

Spindrift



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DECEPTION PASS SAIL AND POWER SQUADRON

Volume 36 issue 2

Calendar of Upcoming Classes

CPR/AED/FIRST AID CLASS—

February 19-Wed. 0800-1200
March 11-Wed. 0800-1200
(Oak Harbor Fire Department)

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A gentle reminder about dinner RSVP's. The chefs, who are your fellow members, work hard to plan, buy, prepare and deliver fabulous meals based on your responses to the RSVP requests. We understand that plans change, but if you find, after sending us your RSVP, that you are not going to be there, please let us know as soon as possible so we can keep our costs to the minimum. If you do not attend a dinner you have reserved and not cancelled, please remit your check payable to DPSPS c/o Treasurer Lt/C Pam Truog. Thanks! Pat

Unit 16
United States
Sail and Power Squadron

WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS, JENNIFER & ROSS GELLERS



Ross and Jennifer Geller and their three Saint Bernards recently moved from San Clemente, CA to their home on Penn Cove last summer. Ross, an urban planning consultant, is owner/principal of Applied Planning, Inc. Jennifer applies her public relations and communications background to helping a variety of causes, which includes one of the largest Saint Bernard rescues in the country.

Much of their free time revolves around the ocean, and in California, Ross skippered his 20' Grady White, while Jen preferred her stand-up paddle boards. Another boat, yet-to-be determined, is in the future if they can ever come to an agreement. 'Til then, you'll see them puttering and crabbing around Penn Cove in what Jen describes as their "beater boat."

According the Jen, "Our kids are grown, and we decided it was our time for adventure." They're quite enamored with the rural pace, Dungeness crabbing, bald eagles soaring overhead and the stunning beauty of the Puget Sound.



**FROM YOUR SQUADRON COMMANDER,
PAT WATERS, JN**

VOLUNTEERING

We need your help!! We now need to fill some critical leadership positions in our squadron for next year. We are hard at work trying to fill those positions. When we call you, please give what we ask careful consideration. It is crucial for us to fill these positions in order to insure the long term viability of our squadron.

MEMBERSHIP

We have two new members this month, **Ross and Jennifer Geller**. Please read the enclosed article on them and introduce yourself. A great new addition to our squadron!

USPS offered new worldwide **Safety and Travel Benefits** for all current members and their families beginning October 2019. The program is now up and running, and each of you should have received a notification. It is also included in this *Spindrift*. The program is free initially but will cost you a small amount each year when you renew your squadron dues. See enclosed article and download your DAN Boater benefits card.

This *Spindrift* includes a flyer and application for the **Annual District 16 Conference**. It will be held in Tukwila during March 13-15, 2020. Please consider attending. It is a good experience and the workshops alone are worth the trip. It is not too late to sign up! I hope to see you there.

WE HAVE SOME FUN, EXCITING EVENTS COMING UP!

On Saturday, Feb. 8th, **Chip** and **Reg** will be conducting a very special **Boating Safety for Kids** class for children ages 5 to 10 at OHYC from 11am to 1pm. See attached flyer. This class is the first of many we hope to offer to the public. It is free of course and is the result of our obtaining a Nwyba \$500 grant this past year. Feel free to bring your children or grandchildren to this fun event! Also, invite your neighbors and friends with children to attend. Make reservations with **Chip** as shown on the attached flyer.

You will not believe what **Cat** has created for your squadron **Valentine Dinner meeting** at OHYC! See her attached flyer! The Dinner menu is just awesome! The speaker is our former Commander **Anne Katherine** who is going to entertain you with slides and tales of her amazing experience last summer as a US Park Ranger. You will be entertained through dinner and afterwards by the *Buckets* with classic favorites from the past! Wow! All of this for just \$30 per person.

Make your RSVP with Cat (360-420-4474) early, reservations are limited.

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We will be conducting another **New Member Orientation Seminar** on Saturday, Feb. 15 from 11am to 1pm. If you have only been a member for a year or less, this seminar is a must as it will tell you how to get the most out of your membership. It is a fun, entertaining seminar covering who we are, what we offer, and the many financial and other benefits we offer. Please let me know that you will be there!

