

Registration Form

Course Title: Class Start Date:

First Name: MI: Last Name:

Nickname: Nickname Preferred:

USPS members or former members: enter your certificate number below. If you are a non-member with a USPS University number issued in a previous class, enter that number below:

Address:

City: County:

State: Zip:

Cell Phone: Home Phone:

E-mail: Opt-out of post-class contact**:

Gender*: M F Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)* / / Under 18***: No Yes

Hair Color*: Eye Color*: Height*: ft in

* The above information is required for class credit and also for state boating certification. Please be sure it is correct.
 ** "Opt-out" A "Check" will be entered by the program for students who are under 18 years of age. Those 18 years or older wishing no contact may also enter a "Check" to opt out.
 *** "Under 18" Check No or Yes. (Parent or guardian approval required to take this course if under 18.)

Boat Type: None Outboard I/O Inboard Sail PWC Paddle

Boat Length: Less than 16' 16-25' 26-39' 40-54' 55'+

Trailer: Y N Years Boating: Boat HP:

Learned of Course: Newspaper/Magazine TV Radio Web Booth Word of Mouth Poster/Literature Social Media

Description*:

Online PIN Number**: Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

* "Description" Please give additional information about how you learned about this class, such as, the name of the News/Magazine, TV program or something other than one of the listed sources.

** "Online PIN" If you are an ABC online student needing a proctored exam, enter the number you received from USPS online.

Parent/Guardian approval signature for minor-age student: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name of Parent/Guardian: _____

Privacy Policy Notice

This document provides the disclosure statement regarding use of collected information for participation in America's Boating Club's (United States Power Squadrons' (USPS)) America's Boating Course, and post-course communications.

Student information is required: for presentation to government agencies, who in turn may issue operator certifications; for retention in USPS secure computers or use when state agencies request course completion information; and in the event replacement documentation of a course completion is required.

Information shared with state government agencies is tailored to the state's requirements for issuing recreational boating operator cards, permits or licenses. The date of birth and height, as well as hair and eye color are required to meet current positive identification requirements. Positive identification requirements may be expanded to include submission of the student's photograph.

Group photography of classroom events coincident to the course may be taken for public relations purposes and include all students. **The signature of the parent or guardian is required as approving inclusion of the minor-aged student in such photography.**

Information is collected regarding how the student found out about the course to help with the selection of the most beneficial venues for our advertising. Demographic information about the student's boat type and size is collected to help us determine the best focus for our educational material, leading to education which meets the needs of our students. These items are only for internal USPS use.

Agreement to the foregoing and the necessary approval for minor-aged students to participate in this course is granted if the parent or guardian signs this form in the space on the front of this form.

The USPS may additionally use the course completion information when promoting membership in the organization, and may share the contact information with USPS Partners who are listed on our home page, www.americasboatingclub.org. USPS promotions may include membership for minors as an "apprentice", in USPS University and/or free six-month membership offers in participating USPS squadrons. The computer program will recognize minor-aged students and automatically check the OPT-OUT box for that student. This action blocks future post-class communications by USPS and its partners. **The parent or guardian may authorize these types of communications by asking the Squadron Educational Officer or Course Administrator to remove the check in the OPT-OUT box.**