



CHRIS-CRAFT STINGERS

Welcome to the January, 2013 Newsletter!

Welcome to the January, 2013 edition of the chriscraftstingers.com newsletter.

The end of the year is typically sees the lowest number of visitors to the site. Because of this, I took the time to update the forums on the website. The forum software used on the website is called SMF and was created by Simple Machines Forum (www.simplemachines.org). SMF had released a major update of their forum software a while back which included more features and a cleaner look. But I hadn't had the opportunity until now to update the forums. If you haven't seen the forums in a while, have a look - I think you will like it.

The registry now has 541 boats. Of note is a 1988 311 added to the registry that is currently located in the Cayman Islands - the first Stinger I know of in the Cayman Islands. The boat looks to have been used in a commercial sport fishing business. Pictures of the boat can be seen on the galleries page of the website.

I'm looking forward to the new year. One of the major goals for the website for 2013 is to fill in more of the history of the Stingers. I've been lucky enough to talk to ex-Chris-Craft employees about the company during the 1980s, and will be talking to more during this next year. The history of the Stingers, and Chris-Craft, is a fascinating one, and I hope to share it with you.

Until next month,
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1983 Marine Trades Exhibit 415s.

In researching the history of the Stingers, I've been looking for any documents regarding Chris-Craft in the 1980s. These documents are not easy to come by - most of what's been written and preserved about Chris-Craft relate to their pre-1960s history. But, this December, I was lucky enough to get my hands on a copy of a media kit from Chris-Craft that was released in 1983. This media kit was produced for distribution at the National Marine Manufacturers Association International Marine Trades Exhibit hosted at Chicago's McCormick Place in September, 1983.

1983 was an exciting year for Chris-Craft. In 1981, Dick Genth and Dale Murray had purchased the boat-building business from Chris-Craft Industries. The new company was called Murray Industries. At the time of the purchase, the boat-building business of Chris-Craft had generated \$26M in sales. The following year, sales had reached \$95M. By the time of the Marine Trades Exhibit, Murray Industries' Chris-Craft division was at a high point in terms of sales.

The media kit from the Marine Trades Exhibit reflects the excitement of the company. The first document in the media kit details Chris-Craft's purchase of Uniflite in Bellingham, WA for \$6.4M. The stated reason for purchasing Uniflite was to increase Chris-Craft's product line in the 46'-66' convertibles and cruisers space. The Uniflite production facility in Bellingham eventually built some of the Stinger

In a document from the media kit titled "Chris-Craft Dealing from a Position of Strength", Chris-Craft details its expansion of the Bradenton, FL plant. Chris-Craft spent \$500,000 to add 20,000 sq ft to the plant and hired 50-100 new employees at the time. The Bradenton plant would go on to build the majority of Stingers that were produced by Chris-Craft.

Another document in the media kit was titled "Chris-Craft Competitive in High-Performance and Ski Boats". Chris-Craft brought 18 models to the exhibit - the largest showcase in the exhibit. Two of these boats were Stingers - a 390 X and a 312 SL (imagine seeing a new 390 X in the exhibition hall!). This media kit document describes how the 390 X had won Powerboat Magazine's award two years in a row as the best designed offshore boat. More importantly, however, the document also describes how Chris-Craft was getting serious about high-performance boating. Specifically, it states that Chris-Craft was the first to write a \$25,000 check required to enter Powerboat Magazine's Golden Gate to Spruce Goose Chase - a race that was won by a Stinger 312 Competition Series boat.

The media kit is also interesting for what it does not include. Readers of this newsletter will recall that some of the 1984 390 Xs mysteriously have hull numbers that start with CCT. CCT is the code for Chris-Craft's Gallipolis, OH plant - a plant that was closed in the 1970s. The media kit includes a document that lists all of the Chris-Craft plants as of

September, 1983. The plants listed include those in Bradenton, FL, Holland, MI, and Goshen, IN. But there are no plants listed for Ohio. So the mystery of why a small number of 390 Xs have hull numbers that begin with CCT continues.

The media kit was an interesting find and has given me a unique insight into the Chris-Craft corporation in 1983. I hope to find more such documents in the future.

Stingers for Sale

Below is a list of Stingers that have come up for sale during the previous month. The information for each boat in this section accompanied the owner's original advertisement. If you are interested in one of the boats for sale, and need more information, please contact me at ccstinger@gmail.com.



