

Our classes are taught at the West
Point Lake Visitor Center

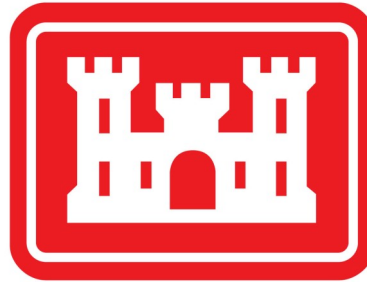
GEORGIA
2015 Schedule

April 14 & 16
May 19 & 21
June 16 & 18
July 14 & 16
August 18 & 20

Course Fee:
\$15/ person

Register early for the selected course you want. A minimum of 10 students is required for the class to be held and a maximum of 40 participants can be accommodated for the course on a first come, first serve basis. Pre-registration is necessary and can be done by calling the West Point Project Management Office at 706-645-2937.

Ask your Insurance Agent about discounts for completion of our safe boating courses!!



US Army Corps of Engineers

Project Management Office and Visitor Center
500 Resource Management Drive
West Point, GA 31833
Phone: 706-645-2937

[https://www.sam.usace.army.mil/
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Serving West Point Lake and
Mid to Southern Georgia

**2015 SCHEDULE
OF
BOATING SAFETY
COURSES**



**US Coast Guard
Auxiliary Flotilla 08-01**



U.S. Department of Homeland Security

Office of Auxiliary and Boating Safety
(CG-542)
Auxiliary Division (CG-5421)



In Partnership With

**West Point Lake
Water Safety Council**

The US Coast Guard Flotilla 08-01 teaches *Boat Georgia: A Course on Responsible Boating* and is a DNR approved course. Although it is a Georgia course, applicable Alabama regulations will be provided too.

NEW LAW!

New Boater Education Requirement, Effective July 1, 2014:

- Known as the "Kile Glover Boat Education Law," this law requires that anyone born on or after January 1, 1998 who operates any motorized vessel on Georgia waters must complete a boating education course approved by DNR prior to operation of such vessel.



The Course is covered over 2 evenings from 6:30pm—9:30pm on the third Tuesday and Thursday from April through August. The course is taught by the USCG Auxiliary and West Point Lake Park Rangers. This is an entry-level class and is aimed at the inland boater. Appropriate for new and experienced boaters, this class will include the latest information on Georgia Law and Coast Guard Policy. This is a classroom only course and DOES NOT include on-the-water instruction. You will receive a workbook to keep for your reference after the class is over.

The Chapters are as follows:

- Know Your Boat**—Parts of the boat and terminology.
- Before You Get Underway**—Know before you go, float plans, fueling, trailering, launching and retrieving.
- The Legal Requirements of Boating**—Ages to operate, registration and safety.
- Boating Emergencies. . . And What to Do**—Risk management, boating accidents, personal injuries, weather emergencies, getting help and helping others.
- Enjoying Water Sports With Your Boat**—How to have fun on the water and be safe.

There is a 25-question multiple choice test at the end. Students must score an 80% or better to pass. All graduates receive a laminated course completion wallet card. There is no age limit for this class, but keep in mind that Georgia law doesn't allow operation of a motor vessel by anyone under 12 years old even if they take this class. Our experience is that students under 12 have a more difficult time staying focused on the material, but we leave this decision up to the parent.

Everyone in the family will learn something!

