**Onekama Marine, Inc. Celebrates Its 60th Year in Business**

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Onekama Marine, Inc. announced its 60th anniversary as a family owned and operated, full-service marine business. What began as a dream for Walter and James Mrozinski in 1963 has since become a thriving family business. Now in the third generation of ownership, Onekama Marine had humble beginnings. Founded on the vision of creating a boater’s paradise on Portage Lake and Lake Michigan, the Mrozinski family was able to build a thriving business from the ground up.

“When my grandpa and my dad started the business, only a small mechanical building and a dock existed on the property.” Matt Mrozinski, company President, shared. Through hard work and a focus on service the Mrozinski family turned Onekama Marine into the multifaceted company it is today. With a strong northern Michigan presence, Onekama Marine offers comprehensive sales and service experience. Their current Michigan facilities include marinas located in Onekama and Manistee and a sales facility Lake Michigan Yacht Sales, located in Bay Harbor.

Since its inception in 1963, Onekama Marine has built a reputation of providing quality products and service to northern Michigan boaters. What makes this company stand out is its dedication to taking care of their customers. “We want to offer everyone a seamless experience from the first day they dream of becoming a boater and beyond. We hope to build relationships that last as our customers become seasoned and fall in love with boating.” Mrozinski expressed. By offering everything from Riviera and Belize Yachts, Four Winns, Wellcraft Offshore Boats, Tahoe Pontoons to an inventory of used boats, they’ve been able to accomplish that.

Strong relationships are their focus. Recently, Onekama Marine was honored with the Riviera Yachts International Service Excellence award for 2022, a testimony to the time invested in boaters all over the United States. As one boater shared, “The customer service at Onekama Marine is unsurpassed. Everyone is very professional at all times, and customer focused. There is no better ambassador for your business than Ted (Bromley, General Manager). He is the epitome of reliability, efficiency and a pleasure to work with! I look forward to talking to him and totally trust his judgement. Could not recommend a better marina!”

At Onekama Marine everyone is treated like family including their staff. The people that work in Onekama and Bay Harbor are the heart of the business and are the reason this family business thrives. “The staff has been here for years, some for nearly 40. We know each other so well that we’ve learned how to get along and work well together.” Shared General Manager Ted Bromley. “I think they stay on because their jobs are diverse, and every day is different. They go above the call of duty and want what’s best for the marina and everyone here.” The longevity and dedication of the staff are a testament to the quality of the atmosphere at Onekama Marine.

There’s no question that this company has evolved into an asset in northern Michigan. They’ve become a company that can hand you the keys to your boat in the spring, meet your summer boating needs and store your boat for the whole winter. The original vision that the founders had 60 years ago to create a boater’s paradise is a reality and will only get better from here. From their marina in Onekama to their branch office in Bay Harbor, they are proud to be one of the oldest marine facilities on the Great Lakes.