

Oak Harbor Marina

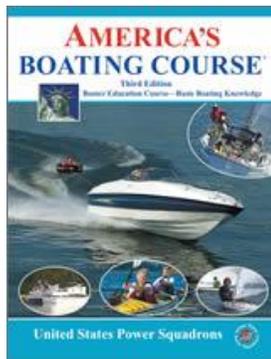
August 1, 2016

Fall 2016 Boating Education

The Deception Pass Sail & Power Squadron, in partnership with Oak Harbor Yacht Club, will be presenting two courses this fall of interest to new and experienced boaters.

Basic Boating Class

America's Boating Course, the basic boating education course, will be presented in two sessions in the upstairs ballroom of the Yacht Club. This course is intended as an introduction to boating. The first half will be held from 9AM to 3PM on Saturday, September 10th and the second half at the same times on Saturday, September 17th.



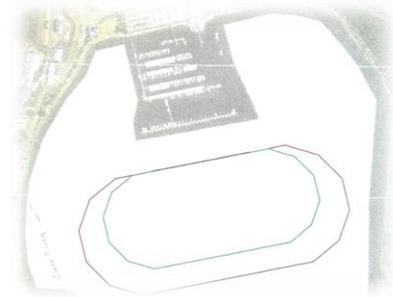
The cost of the class, payable to the Deception Pass Sail & Power Squadron, will be \$50 per student. Spouses or partners sharing a book will pay an additional \$20. Successfully passing the final examination will qualify students for the Washington State Boater's Education Card issued by Parks and Recreation.

The subject matter includes basic boat handling, safety considerations, Federal and State equipment and safety requirements and nautical rules of the road.

Contact Steppe Williford (steppen@frontier.com) for registration and reservations.

Hydroplanes

On August 13th & 14th we will be having "Hydro's for Heroes," hydroplane races out in the bay.



Approximate Race Course Layout

The race course will block access to both marina entrances. If you plan on taking your boat out please be prepared to wait to exit or enter the marina until there is a break in the racing. The USCG Auxiliary and Island County Sheriff's will be helping to control the marina and channel and will tell you when it is safe to proceed.

Reservations for F dock are now being taken. The cost is \$2.00 per foot, per night and you will receive 8 wristbands to share with family and friends.

The patios on F dock are open to the public and are available on a "first come, first served" basis. Marina staff will be monitoring the number of people on F dock and if necessary will be limiting access to it.

The streets around the marina will be open and access to the marina will be unimpeded. The launch ramp will be closed from about 9:00am – 7:00pm on August 13th & 14th.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

Marine Electrical Systems Class

This course will be offered on Thursday nights beginning on September 15th and running to November 10th. The class will be conducted from 6PM to 8PM each night at the First United Methodist Church, 1050 SE Ireland St, Oak Harbor.

This course is presented in seven chapters that start with an explanation of what electricity is, followed by discussions on boat electrical wiring, DC and AC electrical systems, galvanic and stray current corrosion, lightning protection, and ends with troubleshooting of boat electrical problems. Cost of the class to non-members of the Power Squadron will be \$60 and an additional \$30 for spouses or partners sharing material.

If you are interested in attending this class please contact Steppe Williford (Squadron Educational Officer) and sign up not later than August 31. Email Steppe at steppen@frontier.com.

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" Sailors, with their built in sense of order, service and discipline, should really be running the world."

- Nicholas Monsarrat

Reserved Parking Spot

The winner of this month's parking space drawing is Bryan Shirley. Mr. Shirley will get the use of the parking spot until August 31st. If you would like to enter the drawing please come by the office and fill out a registration slip. The names of people not drawn will be put back into the drawing box for next month.

Quiz

The operator of a vessel involved in a boating accident or the owner of the vessel reporting for the operator must complete and submit a written boating accident report if:

1. A person dies or disappears from the vessel under circumstances that indicate death or injury.
2. A person is injured and requires medical treatment beyond first aid.
3. Damage to the vessel(s) or other property exceeds \$2,000 or there is complete loss of a vessel.
4. All of the above

The answer to last month's quiz, Your vessel has been damaged and is taking on water. You do not require immediate assistance. You broadcast your situation on radiotelephone beginning with ____.:? is 2. Pan-Pan, Pan-Pan, Pan-Pan

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

August 1st: Marina Advisory Committee Meeting - Cancelled.

August 13th: North Whidbey Car Show @ Windjammer Park

August 13th & 14th: Hydroplanes for Heroes @ Oak Harbor Bay

August 14th – Oak Harbor Pig Fest

September 2nd, 3rd & 4th: Oak Harbor Music Festival @ Pioneer Way

September 12th: Marina Advisory Committee Meeting 7:00pm @ City Hall