



Boat Handling

7week course (includes complete Review & Optional Exam)

BLENDED: VIRTUAL/IN-PERSON CLASSES
bringing our Certified Instructors directly to you.



Course Agenda:

Rules of the Road: A Practical Approach that will help you know what to do when you share the water with other boats, how to avoid a collision. Our discussions will focus on local waters.

Confidence in Docking and Undocking: Slow-Speed Maneuvering can be one of the most stressful, especially if you are a new boater. Slow speed operations can cause Anxiety while maintaining control of your boat in close proximity to other boats and fixed objects. This session will focus on building confidence during docking while performing slow-speed maneuvering.

Boating with Confidence: Handling Your Boat Under Way or "at sea." Confidence building exercises will help you understand basic boater operations: trimming your boat; operating on a plane; handling seas and waves and cruising.

Anchoring with Assurance: Don't Get Carried Away. This session will reinforce how to secure your vessel to the sea bottom through the use of a line, chain, and one or more anchors. Whether fishing, swimming, lunching or an overnight stop, dropping the hook can be a real boating pleasure..

Emergencies on Board: Preparation for Handling Common Problems is an extremely important session. Discussion and Group Activities are designed to prepare you to handle common emergencies that can happen when you are away from the dock...whether out for the day or on a longer cruise.

Knots and Line Handling: The Knots You Need to Know can be so important to a pleasurable cruise. We will virtually practice the common use of line and knots to: secure boats to docks, piers, and other boats; handle rescue; anchor securely and much more including the 10 most useful knots.

Learn more about our Club and the many educational / social opportunities.
www.boatosterbay.org / 516 622-1356

Registration Fee Program:

eBook Student Kits (Member & Non Member Pricing)

Printed Student Kits (Member & Non Member Pricing)

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For more Detailed Information:

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Register today!

When applicable **on-the-water** coaching may be possible if *social distancing* restrictions are lifted.
Additional required reading: *United States Coast Guard's Navigational Rules and Regulations Handbook*.
All skippers are responsible to know the rules of the road that apply to where you boat.