On Saturday, Feb. 29, I will be conducting a **Mentor Training Workshop** in Seattle for all the District squadrons that want to participate. See attached flyer. We have offered them the training and everything else they need to conduct their own Mentor Training Workshop for their own squadron members. The purpose is to help new members to quickly become active, contributing members that will remain in the squadrons for years.

Our **annual business meeting** will be held on Thursday, March 5th. The tradition is to provide a free pizza dinner. You will hear a report on squadron accomplishments as well as hearing from our Admin officer, SEO and Treasurer. You will be voting on an extensive revision to our bylaws, a new budget for the coming year and the new bridge. Please plan to attend! We need you there!

On Wednesday, March 18, I will be giving a presentation at the **South Whidbey Yacht Club's** March dinner meeting on who we are and what we offer in the way of education.

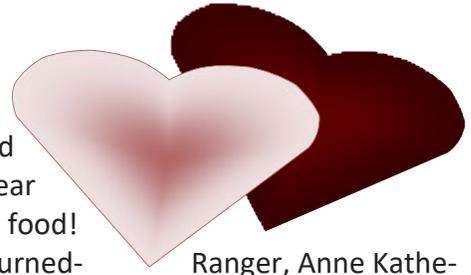
See <https://swyachtclub.org/> This is an opportunity to expand our education opportunities as well as our membership as they have over 100 members on the island.

We will also conduct another DPSPS **Mentor Training Workshop** on Saturday, March 21 at OHYC from 11am to 1pm. Mentoring is easy to do, very rewarding and makes a big difference in creating an active, educated new member, likely to stay in the squadron for a lifetime. The workshop is open to everyone. Come, join us, and find out what mentoring is all about! Just let me know if you will be attending, as I need a total count of students.

Have fun!

Pat

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER CAT FELKER



We have a fabulous and very special Valentines-themed evening planned for our members of Deception Pass Sail & Power Squadron and the Oak Harbor Yacht Club. Bring your Sweetheart/Best Friend and wear something pink or red - it's a night filled with great entertainment and food!

Our Featured Guest Speaker will be our very own, Past-Commander-Turned-Ranger, Anne Katherine! Anne will share her wild and crazy adventures as a National Park Ranger, (poachers, sheep herder, a dinosaur print, sacred bridges and yes - boating) and how being a member of the US Power Squadron helped her land the job!

The band, The Buckets, will play music we all grew up with and love – so bring your dancing shoes! Based on the eastside of the Seattle area, the Buckets have been entertaining folks at wineries and pubs around the area for years. Bringing a combined decade of musical experience, they always provide a fun, enjoyable and sometimes unexpected musical experience. With vocals gliding from soulful to soaring, Donovan Jones interprets classic favorites you know and love over a foundation of acoustic and electric guitar textures by Johnny Stephens.

Dinner features stuffed chicken smothered in béchamel sauce, beef tenderloin in demi glace, and organic greens with shredded carrots, radishes, cucumbers, tomatoes. As always, bottles/glasses of wine, cocktails or other beverages are available for purchase in the bar.

Seating is limited to 40, and reservations are already filling up. Please text or call Cat (360-420-4474) to make yours today! (November and December dinners were sold out – don't miss this one). \$30 PP, check or cash payable at the door.

(Flyers found at the back of this newsletter.)



ONGOING AND UPCOMING CLASSES FROM EDUCATION OFFICER P/LT CDR KAREN NELSON, AP

It's time to start thinking about this summer's boating....by planning and attending seminars this Spring!

Boat Handling (tell your friends) will begin again on March 24. The class will last 6 weeks. The usual suspects are teaching - Monem, Steppe, Fred, Pat, Bob, and Jason. If you are new and haven't taking **Boat Handling**, this is the class for you!

Shrimping 101 is tentatively scheduled for April 18. We'll keep the date close to Shrimping season - whenever it's announced by WA State Fisheries.

