Enjoy Boating More

It's about expanding your boating horizons through learning, making friends and memories that last a lifetime, bettering your community and being the most confident boater you can be.



- Learn boating skills on-the-water, online, and in the classroom with certified and experienced instructors.
- Engage with other boaters in your area for fun, learning, raft-ups, cruises, picnics, and onshore events.
- Connect with the boating community and participate in events to improve the boating experience for yourself and other boaters.







Contact A Club Near You

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enjoyable for over 100 years

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Welcome to the Neighborhood

America's Boating Club-United States Power Squadrons® is the world's largest recreational boating organization with 30,000 members. We learn together, boat together, and help each other and other boaters on the water and on land.

When you join America's Boating Club, built for boaters, by boaters, you're increasing your enjoyment on the water, being with friends, and giving back to your community. Whether you're passionate about cruising, racing, water sports, fishing, volunteering or learning from experienced boaters, we have the resources you need to engage your passions and, perhaps, instill some new and lasting ones.





The only requirements for membership are a keen interest in boating and an eagerness to meet and enjoy time with other boating enthusiasts.

You don't need a boat to join the fun.

An Educated Boater Is A Better Boater

Better boaters feel more confident on the water, at the helm, and in the company of other boaters. They're boaters who boat more, boat more safely, and have more fun.

Our classroom, online, and hands-on training programs help you develop the knowledge and skills you need to take your boating abilities to the next level, whether you enjoy powerboating, sailing, or paddling on fresh or salt water. Our certified instructors have a passion for teaching, strong technical knowledge, and real-world experience that will help you, your family, and friends get on the water and into fun, safer and faster.

We offer a wide range of courses, seminars, and webinars to help you be the best boater you can be.

- Basic boating skills
- · Boat handling
- · Rules of the road
- Inland, coastal, and offshore navigation, using marine electronics and traditional methods
- Electronics, including marine radios, GPS and chartplotters, AIS, radar, and more
- Boat systems, including engines, electrical systems, and fuel systems
- Trailering your boat
- · Cruise and trip planning
- · Weather and the marine environment
- And much, much more.

Need help? Let us know. We can help you decide where to start.



Club Activities

- Cruises, rendezvous, and raft-ups
- Continuing boating education
- Free vessel safety checks
- Become a vessel safety examiner
- Dinner meetings, speakers, picnics, parties, and more
- Sea Scout sponsorships
- Supporting the local boating community

