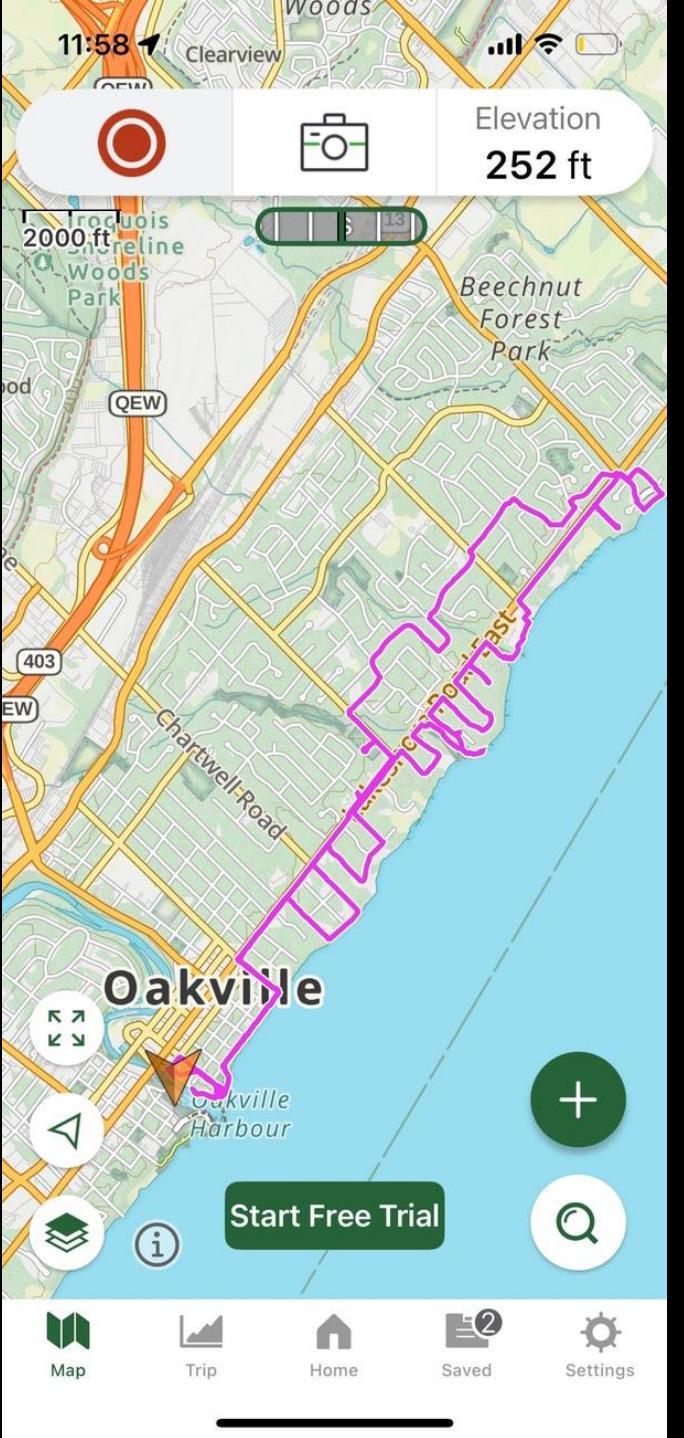
Macassa Bay YC

Maybe something  
like this on the  
patio?

Photo of Oakville  
Squadron taken  
from Oakville Club

Squadron – *GYCish*  
Club - *RYCish*





Good Bike Riding through  
neighborhoods East of Oakville



## Pool at Oakville Club

Port Credit Yacht Club –

Youth Regatta grounded due to excessive wind

Great facility

- Pool
- Restaurante
- Extensive docks
- Very active





# Sail Bike Beer



Mimico Yacht Club

Bands Friday, Saturday and Sunday

Photo date: July 18, 2025



City-  
scape

Mimico  
Yacht  
Club

Rendezvous  
with Jack and  
Joan –  
Mimico and  
pictured  
here, RCYC





RCYC







Razz-  
Ma-Tazz  
Leaving  
RCYC

A wide-angle photograph of a marina. In the foreground, a wooden boardwalk or pier extends from the bottom left towards the center of the frame. To the left of the boardwalk is a grassy area. The middle ground is filled with a large number of sailboats with their masts standing, docked in rows. The water is calm, reflecting the overcast, cloudy sky above. In the background, there are more trees and a small, light-colored building, possibly a boathouse or club house.

