

Our Mission

The mission of Connecticut Community Boating, Inc. is to offer area residents affordable and fun access to Long Island Sound and its headwaters. We provide a physically and psychologically beneficial experience while keeping our student's safety and enjoyment as our first priority. We do this through a complete array of training programs that emphasize self-esteem building, good seamanship, teamwork, community consciousness, and environmental responsibility; while promoting good stewardship of our greatest natural resource.



Our Non-Discrimination Policy

Connecticut Community Boating, Inc. is committed to ensuring that all of its programs and facilities are accessible to all members of the public. We do not discriminate on the basis of age, color, disability, national origin, race, religion, sex or sexual orientation.



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The Adult Program: adult program offers lessons on a host of boats and a membership that takes all the pain out of boating. Try one of these offerings on for size:



Sailing For Adults 1 (SFA-1-0):

A course in small boat sailing basics taught by a US Sailing Certified Instructor, we start you out in a Hunter 140 and get you started on a lifetime of learning to master the sport of sailing..

(Class Limit: 8) HUNTER 140s

SFA1-1 Tues & Thurs TBD 5:30-8:30PM

SFA1-2 Tues & Thurs TBD 5:30-8:30PM

SFA1-3 Tues & Thurs TBD 5:30-8:30PM

SFA1-4 Tues & Thurs TBD 5:30-8:30PM

SFA 1-5 Mon & Wed TBD 5:30-8:30PM

SFA 1-6 Sats TBD 9AM-Noon

SFA 1-7 Sats TBD 9AM-Noon

SFA 1-8 Sats TBD 9AM-Noon

(Cost: \$175/\$FREE for Members)

*****Please Note that a \$50 returned check fee will be applied to all returned checks.**



Sailing For Adults 2 (SFA-2-0): This intermediate level course teaches sailors who know the parts of the boat, but don't always know how to use them. A basic understanding of sailing is required as this course is aimed at those who already know how to raise sail and are ready hit the waves from day 1.

(Class limit: 8)

(Cost: \$150/\$125 member) Flying Juniors

SFA 2-1 Mons & Weds TBD 5:30PM-8:30PM

SFA 2-2 Mons & Weds TBD 5:30PM-8:30PM

SFA 2-3 Tues & Thurs TBD 5:30PM-8:30PM



Basic Keel Boating (BK-1-0): Taught in the Rainbow 24, we'll introduce you to the basic of keel boating including steering a keel boat, rigging and big boat handling.(Class Limit: 9/class) (*See Note)

(Cost: \$175/\$150 Member) Rainbow 24s

(NOTE: Due to public demand and weather, there will be no refunds issued or any programs. We are sorry for this inconvenience.

Intermediate Keel Boating (BK-2-0):

We'll help you perfect your keel boat skills and work on more advanced skill sets like steering a course, distance sailing, heaving too, reefing, and anchoring.

(Class Limit: 9/class) (*See Note)

(Cost: \$175/\$150 Member) Rainbow 24s

TBD

Advanced Keel Boating (BK-3-0): This is for those who want the big boat experience without the Big Boat price. Basic Nav, diesel operation and steering with a wheel, will get you ready for your first big boat.(Class Limit: 6/boat) (*See Note)

(Cost: \$275/\$250 Member) Keelboats 24 feet and Up

TBD

Adult Racing Team (Race 1-0): For those who

wish to get that competitive edge and have some fun while you're at it, consider our Summer and Fall Racing Group. After the races, please join us for a debrief with some refreshments, conversation and music.

Weekly TBD

(Cost: \$275/ Free for Members)



Just for Me: We are capable of offering a host of programs tailored to your specific interests. From a morale booster for the marketing team to a fun social outing for your church group, we can assist you in building an outing on the water that is sure to please the whole crew- Call 203-382-3661 to book your outing today

(Note: Connecticut State Law mandates that anyone wishing to operate any motorized vessel or sailing vessel over 19 feet requires a Connecticut Safe Boating Certificate. Accordingly, please attach a copy of your safe boating certificate with your registration for the Power Boating or Keel Boat classes. If you do not have a certificate, we can assist you in obtaining your certificate prior to start of your class.)



