

Sail Away

2-Hour Cruises on the Chesapeake Bay
Unfurl the possibilities...

Interactive Approach – Updated for Spring 2021

- 2 Options: Buy a Group Sail for up to 16 people, or a Private Event for up to 40 people. Flat fee pricing for either option.
- Students split into smaller groups for learning stations
- Each smaller group will work directly with a crew member
- Helming (steering) is a learning station on Private Events only.

Topics to Learn (Choose 2 for Private Event, 3 for Group Sail)

STEM: Navigation

Map vs. Chart
Compass
Triangulation
What is a Course?
Latitude & Longitude
Buoys

STEM: Engineering

Pulley, Lever, Screw
Rudder, Tiller
Theory of Lift & Sails

STEM: Design

Types of Boats
Boat Design
Parts of a Boat
Sail Design

NATURE: Chesapeake

Ecology of Bay
Birds
Fish, Shellfish
Plants

NATURE: Weather

Clouds/Prediction
Waves/Wind
Tides

SAILING:

Parts of the Boat
Commands
Wind Direction
Safety

KNOTS



Private Event vs. Group Sail

Private Events will allow us to add the Captain's Station, where he or she will quiz them on their newfound knowledge.

When the student raises their hand and a correct answer is given, they will take a turn helming (steering) the boat. **This will be added to your other 2 topics.**



Sailing Builds:

Confidence
Team Work
Communication
Cooperation
Way Finding Skills
Weather Awareness
Environment Appreciation



How our Programs fit into Scouting Programs

GIRL SCOUTS USA

BROWNIES take a "Journey" learning about the "Wonders of Water"

JUNIORS, CADETTEs, and SENIORS will learn "Sailing & Nature of the Bay"

SCOUTS BSA

CUB SCOUTS ADVENTURES

TIGER Adventure "Floats & Boats" (Boats & More)

KNOT TYING:

WOLF "Call of the Wild"

BEAR "Bear Necessities"

ARROW OF LIGHT "Outdoor" and "Scouting" Adventures



Check off many parts of the "Small Boat Sailing Merit Badge"

SEA SCOUTS BSA

Check off parts of the "Small Boat Handler Merit Badge" with "Safety at Sea" Work



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