Ashbridges YC

# Jazz Festival - Ashbridges









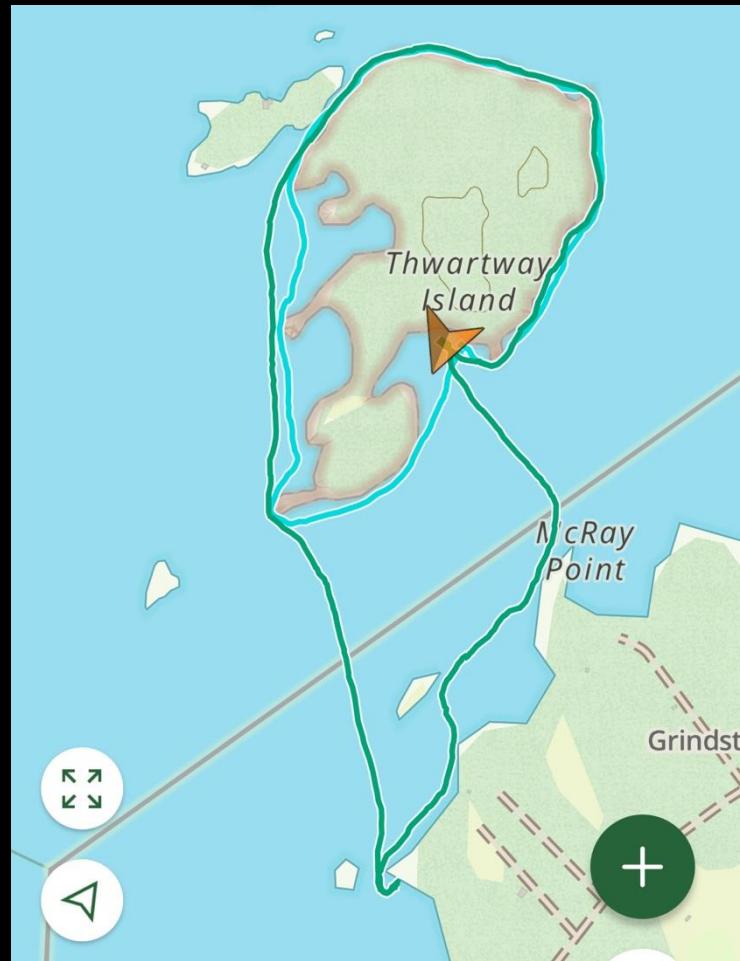
Brutal  
Fog on  
way to  
Whitby



# On Anchor at Hay Bay







## Leek / Thwartway





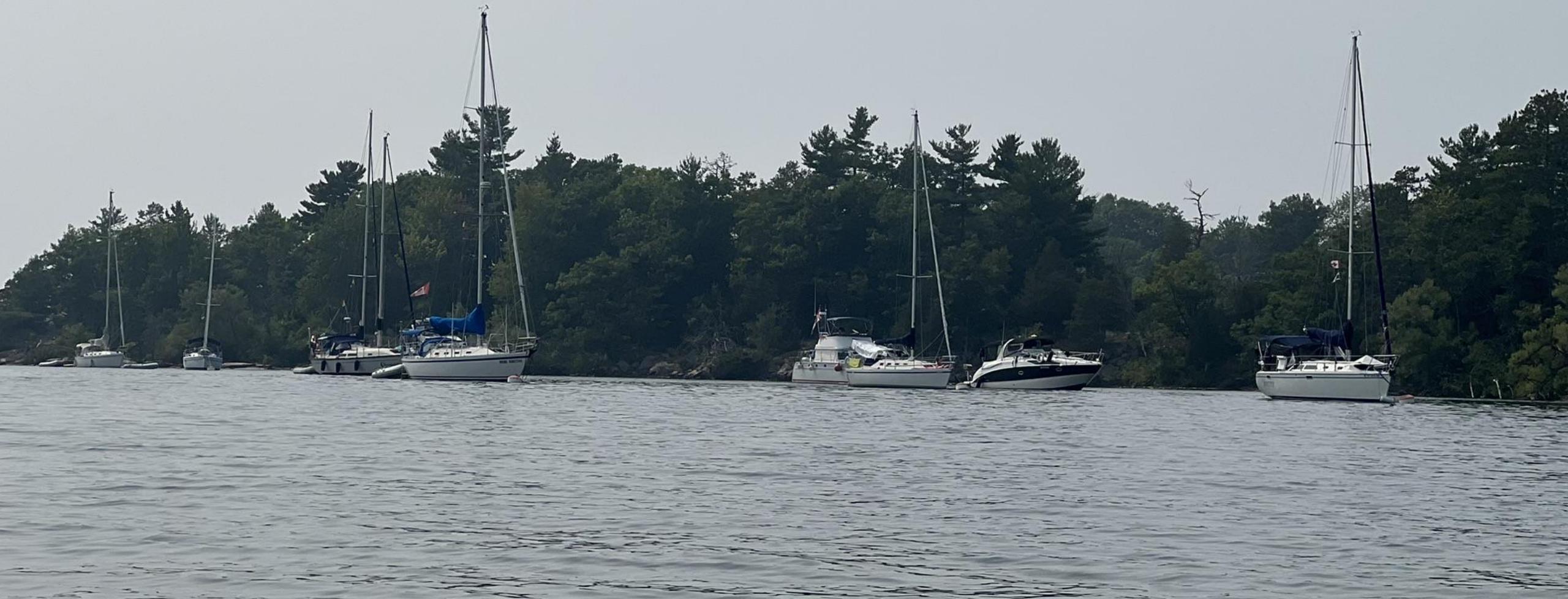