Watch for a new seminar on **Cruise Planning**, coming up this Spring. This will be a 2-week seminar, about 4 hours total (but NO TESTS). Bob will get you ready to head out this summer. Karen will help you figure out how to provision for the cruise. Sounds like fun.

Furthermore, would we forget **Crabbing 101**. Watch for it in mid-to late June. John Hudson will be back with the great crab goodies and everything you need to know to catch your limit this year!

SERAT (SQUADRON EMERGENCY RESPONSE ASSISTANCE TEAM)

The Squadron Emergency Response Assistance Team (SERAT) is a sanctioned arm of the local Power Squadron whose mission is to render volunteer assistance to local fire departments, law enforcement and other agencies. The duties are to provide a Team of qualified and experienced boaters with knowledge of local waters who are willing to donate time and effort to assist in the event of an emergency such as a major earthquake or wind storm. These may include water rescue, water search and rescue, transporting people or supplies, water related patrols and help in securing an area in the event of an emergency.

The benefits of a Squadron having a SERAT program are many. While the Squadron may be known for its Boating Education and Safety programs, they may not be recognized as a community service group. Providing this community service, the Squadron's name becomes highly visible to other areas of the public thus increasing the potential for additional members. SERAT also provides a mechanism to promote Advanced Educational Courses as part of the membership level requirements as well as a means for its members to practice and hone their boating skills. The community will benefit by knowing that they have a highly trained and skilled group of volunteers that are able to aid with major island emergencies. Local fire departments may not have water rescue assets or may be very limited in the ability to handle a large emergency. Knowing they can rely on SERAT to assist is very important.

What we need now is to sign up you as a volunteer for this exciting opportunity. Please note that your participation in any emergency, once the squadron is activated by the DEM, is strictly voluntarily and up to each participant. Taking care of your family, neighbors and friends always comes first. All participants and their vessels will be covered by USPS insurance while participating in an authorized SERAT event.

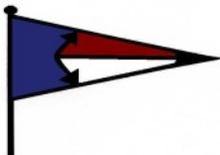
Please contact **Bill Coltrin (360-675-8102, bjcoltrin@gmail.com)** if you are interested in volunteering for SERAT or interested in learning more.



If you want a vessel safety check, call one of the Vessel Examiners from Deception Pass Sail and Power Squadron to make an appointment

Mark Casteel	1-360-240-1546
Dr. Monem	1-360-279-8972
Bill Coltrin	1-360-240-0989

The graphic features a green shield with a white border. Inside the shield, there are three circular logos representing different maritime organizations. The text 'VESSEL SAFETY CHECK' is at the top, 'THIS VESSEL HAS BEEN CHECKED FOR SAFETY' is on the sides, and '2020' is in a banner at the bottom. Below the shield, it says 'SEARCH MORE AT WWW.SAFETYREAL.NET' and 'A BoatUS logo'.



LET'S STAY CONNECTED WITH OUR BOATING PARTNERS -
OAK HARBOR YACHT CLUB

<https://www.ohyc.org/> Oak Harbor Yacht Club website

<https://www.ohyc.org/newsletter> Oak Harbor Yacht Club newsletters

LEARN ABOUT DAN BOATER SAFETY AND TRAVEL BENEFITS

America's Boating Club has partnered with DAN Boater to offer safety and travel benefits to our members. Your new benefits include an emergency hotline, a nonemergency medical information line, worldwide medical evacuation, medical repatriation, search and rescue expenses, and much more. Visit danboater.org/abc to get complete details on this valuable benefit program

[Click here](#) to print your DAN Boater benefits card. Have your certificate number and PIN handy when logging in.

You can find details about all DAN Boater benefits, including coverage amounts, in the [DAN Boater Benefits Handbook](#). If you have questions not answered in the handbook, call the DAN Boater Member Support Team at 919-490-2011.