Model: 1984 312
Location: White Lake, MI
Asking Price: \$14,999

UNIQUE AND AN EYE CATCHING 32-foot CHRIS CRAFT Stinger! Beige in color with red and black beauty stripes. Motors clean with excellent maintenance. Dual 454 Mercruisers (370 HP w 960 hours). Exterior Vinyl mint. The original cranberry interior is in excellent condition and sleeps 4 in cabin; not smokers and no animals. Camper canvas added to extend the Michigan boating season. Portapotty included. Handles well in the big water and ready for another trip! Fresh water boat. Road worthy trailer included.



Model: 1982 312
Location: Colfax (Sacramento), CA
Asking Price: \$25,000

Selling my 35 foot Go Fast Boat 1982 Chris Craft Stinger 312 SL. TWIN Engines! Reliable, low hour (under 140 hrs) fuel Injected Mercruiser 502 engines (about 500 hp each). Well cared for and in incredible condition New Interior, just re-done in blue and white with Eddie Marine Billet Aluminum Seat Bolsters! I have moved and don't have the desire to store it and with new twin boys, we not use it much. Its time for someone else to enjoy her. 3 sets of props (mirage 25p and 27p, 25p cleavers) Triple axle trailer, just serviced. Just under 80 mph on GPS. \$25,000 Serious only and absolutely NO SOLICITORS!



Model: 1983 312
Location: Loretto, MN
Asking Price: \$9,000

Boat is apart. Twin 330 Horse Mercruiser 454's Velvet drive transmissions and TRS outdrives. On a steel galvanized trailer. Boat is white and blue and would need a complete interior. I have the old interior but needs to be redone. One of the 454's is freshly rebuilt. Stainless steel props. This would be a great performance boat when done. I just don't have the time to do it.



Model: 1984 260
Location: Miramichi, New Brunswick, Canada
Asking Price: \$12,000

28 foot stinger, completely redone from top to bottom! 454 with approx 550 horsepower, custom candy red paint job, thru hull exhaust, fresh engine and drive unit! price is firm!!!



Model: 1984 390
Location: Wheeling, WV
Asking Price: \$25,000

1984 Chris Craft 390X, Boat is in decent shape. comes with yard trailer. Twin 400 HP 454s with TRS Drives. New electronic ignition conversions. Engines run excellent, and have always been well maintained. Exterior is in nice shape, as are the drives.. Interior needs some minor refinishing due to sun faded vinyl, and leaking bow rail mounting holes.



Model: 1984 390
Location: Stuart, FL
Asking Price: \$44,000

One of the finest 390s in existence, particularly in the rare beige/brown/yellow/orange color scheme. All original engines and out-drives; right down to the clever props! Also original hardware, color, stereo, refrigerator, gauges and graphics. Still tops out at 60mph with light load. Engines recently rebuilt.



Model: 1984 390
Location: Duluth, MN
Asking Price: \$26,900

1984 Chris Craft 390 Stinger Boat for sale. Length overall with swim platform is 42'. Has two 454's with new velvet transmission, TRS drives, all new bearings and seals and Kieffer trim tabs. On triple axle Eagle trailer. Turn-key Miami Vice cruiser!



Model: 1985 260
Location: Lusby, MD
Asking Price: \$65,000

Too much to list - Complete Restoration, New Twin Merc 383 stroker packages with Bravo out-drives (all New, still under warranty(3yr warranty) and avail extended warranty. Complete drive-train put in last year. has trailer and kept on a boat lift, "all" work professionally done by Marina/certified mechanic. Not a handyman special. Have all receipts and documentation top to bottom. Comes with Slip fees paid for the rest of the year, full use and on remote controlled lift. ***Gauge cluster is the only thing on the boat that has not been upgraded, updated or replaced yet on entire boat*** Call for details Job Change, Moving to PA



Model: 1985 260
Location: Miami, FL
Asking Price: \$2,995

The legendary CHRIS CRAFT - 1985 STINGER - 26 ft. from the Miami Vice era, Best built boat in U.S. history with over 100 years of boat building. Certify Marine tech. private project boat, ready for re-power, have two Alpha Out-drives, all controls and gages, hull in fantastic condition, for sale with a aluminum trailer CASH If you need details , go to www.chriscraftstingers.com



Model: 1985 260
Location: McGregor, MI
Asking Price: \$11,300

26' 1985 Chris Craft Stinger for sale. 2 260HP motors. Comes with trailer. This boat is in good condition with newer upholstery. The exterior color is red/white and the cuddy is gray. There is a newer stereo system, small sink with storage area and porta potti below, a bimini top and cockpit cover. I can email extra photos if needed.