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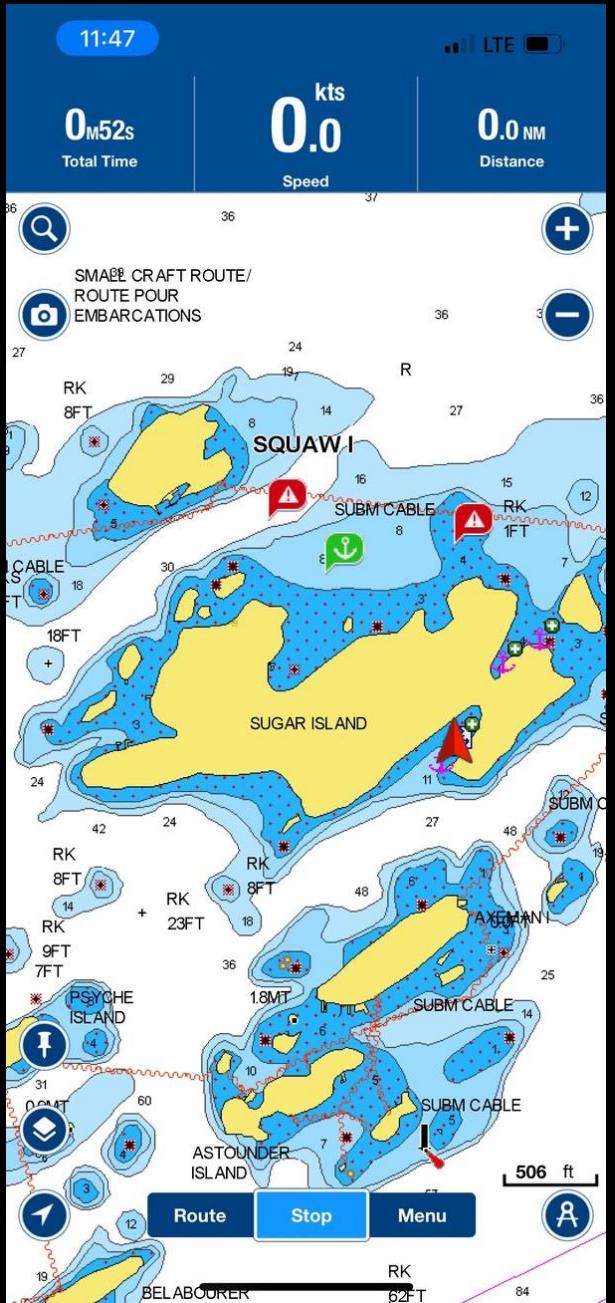
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# Canadian Wildfires ... again





