

Shearwater Excursions

The *Shearwater*, a 47' power catamaran is home-ported just off the coast of Cape Cod, MA on Nantucket Island. The vessel allows for shallow water, shore-line access that most single-hulled boats cannot navigate, making it easier to accomplish near-shore objectives. In addition, the heavy, double hulled design provides a very dry and stable platform from which one can easily observe, video and photograph a variety of subjects in most sea conditions. The inside benches can be removed or reconfigured to allow for work stations or instruments.

The world is always changing and people are in need to understand and gain knowledge of our planet.

Research is required in order to document these changes. The *Shearwater* is a perfect vessel to charter for these tasks. The combination of the vessel's proven abilities and Captain Perkins' vast knowledge, has allowed numerous researchers, from many fields, a reliable base from which to collect data and a resource willing to share his local knowledge and problem-solving abilities.

Shearwater

- 24 Gross Ton
- 47'x 17' x 4'
- Aluminum hull
- Power catamaran
- Twin 440 HP clean burning Yanmar Diesel Engines
- ICOM SSB
- Garmin GPS Chart Plotter
- Simrad Auto-Pilot
- Furuno Radar
- Furuno Depth /Fish Finder
- 3 ICOM VHF Radios
- TV monitor
- Indoor/Outdoor Seating
- 18-20 knot cruise speed
- 250 gallon freshwater tank
- Holding tank
- 49 passenger capacity
- USCG Certified
- Private Head



Captain Perkins and the *Shearwater* available for:

Private Charters
Research Trips
Guided Excursions
Boat Delivery
Ecological Classes
Harbor Tours

Captain Perkins is one of a kind.

His comprehension of subjects covers, among others, many species of both marine and shore side flora and fauna along most of the eastern seaboard, meteorology and coastal processes. Utilizing his 30 plus years of traveling and working along the Eastern Seaboard, Captain Perkins will gladly tailor your charter to suit your needs based upon your project's objectives & expected outcomes.



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