

The 'Fairlead' – a publication of Fraser Power & Sail Squadron



2018 Winter / Spring Education Program

Our 2018 Winter & Spring education program in **Delta** is being run in conjunction with Delta Leisure Services. We look forward to this relationship and the additional publicity that it will bring to our Squadron.

Boating 1 - Boating Basics, a.k.a. PCO or Operator's Card

This course is offered in both Richmond and Delta (Ladner).

Richmond dates: Wednesday, January 3, January 10, January 17, Examination Date: January 24, 2017

Delta dates: Thursday, January 4, January 11, January 18, Examination Date: January 25, 2017

Locations:

Richmond: Steveston Harbor Authorities Trailers, South end of Trites Road.

To get there go south on #2 road, turn right on Moncton; turn left on Trites road; go straight till you come to the shipyard's gates. There are two trailers immediately on your left as you come through the gates. On the Left side, the first is an insurance company, the second is the class room. It has a sign on the front wall 'Western Maritime Institute'. Enter at the south end of the building.

Delta: Ladner Community Centre, Multi-purpose Room

Price: non-members: \$125 individual registration, \$ 50 for 2nd person of a family

Boating 1 or Boating Basics covers the minimum requirements for the Pleasure Craft Operator's Card (PCOC). The Manual, CD and Transport Canada examination are provided as part of this course. This course consists of instructor guided self-study. During this time period there will be in-class evenings spent reviewing the course content with the instructor. Upon successful completion of the Transport Canada examination at the end of this course you will receive your temporary certificate for the operation of a powered vessel in Canadian and USA waters. Your permanent Boaters Card will be mailed to you.

We also sell the Boating Basics manual for self-study and can provide the PCOC Transport Canada exam on request.

This is the first of a series of courses offered by CPS-ECP. To expand your knowledge of boating we recommend you take the sequence of the Boating 1, 2, and 3 courses.

Register for the Richmond Course through Boatingcourses.ca or by calling 604-786-5678

Register for the Delta course through Delta Parks & Rec.:

<https://deltareg.ca/Start/Start.asp>

Combined Boating 2 & 3 - Beyond the Basics & Introduction to Navigation

This course is offered in both Richmond and Delta (Ladner).

Richmond Dates: 12 Wednesday evenings from 7 to 9 pm, January 31, February 7, February 14, February 21, February 28, March 7, March 14, (Spring Break - weeks of March 22 to 29), April 4, April 11, April 18, April 25, May 2, 2018.

Delta Dates: 12 Thursday evenings from 7 to 9 pm, February 1, February 8, February 15, February 22, March 1, March 8, March 15, (Spring Break - weeks of March 22 to 29), April 5, April 12, April 19, April 26, May 3, 2018.

Locations:

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The PCOC (Boating 1 Course) makes sure you have immediate navigation and safety skills but it's just the beginning of what you should know when you get on a boat.

This course combines the material in the Boating 2 and Boating 3 Canadian Power & Sail (CPS-ECP) courses to provide more in-depth knowledge of boating on local waters.

In this course includes global positioning and charts, the magnetic compass, conning, electronic navigation, handling a boat under power, ropes, lines and knots, anchors and anchoring, tides and currents, weather, etc. This course further explores navigation as you learn how to plot and label on paper charts as well as what the skipper should be doing before setting out and when under way, handling a boat under sail as well as your environmental responsibilities and electrical hazards, etc.

Recommended prerequisites: Boating 1 = Boating Basics (Pleasure Craft Operator Card, PCOC)

Price: \$330 per person; \$250 for 2nd person at same address

Note: Registration closes 1 week before the start date of the course.

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Register for the Delta course through Delta Parks & Rec.:

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VHF - Maritime Radio

Members: single: \$110; couple: \$135; DSC only: single \$60, couple \$85
Non-members: single: \$125; couple: \$150; DSC only: single \$75, couple \$100

The course and examination for the **Restricted Operator Certificate (Maritime) with DSC Endorsement** exam are conducted in 1 day. The course requires home study before the Saturday session. You will receive the course materials in advance as well as direction from the instructor to help you in your studies.

Course dates are: January 27, February 24, March 24, and April 21, 2018.

For information contact the Education Department at 604-786-5678.



Fire Extinguisher Recall!

OTTAWA - The Canadian government is expanding a recall of Kidde and Garrison brand fire extinguishers to cover some 2.7 million of the devices in Canada, including some that date back more than 40 years.