# Sugar Island

## Our Secret ...hhh



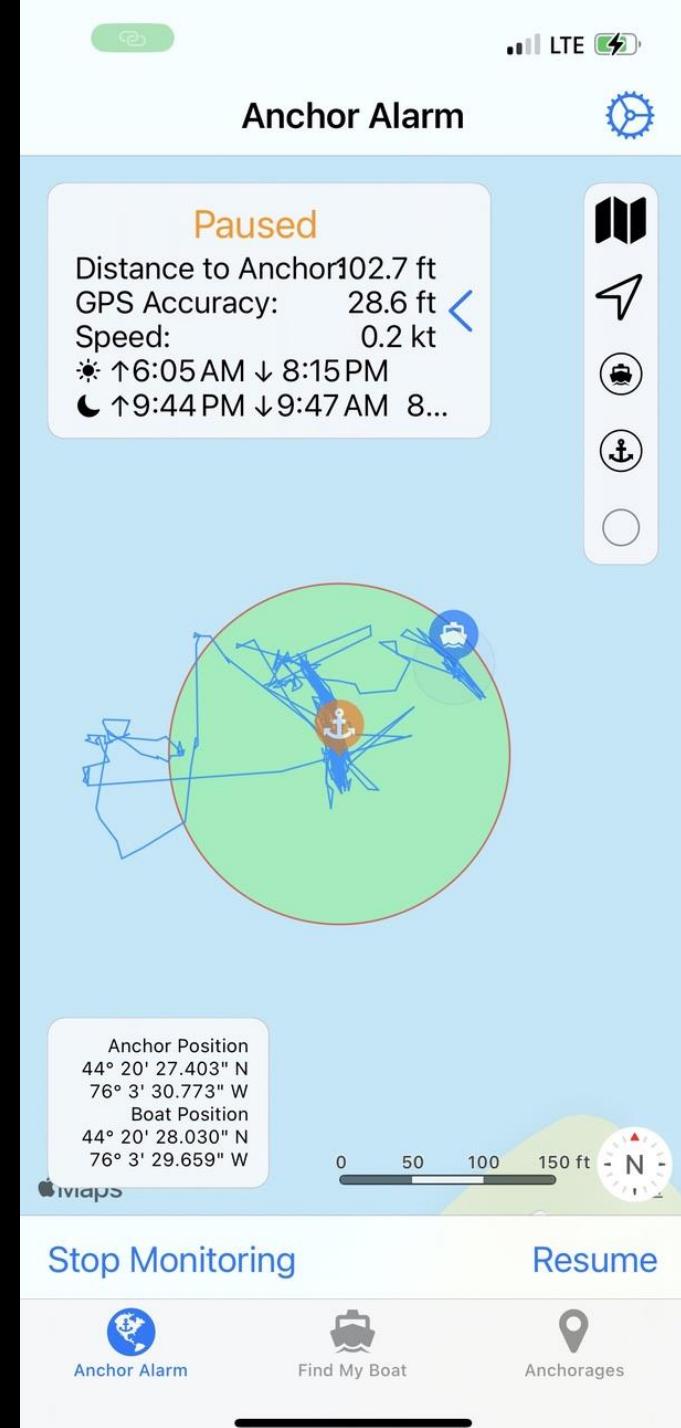
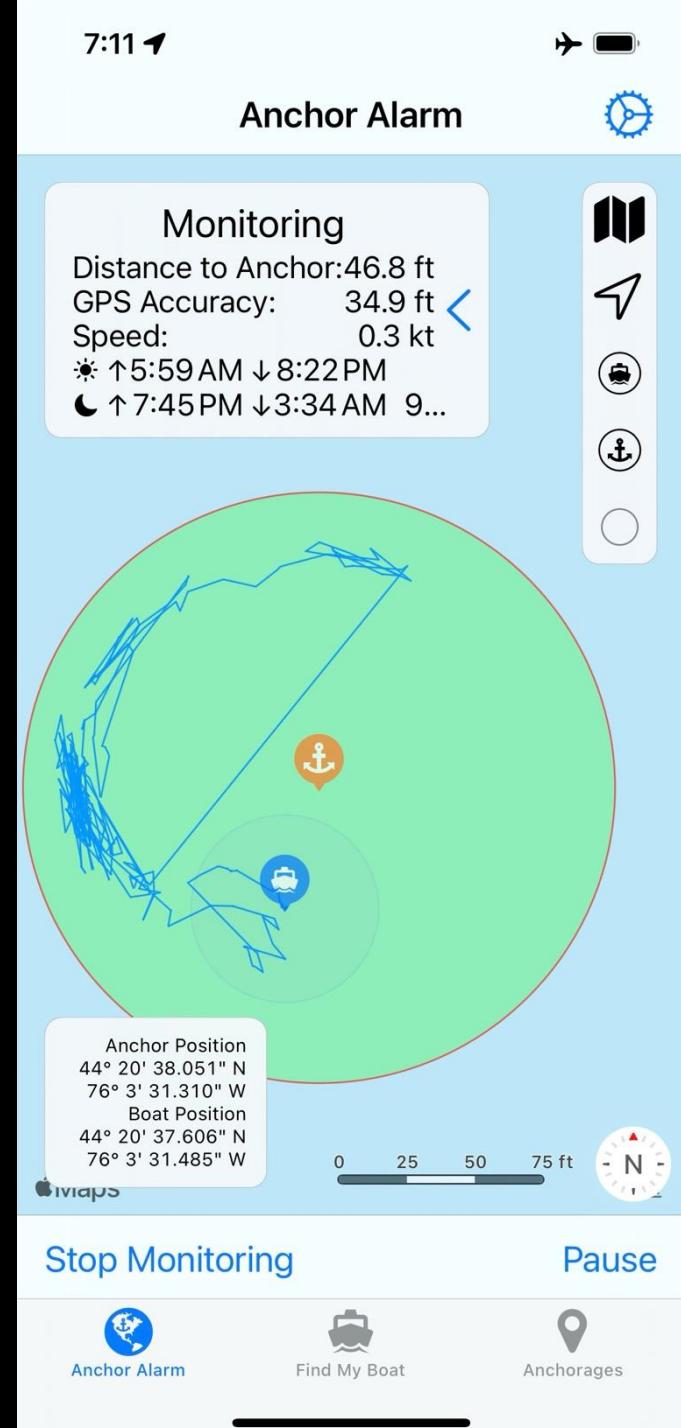
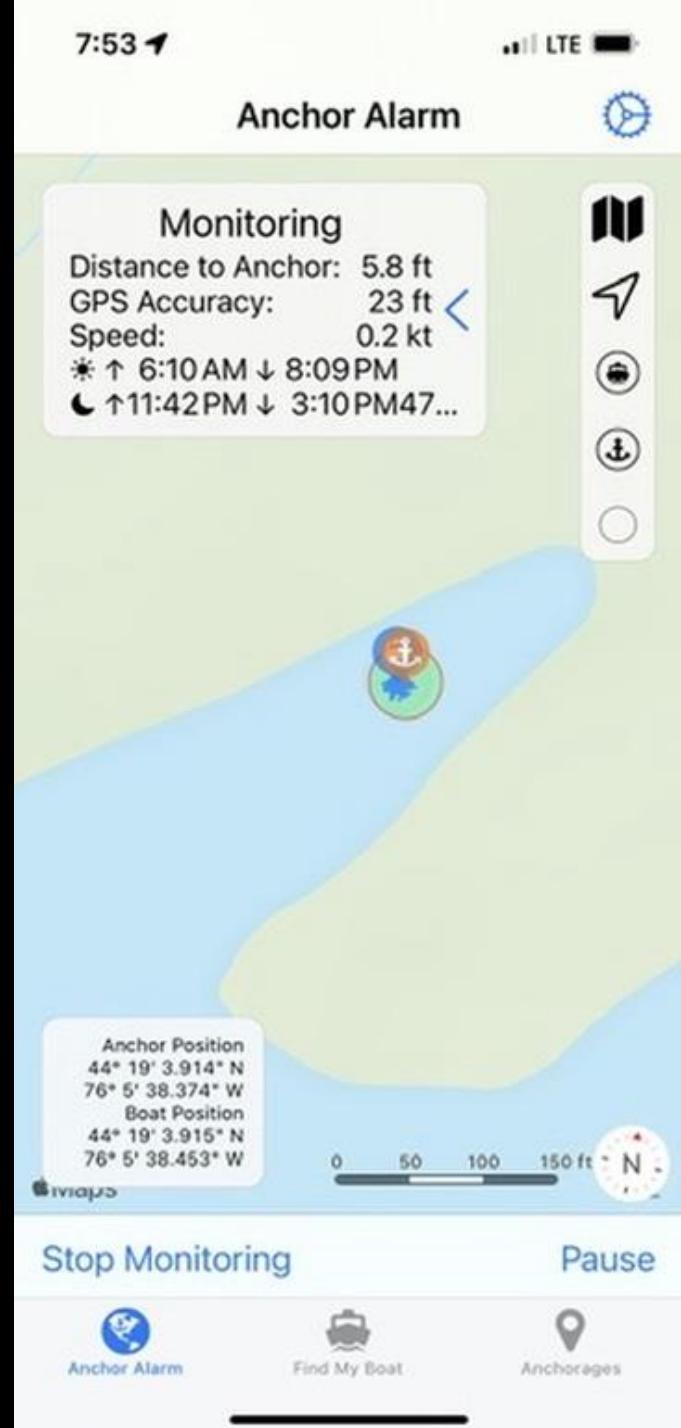


# Sunrise Sugar Island













# Ninette Island (near Mulcaster)



# Ninette Island



# Fairest of Havens



# Pultneyville



The End