



Deltaville Yachting Center Hosts Basic Boaters' Boot Camps



Presented by the Richmond Sail and Power Squadron

The Basic Boater's Boot Camp is intended for the new boater and introduces you to the fundamental knowledge and skills to get you out on the water and cruising to your favorite destination. The Basic Course covers a range of essential subjects such as:

Classroom-1st Day

Boat Handling Under Power
Anchoring
VHF/DSC and Chart Plotters
Marine Weather and Forecasts
Charts, Buoyage System, Navigation
Rules and Piloting

On the Water Class-2nd Day

Departing the Dock or Slip
Approaching the Dock or Slip
Piloting with Charts
Anchoring
VHF/DSC Operation
Piloting with GPS/Chart Plotter

Date: April 28-29, 2018 - 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Cost: Two days of training, classroom and on the water, \$200.00 per person. Couples who attend and share training materials will pay only for one person. \$100 is required at registration and the balance due on first day of training. Include full year Family Membership in the United States Power Squadrons.

Materials included: USPS Text, Weekend Navigator, Seminar Handouts on each subject, Charts, Maptech Chart Viewer software and Chesapeake Bay NOAA raster charts and navigation tools.

To register: Email richmondboatclub@yahoo.com



Deltaville Yachting Center Hosts Advanced Boaters' Boot Camps



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The Advanced Boater's Boot Camp is Intended For the boater with some experience and provides a more in depth look at the basic subjects and a practical application of those skills for planning and executing a cruise. Students will plan, plot and execute a cruise using charts and electronic navigation.

Classroom-1st Day

Weather, Tides and Currents Planning
Electronic Navigation and AIS
Fundamentals of Dead Reckoning
Cruise Planning Exercise
-Plot a Cruise using DR Techniques
- Determine Distances and Headings
- Calculate ETE's and ETA's
- Perform a Compass Fix
- Determine Fuel Requirements

On the Water Class-2nd Day

Giving an Operational/Safety and Weather Briefing
Departing the Dock
Piloting the Vessel from Port
Navigate a Route Using Dead Reckoning
Execute a Compass Fix
Anchoring
Review of VHF/DSC Radio
Create an Electronic Route on Chart Plotter
Navigate a Route Using Electronic Navigation

Date: June 23-24, 2018 - 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Cost: Two days of training, classroom and on the water, \$200.00 per person. Couples who attend and share training materials will pay only for one person. \$100 is required at registration and the balance due on first day of training. Current members from the Basic Course will be credited for class materials they previously received.

Materials included: USPS Text, Weekend Navigator, Seminar Handouts on each subject, Charts, Maptech Chart Viewer software and Chesapeake Bay NOAA raster charts.

Also included: Full year Family USPS Membership. Navigation Tools will be provided.

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