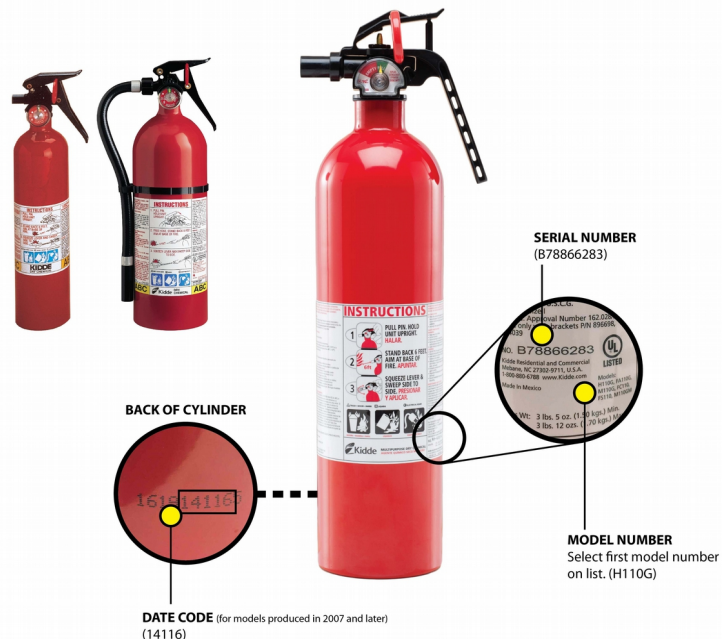
Health Canada [says the fire extinguisher](#) can become clogged or require excessive force to operate and may fail during a fire.

The agency also warns the nozzle may come off with sufficient force to pose a hazard.

The recall covers fire extinguishers with plastic handles and push-button indicators.

The 1.2 million plastic-handle extinguishers were sold between Jan. 1, 1973, and Aug 15, 2017, while the push-button type were sold from Aug. 11, 1995, to Sept. 22, 2017.

The expanded recall involves fire extinguishers not included in previous recalls in March 2009 and February 2015.



The recall is in concert with Kidde and the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission -more than 37 million extinguishers are being recalled in the U.S.

Health Canada says the company has received reports of two cases where the extinguishers didn't work properly in Canada.

Kidde says it has received a report of a death in the U.S. involving a car fire and some 390 other reports of malfunctions involving extinguishers in the U.S. that led to 16 injuries.

The model numbers for the affected products can be seen on the federal government's website:

<http://healthycanadians.gc.ca/recall-alert-rappel-avis/hc-sc/2017/65014r-eng.php>

CPS-ECP Open Book Examinations

All multiple choice examinations at CPS-ECP are currently open book examinations with the exception of the PCOC Examination and the Maritime Radio Examination. The time limit for the CPS-ECP examinations is 1 hour 30 minutes.

PCOC Examination:

CPS-ECP currently has confirmation from the Federal Government that the PCOC Examination will be ***open book examinations for in class courses effective January 1st 2018***. Individuals who challenge the PCOC examination, without taking an in class course ***are not eligible*** for an open book exam.

Maritime Radio Examination:

CPS-ECP is currently waiting for confirmation from the Federal Government that the Maritime Radio Examination will be open book. Once we have the written confirmation, CPS-ECP will issue more detailed instructions members.

2008 Mainship 400 trawler for Sale



Rare twin Yanmar Diesel engines
Digital radar, New autopilot, 2 VHF
New Walker Bay tender c/w 20 HP
Dual Raymarine E80 chart plotters

New Fly Bridge top
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Magnum Inverter, FB windshield wiper
Rocna anchor, setup for downriggers

New winter cover
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Many more options!

This is the nicest Mainship on the West Coast. Very well cared for with complete maintenance records from new. Approx 1500 hrs. on quiet, reliable twin Yanmar 260 HP diesels.

Asking price \$249,000 US dollars. Cdn duty paid. Available for viewing in Ladner by appointment only.

Call Trevor Brice at 604 377-6650 or toll free at 1 877 564-9989

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<https://www.seevirtual360.com/themes/50/flashTheme.aspx?listingID=36690#.WcP8nBRhhUE>

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/q4vmdzt44scmneg/AACsndRn6HVXyZLEDRzLE4Iwa?dl=0>

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