Keep in mind that DAN Boater cannot answer questions related to your America's Boating Club membership. For membership info, call 888-367-8777 for America's Boating Club Customer Service. [Print my DAN Boater benefits card](#)

Taken directly from the [website](#)



DON'T MISS OUT ON SAFETY AND TRAVEL BENEFITS

United States Power Squadrons, America's Boating Club, has partnered with DAN Boater to offer worldwide travel safety benefits for all current members and their families beginning in January 2020.

Get full details including updated opt-out information at danboater.org/abc.

We've pushed back the start date to give all members a chance to review their benefit status. To decline these benefits, primary active members should click the button below to log in to their Member Profile, scroll down to "Receive DAN Boater Benefits" and click "No." To accept these free benefits, you don't need to do a thing. You and your family will receive valuable travel safety benefits from DAN Boater until your next dues renewal.

When renewing your annual membership online, you can choose to continue these valuable travel safety benefits as part of your individual or family membership for only \$25 per year or decline them at checkout. This is taken directly from your ABC website

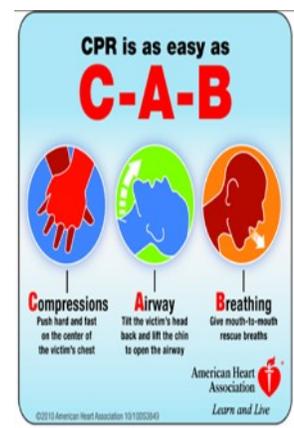
[Check My Benefit Status](#)

The CPR/AED/First Aid Classes are:

February 19, Wednesday 0800-1200ish

March 11, Wednesday, 0800-1200ish

All classes are in our stations training room at the Oak Harbor Fire Department/ 855 E. Whidbey Ave, Oak Harbor
You can register for the course by either emailing Craig Anderson at canderson@oakharbor.org



HOW TO REGISTER YOUR VHF RADIO

(from Practical Sailor, Dec. 2019)



The U.S. Coast Guard continues to be concerned about the misuse (or lack of use) of VHF radios for distress calling. Many boaters, it seems, don't understand the importance of registering their radio equipment, and how to properly use Digital Selective Calling (DSC) feature. Here we offer a brief

overview of the most frequently asked questions regarding DSC. More information can be found at the Coast Guard's Navigation Center website, www.navcen.uscg.gov.

WHAT IS DSC? DSC's foremost purpose is distress alerting. With the press of a button, users can send a pre-configured distress message to emergency personnel and other DSC-equipped boats in range. The digital message is sent over channel 70 and contains pertinent information about the boat, its Maritime Mobile Service Identity (MMSI) number, owner details, and emergency contact information. When a DSC radio is connected to a GPS, the Mayday includes the boat's location. The transmission takes about one-third of a second and is automatically repeated until a rescue authority answers. Because the signal is digital, it has a better chance than a voice call of getting through in rough conditions. A DSC transmission includes the priority of the call (distress, urgency, safety, routine), who the call is being sent to (all ships or a specific ship/station), and the transmitting boat's identity, location, and nature of distress. DSC also allows sailors to use their VHF radios like a cell phone for ship-to-ship and ship-to-shore communications, without interfering with VHF hailing traffic and without the limitations and cost of cell coverage.

WHAT IS AN MMSI NUMBER? All boats operating on the high seas are assigned one nine-digit MMSI for all onboard equipment capable of transmitting and receiving digital signals—including EPIRBs, AIS transponders, DSC-capable VHF's, all INMARSAT satellite terminals, etc.—and that number serves as an identifier for the boat. Once a boat owner registers the vessel with the appropriate agency (the Federal Communications Commission in the U.S.), the boat's emergency contact information is linked to the MMSI number, which is then programmed into the onboard electronics. When a distress call is broadcast, the MMSI is included in the message, giving rescue and emergency personnel accurate details of the boat.

The FCC and Coast Guard strongly encourage all boats to apply for an MMSI to enable DSC use in the case of an emergency. With the Coast Guard's VHF-based Rescue 21 vessel ID system adding more and more stations, having the ability to send a DSC distress call will greatly increase a boater's chances of rescue.