Model: 1985 260
Location: Denton, TX
Asking Price: \$16,500

1985 Chris Craft Stinger 260, Twin 350(260hp) Chevy's, Merc Out-drives, 26ft plus swim platform, Great Stereo (12speakers, amp), GPS/Fish 6inch color, Road Runner trailer w/disc brakes. Trim Tabs, Clever Stainless Steel Props. Good clean Fun Boat. I have owned it for 12 years, I bought a larger boat so here she is, Your chance to own a classic Chris Craft! Will Trade For Tractor (55hp 4x4 w/loader) or only \$16500



Model: 1986 222
Location: Point Edward, ON, Canada
Asking Price: \$15,500

immaculate, stored inside and as original as possible 22' Chris craft Stinger 222 center console powerboat. 30 hours on rebuilt small block merc engine done by Rudy Held performance, 10.1 flat top pistons, aluminum heads and intake, 750cfm holley, MSD ignition system, marine cam with 272 duration, roller rockers, chrome dress up kit. rebuilt out-drive with 19" Stainless prop (spare included), runs out at 58mph. Length 22'2". Beam 94". Power hatch with mirrored panels in engine compartment. seats 3 up front and 2 at rear. Has new custom made 65gal fuel tank. excellent on gas and a "must see eye catcher". Custom tandem axle matching trailer, led lites. SERIOUS INQUIRIES ONLY.



Model: 1987 222
Location: Dearborn, MO
Asking Price: \$13,500

Classic 1987 Chris Craft Stinger 222 with a 454/400Hp. This is a Mini Offshore Racing Style Boat With cuddy cabin and Tilt Center Steering Wheel With Clear Title. It has a complete tune-up, new starter, new coil, new marine battery, new thermostat, new impeller, New Blower, oil changes, new stereo, trailer with new tires/rear tail lights, sundeck upholstery and enough new upholstery to redo it again. It also comes with 4 skivests, 4 Docking buoys, 2 anchors and is primed and ready to go on the lake. I am asking 13,500.00 but I Am Willing To negotiate or Make Possible Trade For Great Condition Low Miles Chevy Conversion van or Handyman Special Home In Decent Neighborhood. Serious inquiries only please.



Model: 1987 222
Location: Key West, FL
Asking Price: \$8,500

FRESH WATER COOLED GM 350CI --EFI (GM TBI) --ESI DISTRIBUTOR
 --ALUMN IMCO POWER FLO MANIFOLDS --SS RISERS - THRU HULL SS TIPS --KILL SWITCH --DUAL BATT - BILLET BOX HOLDERS NEWLY UPHOLSTERED (2009) ELECTRIC HATCH CUSION & REAR SEATS --FERRARI RED & WHITE-- --MARINE STAR BOARD ENG. COMPART. --TRANSOM MOUNTED SKI TOW POST --DOCKING LIGHTS --REMOVABLE SKY LIGHT CUDDY HATCH --FULL COVER & TRAVEL TONNEAU --COAST GUARD EQUIPPED OMC KING COBRA -- SS PROP -----SKEG, PROTECTED----- ALUMN MAGIC LOADER DUAL AXLE TRL.



Model: 1987 222
Location: Elk Grove Village, IL
Asking Price: \$7,200

*REDUCED THOUSANDS*22ft.Chris Craft Stinger222 (Baja Style) 70mph+ Full tank of gas-TURN KEY READY- buy today and BOAT TODAY! This well maintained Chris Craft 222 Stinger 22Ft. race boat runs FAST and LOUD!!* Third Owner *New Mercury Roller Motor in 1999 (from Mercury Racing) with 420hp (it is not a rebuilt motor or after market build) Approx. 200 hours. \$10,000 in parts and labor since 2006: (all receipts available) (67 hrs since work done) *New Eddie Marine Thunder Exhaust in 2007 *Alpha SS Drive with heavy duty parts in 2006 (this is not a standard alpha) *Thunderbolt 4 Ignition in 2007 *Mirage 3 blade stainless steel prop *additional work done includes: bellows, u-joint, gimbal bearing, belts, hoses, impeller, fuel pump, cap, rotor, spark plugs and wires, coil, radiator for power steering, battery, replaced wood under cushions on sun deck. Description: This deep v-hull is a smaller version of Chris Craft's 28ft. offshore racing boat *Bolster seating- Center helm



