Chetco Digital Instruments to host new ConnectWorld Pavilion at fall IBEX 2013 featuring live Marine Networking Technology demonstrations and seminars.

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Chetco Digital Instruments and the producers of the International Boatbuilders Exhibition (IBEX) will co-sponsor a new Marine Networking Technology Pavilion (#891) to be held September 17-19, 2013 at the Kentucky Exposition Center in Louisville. The expanded pavilion within the IBEX show will feature marine products from a variety of vendors, all interconnected using standardized networking technologies including NMEA 2000, Ethernet, WiFi, and Cellular Hotspots. Chetco's SeaSmart.net Marine Network Gateways will be featured as they bridge all vendor's networks to internet based cloud servers and provide real-time display on attendees tablets, iPads, Androids, and Smart Phones throughout the show floor.

IBEX Show Director Anne Dunbar wanted a new and improved experience for attendees compared to previous shows "single network" pavilion. With the help of Chetco Digital Instruments and marine equipment distributor GEMECO of Lake City SC, "we were able to create an expanded Live demonstration area utilizing all available networking technologies" she commented.

The Live Network Technology demonstration booth will be supported by vendor equipment ranging from commercial chart plotters, outboard engines, fluid tank sensors, battery monitors, instrument display heads and much more, all sharing data via multiple NMEA 2000 segments. SeaSmart.net gateways will join the segments together using off-the-self Ethernet routers and then connect to the using WiFi hotspots. Chetco Digital's internet Cloud Servers will then provide global access to all the pavilion data on any browser enable device. "we felt the new ConnectWorld pavilion would be a perfect show case for our SeaSmart.net gateway products and PushSmart™ network technology" said Joe Burke CTO of Chetco Digital Instruments. "Where else could you see all this in one place" he added.

In addition to the continuous live demonstrations during show hours, three separate seminars will be presented on each day of the event.

- 11:00 AM – Getting Analog Engines and fluid Tanks on the bus – will show how to convert older analog sensors to NMEA 2000 for display on modern Chart Plotters.
- 1:00 PM – Wired and Wireless vessel networks – What to install and How – discusses various vessel network options and what to consider during installation
- 3:00 PM – Cloud Data Services – Global Remote Vessel Monitoring – features an overview on how to monitor vessel data from any browser enabled device

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