

PRESENTS A NASBLA APPROVED PUBLIC BOATING CLASS

AMERICA'S BOATING COURSE[®]

3rd Edition

Topics

- Introduction to Boating:** Types of boats, types of power, uses of boats, family boating basics.
- Boating Law:** Registration, HIN, safe operation & accidents, environmental concerns. State & Federal laws, personal watercraft.
- Boat Safety Equipment:** Required equipment and other boating equipment you *should* have on board.
- Safe Boating:** No-No's, how to do the basics right, docking & mooring, charts, anchoring, weather, *filing a floatplan*.
- Navigation:** U. S. Aids to Navigation system, buoys & beacons, navigation rules, avoiding collisions, sound signals.
- Boating Problems:** Hypothermia, accidents & rescues, man overboard, river hazards, radio calls, breakdowns, *CO Dangers*.
- Trailing, Storing and Protecting Your Boat:** Trailer types & equipment, proper loading, *backing the trailer*, launching & retrieving.
- Hunting and Fishing, Water-skiing and River Boating:** Special activities, unique craft, water sports, river navigation, other boating tips.

3 Options: 4—2 hour classes via GoToMeeting plus Exam. Class starts May 13th.

OR: Purchase materials and self-study. Exam when you're ready.

OR: Register and purchase on-line. Class & Exam done on-line.

Cost: Student Materials \$35 (That's all!)

Course qualifies under 18 youth for Operator's Permit in both MN & WI

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