(steering) with split shifter. VDO Gauges, docking lights *Bennett trim tabs. Race fairing. Motorized engine hatch. Automatic and manual bilge pump. All cabin, navigation and warning lights work. *Seats 5 adults, (Sleeps 2 adults in cabin- not common on a 22ft boat) *No rips, stains, or tears inside or out on vinyl, snap in carpet (No pets, No smoking) *Kenwood CD player. 400watt ADS amp 12 inch subs *Halon automatic fire system and additional fire extinguisher. life vests, flare, and type IV (Makes you Coastguard Approved). *Matching Oklahoma two axle trailer, custom wheels, surge braking system, new lights, newer tires. *Cockpit and Mooring Cover. Bumpers, anchor, bow and stern ropes, cooler, noodles, swim ways lounge **** THIS BOAT COMES WITH EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO ENJOY BEING ON THE WATER ****REduced THOUSANDS** make reasonable offer.



Model: 1987 260
Location: Apollo Beach, FL
Asking Price: \$14,999

This is a very clean 1987 Chris Craft Stinger 260 on a 1995 Performance Trailer. This boat has been maintained with an open checkbook and it shows. The 350's have approx. only 40 hours on them, high rise Edelbrock intakes that are near new. This boat cruises at 3000 rpms or 35-38 mph with a top end of near 70 mph. It has a CD player, bolster seats, huge sundeck, refrigerator, swim platform with ladder, 2 stainless steel props. This one is ready for the water. It does come with a custom cover, however, it is age delicate and could be replaced. Really nice boat - Must see to appreciate it!



Model: 1987 312 Fittipaldi
Location: Dodge Center, MN
Asking Price: \$17,000

A great go fast boat that will impress everyone when flying by. Red in color with white and red accents interior that are stunning for the 30 yr old vessel. Grey interior for the aft cabin w/toilet, sink and older radio with room to spare. Radar arch with Lowrance depth finder for finding fish or that shoal. Twin 454 Chevrolet engines and out-drives that will push the boat to speeds of 60 and more. Triple axle aluminum trailer included that is very easy to pull and maneuver.



Model: 1987 390
Location: Hilton Head Island, SC
Asking Price: \$89,500

1987 Chris Craft Stinger 42ft. Mercruiser twin 496 engines, Myco trailer, deck awning, head, 3 batteries and fiberglass hull. We purchased the boat as a hull then totally restored it about 10 years ago. About 6 years ago we installed two new 496 magnum merc cruiser engines with currently about 200 miles. We rewired the entire boat about 3 years ago. This season we replaced the manifolds So the boat has been maintained and is in good working order I would characterize the finishes of the boat as "worn around the edges" but as hinges and snaps corrode we replace them The boat has a working head & shower Galley/ microwave/ref/sink TV stereo/cd/sat system/ ipod dock deck compass GPS



Model: 1988 260
Location: Covington, LA
Asking Price: \$10,500

88 Chris Craft Stinger with 2- 330hpr 350 V8's We have redone all the exterior upholstery and 90% of the interior. New stereo and VHS Port engine has 50 hrs stbd has 300 hrs Remaining issues Stbd engine has a leaking exhaust manifold that needs to be addressed. I am connecting the stereo and VHS before it sells. I have also been reinforcing the swim deck. This boat is well worth the money and leaves plenty of room to make money on this boat if that is your choice. I have all documentation from new and from the original owner. Worth the time to look and see if it's your ticket to the Prop Stop.



Model: 1988 311
Location: Foley, AL
Asking Price: \$5,000

1988 CHRIS CRAFT STINGER 311. NO MOTORS. HAD A PAIR OF YAMAHA 250 HPDI's on it . They pushed it 58 MPH on gps. It would cruise a 40MPH all day long while getting 2 mpg Better between 30mph and 40 mph. Love the boat need something smaller. Therefore i am really looking to trade for a Paramount 21 . Or a reaction, or anything "splashed " from the Paramount 21 superfisherman. Overall the boats in good shape for almost 25 years old. Needs Upholstery, And a few other small things. No major damage or issues. Yes the trailer is included. Nothing to write home about. I only drive about 5 miles to the ramp, so for me it serves its purpose. Pictures were taken 09/03/12 Thanks for Looking.