HOW TO REGISTER YOUR VHF RADIO continued

HOW DO I GET AN MMSI? For recreational boats operating in U.S. waters, boat owners can attain an MMSI through the FCC (888-225-5322, www.fcc.gov) or another approved agency, such as BoatUS (800/563-1536, www.boatus.com/mmsi/), or the US Power Squadrons (www.usps.org/php/mmsi_new/), radios registered through Sea Tow can still be managed through its website (Sea Tow (800-4SEATOW, www.seatow.com/tools-and-education/mmsi)). However, all U.S. flagged commercial boats and those recreational boats operating in international waters must get their MMSI license directly from the FCC. You can start the process online by filing FCC Forms 159 (www.fcc.gov/formpage.html#159) and 605 (www.fcc.gov/formpage.html#605). If you think your boat may ever be sailing international waters, we suggest getting your MMSI from the FCC. Otherwise, a new MMSI will have to be attained from the FCC and entered into all onboard digital electronics before leaving U.S. waters.



DECEPTION PASS SAIL & POWER SQUADRON NEAR TERM CALENDAR OF 2020 EVENTS

JAN. 7– MAR. 10	PILOTING COURSE AT OHYC
JAN. 24-FEB. 1	SEATTLE BOAT SHOW
FEB, 8	BOATING SAFETY FOR KIDS AT OHYC
FEB. 10	EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING AT OHYC
FEB. 13	MONTHLY DINNER MEETING AT OHYC
FEB. 15	NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION AT OHYC
FEB. 29	MENTOR TRAINING WORKSHOP IN SEATTLE
MAR. 2	EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING AT OHYC
MAR. 5	ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING AT OHYC
MAR. 13	NEW OFFICERS TRAINING, DES MOINES YC
MAR. 13-15	D16 SPRING CONFERENCE, DES MOINES YC
MAR. 21	MENTOR TRAINING AT OHYC
MAR. 28	BOATING SAFETY FOR KIDS AT OHYC
APR. 6	EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING AT OHYC
APR. 9	CHANGE OF WATCH AT OHYC
APR.11	BOATING SAFETY FOR KIDS AT OH LIBRARY
MAY 11	EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING AT OHYC
MAY 14	MONTHLY DINNER MEETING AT OHYC

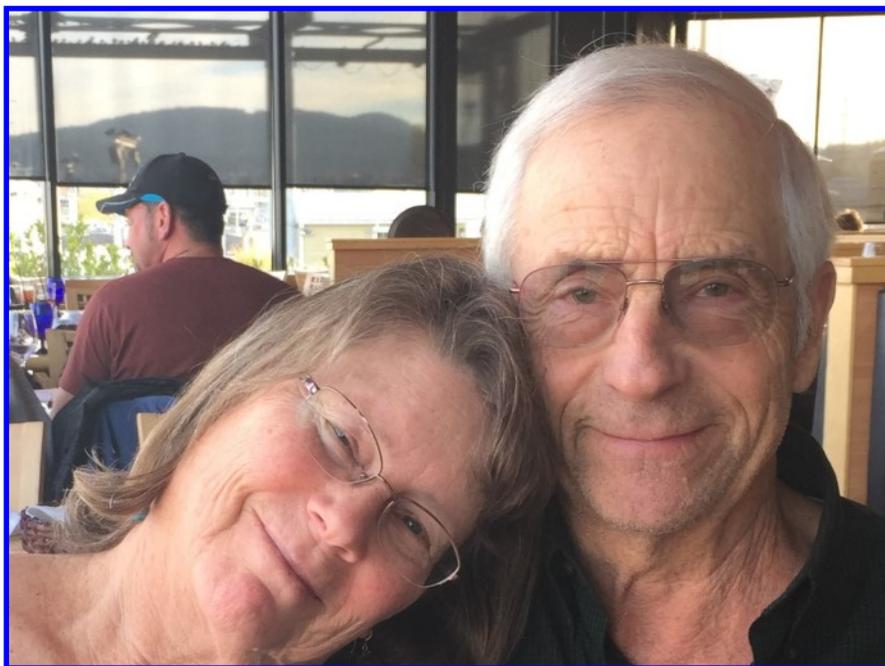
WE WOULD LIKE TO FEATURE THIS MONTH: KAREN AND DAVE STROMME