Safe Boating America
The Safest Place to Navigate™
 Online Courses Throughout the United States
 Classroom Courses in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut

www.safeboatingamerica.com

Celestial Navigation Study Group:

We are all about community and boating, so why not bring the two together centered around a subject as old as sailing itself, Celestial Navigation. We will use our fleet of Boats, our combined intellect and the shared experience to delve into the mysteries of Celestial navigation
 Meets Mondays 7-9PM
 The CCB Eco Classroom



US Power Boating (PB-1-0):

US Coast Guard & NASBLA Approved
 This 16-hour *hands-on, on-the-water* course is

for anyone who wants to learn how to safely operate a small motorboat and improve their boathandling skills on actual boats. The US Coast Guard and the National Association of State Boating Law Administrators (NASBLA) have approved this course and an increasing number of states have recognized it as meeting their requirements for a state boating safety education certificate. These national and state approvals call for the course to include a total of six to eight hours of classroom sessions covering required education topics.

Students learn:

On-the-Water Sessions

- Engine & electrical systems
- Starting procedures
- Docking
- Leave & return to a slip
- Close-quarters maneuvers
- High-speed maneuvers
- Anchoring
- Steering a range
- Proceeding to a destination
- Person-in-Water rescue

Classroom Sessions

- Safety, prep & weather
- Maneuvering concepts
- Registration & capacities
- Equipment requirements
- Prep & fueling procedures
- Navigation rules of the road
- Aids to navigation
- Environment regulations

Prerequisites: none

Suggested Age: 12 – adult

Certification(s) Earned: NASBLA certificate, CT Safe Boating Cert, Safe Powerboat Handling certificate

Guest Lecture Series:

We're working on a host of guest lecturers to come visit the Park city and share some of the knowledge that have acquired on the sea, on the boat and in the world. If you have a suggested guest lecturer you think our community would benefit from, let us know about it and we'll see if we can convince them to come down for a visit.

Basic Boat Ownership Series:

Got a boat? Thinking of getting a boat? Wondering what to do with the boat now that you have it? Let's face it, boats are a hole in the water into which you throw money. We can help save you some money on your boat by showing you some of the basics of ownership. How do I get a mooring? What about dock space? How do I repair gel coat? What does 50:1 mean? We can help answer all these questions in a community format.



Corporate, Church and Social Groups

If you have a corporate, church or social group that you're looking to grow, motivate or just reward, consider a group boating experience. We offer a host of options for that unique group outing that is sure to be the key item at your next meeting. Call 203-382-3661 for details.

Safe Boating America: CT Safe Boating

Certification Need your CT safe boating certificate in one day? We run monthly safe boating class in partnership with Safe Boating America that will allow you to legally operate any power boat, personal watercraft or sail boat larger 19' that run for 8 hours and your done.

Saturday 9AM-5PM
 TBD
 Cost: \$50

Safe Boating America: Basic Navigation

Today, electronics have radically changed navigation, but understanding the basics helps you gain confidence in your equipment and your own skills. In this seminar, you will learn practical techniques to plan, navigate, and check your progress on the water. You will develop situational awareness skills using your eyes and navigation tools to quickly point to your position on a chart, and be able to use backup techniques when the electronics become suspect. This seminar will help captain and crew navigate safely and comfortably.

Cost: \$275
 Class schedule TBD

Safe Boating America: Masters Certification

Safe Boating America is focused on exceptional professional maritime education and training and we are here to help you with your USCG Licensing needs. We offer courses for you to earn your OUPV (six-pack), Masters, Assistance Towing and Sail Endorsements, License Renewal and upgrades.

