## <u>Hard Water Meet – Drivemaster Marine – Feb 1, 2020</u>

**Report & Photos: Sandy Kennedy** 

More than 40 enthusiastic MLAOC Members and their guests showed up Feb 1st at Drivemaster Marine in Pickering for our first Swap Meet of 2020.

Plenty of good collectible outboards for sale. Lots of bits & pieces in the Flea Market. Enough to put a smile on everyone's face. A great opportunity for Members to reconnect on a personal basis and a great venue for new members to mix and meet, with those who have been around for a while.

The motor generating the most conversation was Jeff Stevenson's Evinrude "H" fantasy racing motor. Jeff had made a custom short shaft for this 40's something Evinrude Zephyr. The paint, plating & polish was immaculate. A real eye popping Gem. Jeff had even made a custom display stand for the motor. Everyone enjoyed seeing this one.

The day was rounded out with a Pizza lunch. What could be better on a Brisk February day.

This was the third consecutive year that the folks at Drivemaster Marine have hosted our Hard Water Swap Meet. Thank you very much to Drivemaster. Your hospitality is much appreciated by all of us in the MLAOC.



Murray Parnell & John Gullick. Sniffing old gas will do that to you!



Matt Lockett with Jeff Stevenson's fantasy Evinrude "want to be racer".



Ernie Stocks inspects a 1950's Evinrude Fleetwin that was offered for sale.



Roy Cameron with New Member Greg St. Amand



Vic Priestly & Chris Sterrett with a Red Top Mercury.



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Ken Smith & Don Mason.
Old gas cans just seem to make people smile.

Rob & Gary Thoms. If only this Life Ring was from the Titanic or the S.S. Minnow!



L-R:
Dave Teasdale,
Dana Torch &
Matt Lockett.
"We found 1 side of
the packing crate...
now if we could just
find the motor".







MLAOC Members gathered together at Drivemaster Marine, Pickering