

## **US SAILING SAFE POWERBOAT HANDLING COURSE AT SCYC SATURDAY 4/28/12 - SUNDAY 4/29/12, 8 AM to 5 PM**

INSTRUCTOR: CHUCK HAWLEY

FEE: \$150 (\$160 AFTER 4/20)

TO REGISTER SEE SCYC,ORG WEBSITE OR REGATTA NETWORK.

REQUIRED TO USE SCYC SAFETY BOATS-PINTO LAKE ETC;

RECOMMENDED FOR: JUNIOR PROGRAM PARENTS & JUNIOR SAILORS (14 AND OVER) AND CORINTHIANS

*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 boat handling 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 educational topics.

### **Students learn:**

#### **On-the-Water Sessions**

Engine & electrical systems,  
Starting procedures,  
Docking, Leaving & returning to a slip,  
Close-quarters 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. Advance study materials and list of items to bring and wear will be sent after registration.

**Age:** 14 or adult

**Includes:** Required advanced prep reading materials; snacks, lunches, drinks.

**Certification(s) Earned:** NASBLA certificate, state boating education certificate (in applicable states), Safe Powerboat Handling certificate