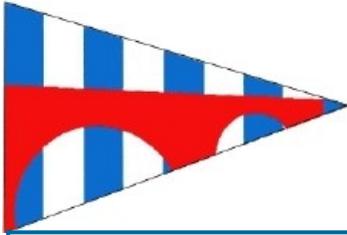


Pictured is Seascope (1978 42' aft-cabin Uniflite) with towed (18' Trophy) sitting at our dock in Mariners Cove waiting for summer. We've owned our Uni for nearly 16 years. Owned a 36' aft-cabin Uni for 14 years prior and going back a 32' Bayliner, 26' Norwester, and 21' Glasply. (Kept getting that 2' itis).

We can usually be found in the summer anchored out in our favorite San Juan areas (Westcott, Roche or Reid) where we load up the freezer with salmon, shrimp and crab. Some years we venture further. Been to the Gulf islands, Sunshine coast, Princess Louisa, Desolation, Octopus Islands, Campbell River. Next summer, we are hoping to make it to the Broughtons where we will celebrate our 50th wedding anniversary.

Maybe we will see you out there. Dave and Karen Stromme

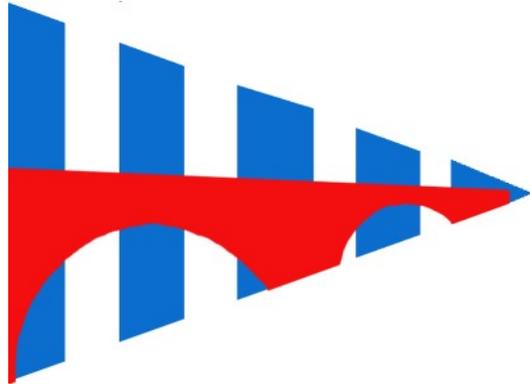




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All members are welcome to attend the Executive Committee (ExCom) Meetings on the second Monday of each month, (except June and July), at 0930 in the ballroom of the OHYC. If you have an agenda item, please contact the squadron commander Pat Waters, five (5) days prior to the meeting date so that it can be included.



Are you new and need a Deception Pass Sail & Power Squadron burgee, or your original is worn out? Please contact Pat Waters to have him save one for you. The cost is \$30. Please make the checks out to DPSPS. Thank you.

AMAZON SMILE

Your ExCom has passed a motion to set up an **AmazonSmile** account for our squadron. Our members and others can now make donations to our squadron in support of our education program when they make a purchase using AmazonSmile. It is totally free to both our squadron and our members and easy to sign up. When you make a purchase, Amazon donates to our squadron. See insert in this Spindrift for directions on how to sign up for this. I have already done that! It's easy! Please join me!



A NOTE FROM YOUR EDITOR

This is your newsletter to distribute information that pertains to your squadron, District 16 squadrons and national headquarters. I'll be sending reminders out on the 20th of each month prior to publishing the next edition, to the Executive Officers. I would prefer replies by the 27th. Together we can communicate opportunities to further our knowledge with upcoming classes and events that will facilitate time out on the Salish Seas. Please feel free to send me your photos you would like to share to help illustrate this newsletter. Thank you in advance for your contributions.