Model: 1988 311
Location: Seminole, FL
Asking Price: \$9,999

1988 CHRIS-CRAFT 311 STINGER, THIS BOAT IS A STEAL AT THIS PRICE!!ITS POWERED BY TWIN 225 MERC'S 1997 MOTORS...ONE RUNS LIKE A TOP THE OTHER HAS A MIS TO IT..RUNS A LITTLE RUFF..1988 Chris Craft - Center Console - Twin 225 Outboard Merc's (1997 Motors) - Live wells- Arch Canopy w/ Black T-top - Triple Axle Trailer - Red Anodized Steering Wheel & instrument controls. Inside cabin is carpeted. Boat is in very good condition and has custom cover for boat. MAKE ME A REASONABLE OFFER WE WILL SHIP ANY WHERE IN THE WORLD CALL FOR A QUOTE!



Model: 1988 311
Location: South Shore, MA
Asking Price: \$20,000

1988 31 1/2' Chris Craft Stinger Center Console Performance Fisherman 2X Merc 200 HP engines, 1997; engines have less than 500 hours since new; always professionally maintained Stainless props Cuddy cabin with head and 7' V berth huge fish box, large live well white gel coat is absolutely mint, blue stripes have scratches Newer VHF, Brand new CD Stereo w 4 spkrs Brand new fish finder and redundant depth sounder 164 gal. fuel tank Full mooring cockpit cover Upholstered cockpit has some new cushions Anchor, rode, fenders, dock lines Tri axle aluminum Float on trailer with BRAND NEW galvium HUGES cockpit affords lots of room for fishing or family Boat is fast and a real head-turner and has always been maintained to the highest standard selling as I am looking at moving up \$20,000 or may trade for a Wellcraft St. Tropez or Trojan 10M



Model: 1988 312
Location: Pueblo, CO
Asking Price: \$21,500

33ft Chris Craft Stinger 312 1988 Twin Ford 460 7.5L V8 engines, only 360 hours on both, runs like a striped ape. 65mph on Pueblo Reservoir Great condition, everything works great, has freshwater sink, icebox, couch and table that turns into a bed with another bed up front. Sleeps 3 people 4000 Watt stereo with 15 speakers Meticulously maintained its whole life. Willing to trade for a Cabin Cruiser or House Boat. Can add cash to deal if your trade is worth more



Model: 1988 313
Location: Tarpon Springs, FL
Asking Price: \$39,999

1988 Chris-Craft 31.6 Stinger, By far the best Chris Craft Stinger you will ever find! I bought the boat 7 years ago and completely re-did the boat top to bottom, front to back. Everything works on the boat and runs like new. I live in Texas and only use the boat 4 days a year. Boat has Garmin 320C color GPS with SWFL blue chip and a Garmin 182C color fish finder. 6 disk CD stereo. Both T/225 Suzuki EFI engines were rebuilt with the outdrives being replaced with new out-drives and stainless steel Rapture counter rotating props. This boat is fast and beautiful and ready to fish or ride. The boat is professionally cared for by The Landing at Tarpon Springs. Has a custom canvas top covering the whole boat and comes with an all aluminum tri-axle trailer with new tires and wheels, brakes and lights. This boat is a must see if you want a classic, well built Chris Craft fishing boat. \$39999.



Model: 1988 313
Location: Houma, LA
Asking Price: \$21,000

1988 CHRIS CRAFT STINGER 313. TOTAL REFURBISHED IN 2010. NEW AWL GRIP PAINT, RAYMARINE (RADAR, CHART PLOTTER, GPS, DEEP SOUNDER/FISH FINDER & AUTO POLIT. MARINE RADIO, RICHIE COMPASS, SONY STEARO W/ 400 WATT AMP. 4 UNDERWATER LIGHTS THUR HULL, DOCKING LIGHTS & SPREADER LIGHTS TWIN 2 STROKE 1990 MODELS VX 76 DEGREE 250 HP W/ ALL EVEN COMPRESSION, 450 HRS. YAHAMA FUEL MANAGEMENT GAUGE. 180 GAL. FUEL TANK. 2 LIVE WELL BAIT TANKS, 3 LARGE ICE CREST WELLS. WASH DOWN STATION. AUTOMATIC TRIM TABS. CABIN SLEEP 2 FORWARD ANCHOR WELL ALWAYS WAREHOUSED Magic Tile Alum. triple axle trailer w brakes & all new wheels & tires. VISIT WEB SITE www.chriscraftstinger.com (Oh! Baby) 1988 313 for history.



