

CURRENT COURSE EDITIONS

As of 11 May 2012

COURSES	SM		IM	
	YEAR	UPDATES	YEAR	UPDATES
BOATING COURSE				
America's Boating Course 3rd Edition	2012		2012	
ADVANCED COURSES	YEAR	UPDATES	YEAR	UPDATES
Seamanship	2009	See Seamanship Web Page	2009	
Piloting w/ <i>Weekend Navigator</i>	2011		2008	
Advanced Piloting w/ <i>Weekend Navigator</i>	2011		2011	
Junior Navigation	2007, Rev'd 2012		2007	
Navigation	2009		2009	
ELECTIVE COURSES	YEAR	UPDATES	YEAR	UPDATES
Cruise Planning	2003	Update 01, 14 August 2004	2003	
Engine Maintenance	2011		2011	
Instructor Development	2005		2005	
Marine Electrical Systems	2008 Rev 1		2008 Rev 1	
Marine Communication Systems	2009 2 nd Printing		2009 2 nd Printing	
Marine Electronics (ME 101, 102, 103)	2003	Update Instructions No. 1, 1 January 2004	2003	Update No. 1 and 2, 1 February 2004
Sail	2009		2009	
Weather	2008, Rev'd 2012		CD	

Note: Some course manuals (student and instructor versions) have an incorrect local telephone number for USPS Headquarters on the Acknowledgements Page. The correct local telephone number is 919-821-0281. The toll-free number is still 1-888-367-8777 (1-888-FOR-USPS).

ATTENTION: Educational course materials may be ordered only through the squadron with the order approved by the Cdr, SEO, AsstSEO, or appropriate ChLB. Prices are listed in the course catalog.

REFERENCE PUBLICATIONS

Nautical Almanac (commercial edition)

2012

SEMINARS	YEAR	SUGGESTED MINIMUM COST TO PUBLIC*
Advanced Powerboat Handling	2009	\$60.00
Anchoring	2012	\$35.00
Basic Coastal Navigation	2009	\$50.00
Basic Weather and Forecasting	2011	\$50.00
Boat Handling Under Power	2007	\$35.00
Boating on Rivers, Locks and Lakes	2010	\$35.00
Emergencies on Board	2011	\$35.00
Fuel and Boating	2011	\$35.00
How to Use a Chart	2012	\$35.00
Hurricanes and Boats	2008	\$35.00
Knots, Bends, and Hitches	2008	\$35.00
Marine RADAR	2008	\$35.00
Mariner's Compass	2009	\$35.00
Mastering the Rules of the Road	2009	\$50.00
Paddle Smart	2007	\$35.00
Partner in Command	2009	\$35.00
Practical On The Water Training	2011	\$200.00
Sail Trim	2007	\$35.00
Tides and Currents	2011	\$35.00
Trailerling	2008	\$35.00
Using GPS	2006	\$35.00
Using VHF & VHF/DSC Marine Radio	2006	\$35.00

* Note: The actual cost to the public could vary, depending on facility costs, locale, and any additional expenses. If a seminar is conducted on the water, the cost to the public could increase significantly; for example, Advanced Powerboat Handling could exceed \$200 if conducted with an on the water component.

GUIDES		YEAR	COST TO PUBLIC	
Basic Plotting		2010	\$6.95	
Boat Insurance		1997	\$6.95	
Global Maritime Distress and Safety System (GMDSS)		2006	\$16.95	
How to Fly Flags		2010	\$9.00	
Introduction to Sailing		2002	\$14.95	
Introduction to Navigational Astronomy		1998	\$6.95	
Knots, Bends and Hitches for Mariners		2006	\$14.95	
Marine Amateur Radio		2005	\$12.95	
Mariner's Compass Guide		2009	\$6.95	
Plotting and Labeling Standards		2011	\$6.95	
Predicted Log Guide (Errata 13 Jan 09)		2008	\$12.95	
Sight Reduction Methods		1997	\$16.95	
USPS Nautical Glossary		1999	\$6.95	
Water Sports		1998	\$6.95	
Current CDs			Current Overhead Masters/PowerPoint Files	
TITLE		DATE	COURSE	DATE
Basic Knots CD		2003	ABC 3rd Ed Student CD Classroom Instructor CD Coastal Explorer DVD	2010, V3.2 2008 2010
Recertification Instructor CD		2011	Seamanship (CD)	2009 - 3/5/10
			Piloting (CD)	2008 Rev 2012
			Advanced Piloting (CD)	25 Sep 2011
			Junior Navigation (CD)	2007 – 11/07
			Navigation (CD)	Vers. 02/17/09
Current Order Forms			Cruise Planning (Web)	2003
FORM	TITLE	DATE	Engine Maintenance (CD)	15 Feb 2011
SOF*	Standard Order Form*	7/11	ID (For Members) (CD, Web)	2002
	Materials Catalog*	05/12	Marine Electrical Systems	2008 Rev 1 -20 Aug 2010
ED-33*	Examination Order*	10/10	Marine Communication Systems	2009 – Version 04/11/10
HQ-9A	Return of Course Materials	10/08	Marine Electronics (CD)	2004
	VSC Supplies and Free Brochures Order Form	05/12	Sail (CD)	2009
			Weather (CD)	19 Jan 2012

* Note that the SOF, Materials Catalog, and ED-33 (for exams) paper documents have been superseded by on-line processes, available from any Educational Department web page under "Order Course Materials". Members are encouraged to use these on-line facilities in place of the paper documents whenever possible. Paper copy of either the standard ED-33 or the alternative eED-33 is REQUIRED with all sight folder submissions; no Internet submission is possible.

N/A = Not Currently Available

Web = <http://www.usps.org/national/eddept>