These courses, plus our FCC Marine Radio Operator Permit (MROP) license preparation and examination services elevates Safe Boating America to a level of service well beyond the majority of so-called Coast Guard Captain's license academies. In addition, our graduates have full access to our world-wide yacht delivery connection at www.captainsforhire.com.



Sponsor a Kid

You never know which kid will be the next Nimitz or Cousteau. And you can't imagine the joy you will get when you make an investment in our community's future. By sponsoring a sailor in the CCB Junior Program, you can help a child from our community learn about and explore Long Island Sound. Over 80 percent of the kids from low-income families in our region lack the ability to swim and might not otherwise ever be provided with access to sailing and boating. Our mission is to get every kid out on the water and ensure that no child is left ashore. Won't you consider helping to sponsor a child so that they may learn to swim, sail and enjoy our greatest natural resource.

Suggested Contribution to sustain a junior sailor: \$250

Please call 203-382-3661 to make your pledge

Membership! It's what keeps the wind in our sails.

Owning a boat comes with a host of costs and troubles, so why not leave the trouble to us! With a CCB Membership, you can use our bevy of boats 9AM to Sunset 7 days a week. What's more, you'll also get member discounts for you and your family on all classes.

But here's the best part, when you get a membership at CCB, you're helping us build a better future for our region. Your membership allows us to keep growing CCB, maintain our fleet and keep our junior program flying high.

Member Benefits:

- discounts on classes,
 - a complimentary CCB Calendar
 - subscription to our e-letters and events
 - year round sailing privileges
- PLUS:

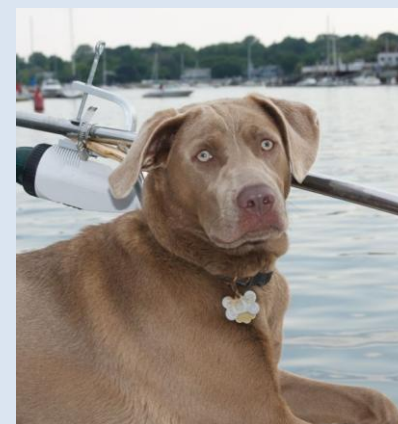
A price that fits your budget:

- **Individual:** Includes you with a guest any time you like!
\$300 Annually
- **Family:** Your entire family can sail anytime they like and everyone gets the benefits, your brother, your aunt, anyone you like!
\$400 Annually
- **Senior/Student Discount:** Just like the individual just a great to support CCB on a tight budget
\$150 Annually
- **Sustaining Member:** For a little more than \$1 a day, you can support CCB and get all the benefits of Membership!
\$35/month billed to you via Google Checkout

Note: Boats must be checked in and out. Last boat leaves the beach 2 hours prior to sunset. Reservations are recommended. CCB reserves the right to suspend sailing at any time without notice. Members must be checked out prior to first sail. Behavior including but not limited to Hazardous operation, negligence or poor seamanship may result in the suspension or cancellation of membership at any time.



Private Lessons: We know you would love to join us every day, but its not always in the schedule. With that in mind we can offer you and your family a private lesson aboard any boat you would like. Perhaps your inclination is to get the kids into sailing as a family or maybe you just want to build your skills with a certified instructor? We can set that up with you for a time that meets your busy schedule. (Cost: Based upon Boat choice) Scheduled in advance, please call for details.



A note from Buxton:

I am the CCB Mascot. I love o swim, play with kids, run and jump (a lot). Chris and I run a family-friendly and pet-friendly program at CCB and would welcome your four-legged friends at the Boat Ramp as well. Please make sure you have a leash, water and pet PFD when you come down to visit. And by all means, take it slow when driving in, you never know who you'll run into or over- kids and puppies run everywhere at the CCB Boat ramp. If you are not comfortable with canines, please let us know when you come by and I'll be happy to go take a nap.
Thanks and Happy Sailing!



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