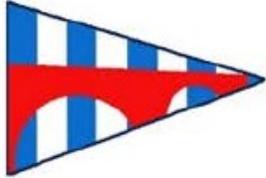
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Deception Pass Sail & Power Squadron offering

Boating Safety for Kids

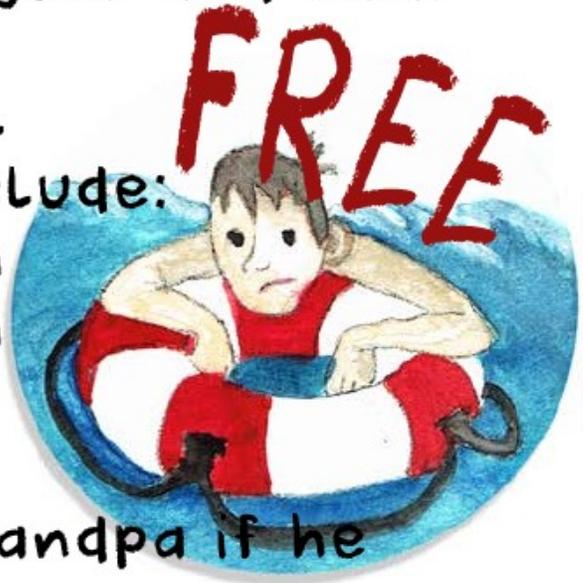
for children ages 5 to 10



Saturday Feb 8, 2020
11AM - 1PM

Learn by demonstrations and hands-on:

1. How to select, adjust and wear a life jacket
2. Boat sinking drill
3. Knot tying to include:
Cleat hitch
Clove hitch
Bowline
4. Throw bag
5. How to rescue grandpa if he falls overboard
6. Small boat safety



Make reservations by contacting Chip White
206-853-2669

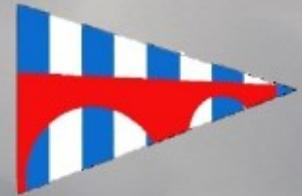
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Oak Harbor Yacht Club (down stairs)
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VALENTINES
DINNER
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PRESENTATION, DINNER, BAND!!
RED OR PINK THEMED ATTIRE PREFERRED

Featuring: Past Commander Anne Katherine
Music by The Buckets

Join us 5:30 PM – 8:30 PM at Oak Harbor Yacht Club \$30 PP

Text RSVP to Cat 360-420-4474

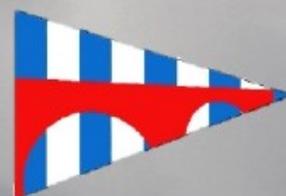


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VALENTINES DINNER

Party Details



USPS Commander-turned-Ranger: Anne Katherine loved piloting an NPS boat on the circuitous canyon route to her two posts, foiling Sheep poachers protecting a 190M Dinosaur print and a sacred Rainbow Bridge. Come listen to her wild adventures!

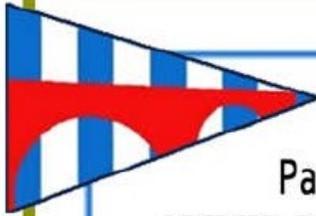


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Dinner Menu: Stuffed Chicken Breast with Bechamel Sauce, Beef Tenderloin in Demi Glace', Salad of organic greens, shredded carrots, radish, cukes & tomatoes

5:30 PM – 8:30 PM: Oak Harbor Yacht Club \$30 PP

Text/call RSVP to Cat 360-420-4474



Pat Waters, Commander DPSPS is offering
NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION CLASS

**February 15, 2020
11am to 1pm
Oak Harbor Yacht Club**

**This is a perfect opportunity to learn that your
membership is more than just education!**

What you need to know now

Benefits we offer

Fun stuff we do

Education we offer

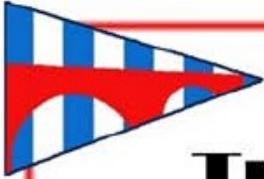
Opportunities for service

Reservations by February 10th

**to Pat Waters 360-720-2589
frenchsailor@comcast.net**



For Boaters, By Boaters®



Pat Waters, Commander DPSPS is offering

Training for Trainers Mentor Training Workshop

Saturday, February 29, 1 - 3pm

Windermere Real Estate Office
4526 California Ave. SW, Seattle, WA 98116

An invite for your squadron to train 2 or 3 of your members to be Mentor Training Instructors in your squadron. The two hour workshop will cover what to teach and how to conduct the workshop portion.