Model: 1988 375
Location: Osage Beach, MO
Asking Price: \$37,500

Pump out head, frig, hot water heater, shower, shore power, cockpit cover, full cover, new isinglass, bimini top, sink in galley & bathroom. 1995 Fast Load triple axle trailer with EOH brakes & spare. Cruise speed is 50. 24 pitch Bravo I props. Boat produced in Bellingham, WA February 1988. Dyno sheets available. Make all offers - delivery available.



Model: 1988 375
Location: Grand Rapids, MI
Asking Price:

This boat is in excellent condition! Very clean and turn key!! Need sold!



Model: 1986 260
Location: San Antonio, TX
Asking Price: \$8,500

1986 CHRIS CRAFT 280 STINGER *** MUST SEE THIS BOAT**** TWIN 5.7L 350 MERCUISER ENGINES. TOO MANY THING TO LIST. SUPER GREAT DEAL AT \$8500 OBO



Model: 1988? 311
Location: South Windsor, CT
Asking Price: \$7,800

1985 Chris Craft 31 Stinger / No MOTORS / Outboard Set up w/ Cuddy Cabin Fresh Paint / Good Interior \$ 4500 for boat only OR \$ 7800 with Trailer 2011 Venture 2 Axle Alum Trailer w/ Paperwork No Trades



Model: 1985 260
Location: Brick, NJ
Asking Price: \$13,000

i have 1985 chris craft stinger limited. With brand new twin stroker 383 450 hp each combined boat makes 900 hp marine engines with fresh water flush with salt away wash out alpha 1 out drives just totally redone to handle the extra horse power of the stroker motors and it has gill offshore dry exhaust racing system .it also has drop down bolster seats and blue neons throughout the boat and a custom made aluminum swim plat form the boat has a ton of new parts like mercury racing trim pumps,new starters ,water pumps ,eddelbrock fuel pumps, new hoses, batteries, just rebuilt out-drives ,cleaver props, impellers, tons more to much to list spend \$16,000 in the motor compartment alone the boat comes with a roller trailer with a new winch and new rollers bot was only run 3 hours with new motors on land all work done by a Mercruiser master tech boat needs back seat redone but everything else works on the boat just needs a little tlc to have an amazing boat but runs and drives great cash only in person any other offer will be deleted please don't low ball me if you know boats you will know the parts alone are worth more then I'm asking make me an offer just might take it no stupid offers please close to what I'm asking will be entertained



Model: 1985 260
Location: Trenton, MI
Asking Price: \$14,900

1985 Chris-Craft Stinger, 26', twin 5.7L engines, sport deck and sport cuddy, with trailer. \$14,900. Will consider a trade-in.



Model: 1989 385
Location: Sayre, PA
Asking Price: \$34,900

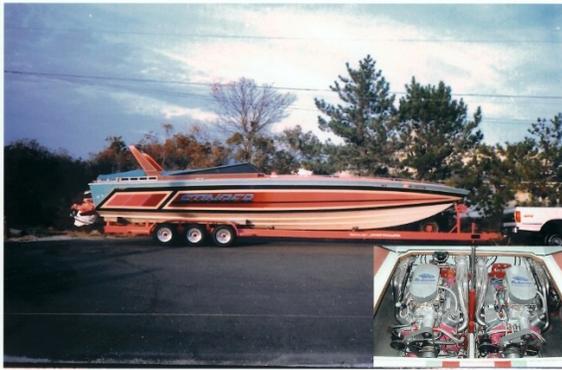
Shore Power * Battery Charger * Dock Light * High Performance Twin Tabs * Air Conditioning/ Heat * Full Enclosure * Horizon GPS * Silent Choice Exhaust * Boat, motor, and drives in very good condition * Includes 2010 Nextral tri-axle aluminum trailer with brakes on 2 axles



