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## Tickets on sale now for Nicolet Bank Tall Ships®

### Three more ships named

Green Bay (March 15, 2019) – Tickets are **now on sale for excursions and general festival admission at [tallshipswisconsin.com](http://tallshipswisconsin.com)** for Nicolet Bank Tall Ships® July 26-28 in Green Bay. Three more ships have also been named.

**U.S. Brig *Niagara***, home-ported in Erie, Pennsylvania, is a replica of the relief flagship of Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry. She is the embodiment of the dual mission of the Erie Maritime Museum and the Flagship Niagara League: She is both a historical artifact and a vehicle for sail training, an experiential learning process that preserves the skills of square-rig seamanship. It is the third reconstruction of the original vessel and launched in 1988 commemorating the 175th anniversary of the Battle of Lake Erie.

***Inland Seas*** is a schooner owned by the Inland Seas Education Association whose mission is to promote stewardship of the Great Lakes through hands-on education. Students gain a unique insight into the basic ecology of the Great Lakes and assist seasoned volunteer instructors with the collection and analysis of Great Lakes samples. ***Inland Seas* will be offering 90-minute day and sunset sail excursions during the event.**

***Appledore IV*** is a schooner owned and operated by BaySail, a 501(C) 3 non-profit corporation. Their mission is “to foster environmental stewardship of the Saginaw Bay watershed and the Great Lakes ecosystem and to provide personal development opportunities for learners of all ages through shipboard and land based educational experiences.” ***Appledore IV* will be offering a 3-hour sailing experience into the Bay of Green Bay inclusive of Tiletown Beer and Captain’s Walk Wine.**

PMI Entertainment Group and Nicolet National Bank are again collaborating to produce a major Tall Ships® festival in Wisconsin. The event will start with the festival in **Green Bay July 26-28**, followed by a sail through **Sturgeon Bay July 29** and sail past **Algoma on July 30**.

The Green Bay event will have nine historic vessels and the World’s Largest Rubber Duck presented by Miron Construction! The festival will feature a wide variety of food and beverage vendors, Maritime Marketplace, Dunkin’ Kids Zone, live musical entertainment on the Tundraland Entertainment Stage, the George F. Kress Foundation Education Stage, fireworks Friday night and the North Coast Marine Manufacturing Alliance Ship Yard.