Pat has spent over 30 years in helping organizations recruit & retain members. He has developed a mentor training program for squadrons that will help insure new members become active quickly and contribute to your squadron for many years.

Please contact if you have any questions or concerns

Pat Waters

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MENTORING

Reservations by Feb. 22

contact

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mnordahl@windermere.com / 206-226-7349



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D/16 Spring Conference Save the Date

March 13-15, 2020

DoubleTree Suites at Southcenter

Friday Events

+Incoming Officer Training-1:00PM at DesMoines Yacht Club

+Social Hour and Dinner-6:00PM at the DoubleTree Suites

16500 Southcenter Parkway, Tukwila WA To book a room call (800) 222-8733
and specify Group Code D16 to get conference rates.

Please do not book reservations through a discount booking service, it negates our credits
against our required room-night guarantee.

Saturday Happenings

For those not attending the Saturday meetings

we are working on several **Activities:**



Sweet Tooth Candy Factory Tour,

Shopping @ Southcenter Mall,

AND

A Surprise Seminar for

First Mates and Skippers

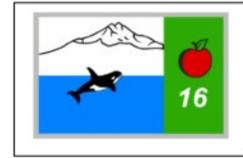
See You There

More Detailed Information to Follow





**“Educate like a Captain
Play like a Pirate”**



**Annual District 16 Conference
13-15 March 2020**

Name: _____ Spouse/Guest Name: _____
 Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____
 Squadron: _____ Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

FUNCTION:	(Meal prices include gratuity & Sales tax)	*Early Bird \$*	Regular \$	# of People	Total \$
Friday – Incoming Officer training	1300 – 1600 Des Moines YC - 22737 Marine View Dr, Des Moines see next page	XXX	XXX	_____	XXX
Friday – Registration	1500 - 1800 DoubleTree Suites - 16500 Southcenter Pkwy, Tukwila	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
Friday - Dinner - dress as your favorite Captain or Pirate	1900 - 2000 Spaghetti w/ meatballs, salad, garlic bread with music	\$38.00	\$43.00	_____	\$ _____
Saturday – Breakfast	Breakfast is available at the hotel	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
Saturday – Tour of Seattle Chocolate Co	0930 – 1130 see next page	XXX	\$10.00	_____	\$ _____
Saturday – Clinic “Clarifying stray currents”	1330 – 1530 see next page	XXX	XXX	_____	XXX
Saturday – Lunch	1200 - 1300 Baja Salad Buffet; salad greens w/ assorted toppings available	\$28.00	\$33.00	_____	\$ _____
Saturday – No-Host Social	1700 - 1800	XXX	XXX	_____	XXX
Saturday – Dinner	1800 - 2000 1. <u>Garlic roasted Chicken w/ smoked mozzarella cream</u> 2. <u>Salmon Linguini</u> All Entrees served with dinner salad, seasonal vegetables, new potatoes, coffee/decaf/tea Final chance for Raffle Tickets and Silent Auction bids	\$45.00 \$45.00	\$50.00 \$50.00	_____ _____	\$ _____ \$ _____
* Early Bird prices apply only for Registrations post-marked by 15 January 2020 Registrations & payment MUST be received prior to 21 February 2020					TOTAL:

Please make checks payable to: “Poverty Bay Sail & Power Squadron” and mail with Registration Form to: Joanna Webster, 31820 37th Ave SW, Federal Way, WA 98023-2176, Phone: (253) 927-7474.

Make **hotel reservations** directly with DoubleTree Suites no later than **Friday, 28 February 2020** by using below link or calling: (800) 222-8733. **Request Group Code “D16”** to get conference rate prices.

DoubleTree Suites, 16500 Southcenter Pkwy, Tukwila, WA

https://doubletree.hilton.com/en/dt/groups/personalized/S/SEASPDT-D16-20200313/index.jhtml?WT.mc_id=POG

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