Model: 1983 390
Location: Trenton, NJ
Asking Price: \$39,900

This boat must be seen to be appreciated! ... this model, the STINGER - was made very popular as it was featured in the very first season of the MIAMI VICE series in the 80's Dependable and Safe - Conservative 75+ MPH TOP SPEED and 50 MPH @ 3500 RPM Cruise Boat was originally built in 1983 before Murray take over, and has NOTCHED TRANSOM. This boat is in PERFECT condition and has always been well maintained as shown in the pictures below - You will not find a nicer example!!! 10 HOURS ON TWIN BALANCED AND BLUEPRINTED 454 (.60 OVER) 620 HP BLOWN CHEVY MOTORS B&M 250 BLOWERS WITH TWIN 850 CFM NICKERSON CARBS STELLINGS STAINLESS STEEL HEADERS (ELECTRIC AND PLUMBING SET UP FOR CMI MUFFLERS WITH AIR ACTUATION) MOTOR PARTS INCLUDE: EAGLE FORGED CRANKS EAGLE FORGED CONNECTING RODS CRANE HYDRAULIC ROLLER CAM CRANE ROLLER ROCKERS JE PISTONS CANTON HIGH CAP OIL PAN BILLET ALUMINUM OVAL FLAME ARRESTOR ALUMINUM TIMING COVER ALUMINUM VALVE COVERS MERCURY THUNDERBOLT IGNITION FLUID DAMPER BALANCER





HARDWARE INCLUDES: ARP ENGINE FASTENERS SS BRAIDED FUEL LINES COMPLETELY RIGGED WITH STAINLESS STEEL FASTENERS THROUGHOUT ENTIRE BOAT Boat was repainted in 1992' with new single piece electric actuated lightweight engine hatch to facilitate easy access to engine compartment - and still has padded sun deck) ADDITIONAL UPGRADES INCLUDE: COCKPIT RE-UPHOLSTERED IN 1998 FRESH TRS DRIVES IN 2000 WITH BROVO 1 SS 4 BLADE PROPS FRESH BORG WARNER TRANSMISSIONS W/ HEAVY DUTY CLUTCH PLATES 2000 HYNAUTIC HYDRAULIC ASSISTED STEERING WITH MERCURY PRIORITY STEERING VALVE (which means boat will have power steering with either motor running) KEIKAFAER TRIM TABS NEW MERCURY HIGH PERFORMANCE KEIKAFAER POWER TRIM AND TAB PUMPS NORDSKOG SPEEDOMETER AND AUTOMETER GAUGES NEW FULL COCKPIT COVER AND FULL CANVAS WINTER COVER INCLUDED The following items are also available to the new owner: TWO TRS PARTS DRIVES - ONE SPARE TRANSMISSION - ALSO..... BEAUTIFUL MYCO TRIPLE AXLE TRAILER WITH TORSION SUSPENSION AND SS DISK BRAKES available for an additional \$9500.00!- (This trailer has been totally rebuilt and painted yellow in 2002' adding a full drive guard and top rail bridging.) Buyers are welcome to survey or inspection with appointment. The boat is kept indoors (out of the weather) in a private warehouse near Trenton NJ and is approximately 45 minutes from the Philadelphia International Airport.



Model: 1987 260
Location: Bath, ON, Canada
Asking Price: \$21,000

Boat Valued at \$18,500.00 26 foot Chris Craft Stinger Twin 350 V8 Merc's. This is near new condition, complete with all new upholstery, also new tonneau cover and winte cover Both motors have been serviced and ready to go. Looking to trade for a Jet Ski Package or Cruiser Class.Trailer is included, complete with power winch.



Model: 1986? 314
Location: Miami, FL
Asking Price: \$6,000

good boat nice beautiful boat without trailer 2 YAMAHA 250 1990 ALUMINUM BRACKET STAINLESS MARINE just bracket and motors worth what i want. possible trade for smaller boat or atv or Harley Davidson let me know what u got. same company that made Miami Vice boat



Model: 1987 202
Location: Sunrise Beach, MO
Asking Price: \$3,855

Kind of rough 1987 Chris Craft Stinger 222, drive in the middle, sportboat. Comes with a 350 SBC with ProCharger on it, also has IMCO powerflow aluminum Manifolds, still needs some assembly to finish the blower install, engine has been sitting a while and is essentially a stock 350 with 1.7 ratio rockers on it, the exhaust system and the Supercharger. Boat has a GenII alpha drive, and is on a trailer. Has rotten Stringers in engine room and needs transom work. It's pretty cool when it used to run, but I don't really see the time to get it going again. really just need to clean out projects. Blower, Engine, Drive, Transom assy, and trailer should be worth the money and with a little work could be all together for a good boat.



Model: 1986 260
Location: Laveen, AZ
Asking Price: \$3,500

Chris Craft stinger 260. Needs paint and some interior work. Both Mercruiser 260 350 Chevrolet engines run. Both Alpha One outdrives need to have the bellows replaced. Shoreland'r trailer with brand new bearings, hubs and electric brakes on all 4 wheels, new lights, decent tires with 2 matching spares. I have never had this boat in the water. I bought as a non running project a few years ago and did not finish. All that needs to be done to put it in the water is the outdrives sealed and a shift cable.



Model: 1984, 260
Location: Providence, RI
Asking Price: \$1,500

70 MPH boat, no trailer, boat only, twin raw water cooled 350's both run great, both need thermostat housing they leak a little, starboard one may need a carb rebuild. the boat as a hole needs some minor work including both lower shifter cables are junk, and the back seat upholstery is crummy. I've been debating on parting this out or repairing it, i found another project for \$1500 I'm more interested in so the price is firm or I'll deal with it in the spring. If I can sell parts for at least \$1000 you don't have to take the whole boat. \$600 each complete motor, \$250 each complete gear-case and other parts by a case by case basis.



Model: 1984 260
Location: NJ
Asking Price: \$25,000

up for sale is my 1984 Chris-Craft stinger totally redone in 2010 boat has new interior paint graphics wiring gauges steering wheel out drives and more the list goes on .this boat has never failed me always gets lots on attention from the looks of it very nice boat turn-key. It has twin merc260 with alpha drives its a 27 foot very nice boat must sell 25000 takes it must sell asap just bought new boat cant keep both must go bring cash take it home



Model: 1986? 260
Location: Savona, Italy
Asking Price:

fully functional in all its parts, to see, you accept trade-ins total and / or partial. It sells for lack berth.



Model: 1988 311
Location: Toledo, OH
Asking Price: \$4,000

1988 Chris Craft 311 Stinger Powerboat 31 ft hull length



Model: 1986 312
Location: Sandusky, OH
Asking Price: \$12,500

1986 Chris Craft Stinger Captain America..... This Rocket ship is not for the faint of heart or pregnant women... Owners has too many toys and this one must go!!!! Fresh water use only... Inside stored and hydro hoist kept always... This is a great looking and running boat. Boat had major face life in 2002 and 2003.... \$11,000 custom paint job.. New Bomar Hatches.. New running lights New exhaust tips.. New faring.. New upholstery.. Gaffrig gauges.. New steering wheel... Compass.. Depth finer.. two 454's with app 400 hours and 440 horse power... TRS drives.. Clever props 3 blade (raser) New led lights Stereo CD Player.. The boat has been professionally maintained always.... Cabin is all original and is in over all nice shape a few stains etc.. Custom canvas etc etc etc.. This is NOT my boat and I am selling it for the owner as he doesn't have the time. (No Trailer or Hydro Hoist).



Model: 1987 202
Location: Ballston Spa, NY
Asking Price: \$4,800

for sale chris-craft stinger 202. has new battery runs strong garage kept. with trailer title in hand for the boat. the trailer will need a homemade reg. trailer has new tires and rims. lights work..there is a v6 in the boat has a good speed prop. its not a race boat like i said v6 and is a great ride. come take look make offer I'm making room.



Model: 1983 312
Location: Rochester, MI
Asking Price: \$14,500

motors just freshed (over 10k in receipts) always professionally maintained sense my ownership by Dynamic Speed & Marine mechanically sound! great boat to have fun with at a very low enter level price motors were built to 470HP specs but retained the 330HP appearance she retains all her original colors & interior (it could use some freshing but, is usable as is) "Priced To Sell" make me an offer



Model: 1988 202
Location: Paoli, OK
Asking Price: \$2,500

I have a 20ft Chris craft stinger 202. It has the original v6 in it. It needs a few minor things fixed like cables and a new gas line. I do have the title. Looking to trade for z28 Camaro, 350z, or a dirt bike, crotch rocket.



Model: 1987 202
Location: Cocoa, FL
Asking Price: \$9,999

THIS IS A RARE FIND. LOOKS LIKE ITS ABOUT 2 YRS OLD IN AND OUT. FAST TOO. BRAND NEW ALUM TRAILER. COMES WITH STEREO, BIMINI TOP, SS PROP, 2 COVERS AND MORE.