



SAVE THE LAKE

2017 Lake Minnetonka Boater Safety Education Program



The Lake Minnetonka Boater Safety Education Program is a great way to learn how to safely operate a boat and obtain a Minnesota DNR Watercraft Operator's Permit. Youth ages 12 to 17 years and adults are encouraged to attend. Hands-on demonstrations will provide practical boating skills. Course presenters work with participants and share unique Lake Minnetonka boating experiences and key on-board safety best practices to provide a great learning experience. Parents, guardians, or mentors are encouraged to attend the class with youth to further enhance the training value.

- DATE** Monday, June 19, 2017 from 7:45 am - 6:00 pm
- LOCATION** Westonka Public Schools' Education Service Center (Community Room)
5901 Sunnyfield Rd E, Minnetrista
- COURSE COST** Free
- PERMIT FEE** \$22.50
 - In order to obtain a Watercraft Operator's Permit, each participant must pay the exam fee at the class using a personal VISA or MASTERCARD.
 - If requested, the LMCD will send a check to reimburse youth participants.
- LUNCH** Complimentary lunch and snacks for participants

PARTICIPANT CHECKLIST - *Things to Know*

Before Class

- Set up your boater safety education course account from the MN DNR website link at www.boat-ed.com/minnesota. You will need to bring the Username and Password, specific to each person testing, to class in order to log in to course materials and exam.

Bring to Class

- Youth bring a Parent/Guardian/Mentor (Recommended).
- Your Course Account information from DNR weblink including Username and Password.
- A VISA or MASTERCARD to receive Watercraft Operator's Permit after passing exam.
- An operable laptop or iPad with Google Chrome loaded to access internet-based curriculum and exam. Bring a charger and be sure you know the passwords to log in to the mobile device. Free Wi-Fi provided at class.

If you have questions, contact Emily Herman at 952-745-0789 or eherman@lmcd.org.

The Lake Minnetonka Boater Safety Education Program is offered through the Lake Minnetonka Conservation District (LMCD) Save the Lake Fund, and its partner the Hennepin County Sheriff's Office Water Patrol.

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Continued Interest - Wait List REGISTRATION FORM



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I. REGISTERED PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

Name Email Telephone #

II. PLEASE CHECK APPLICABLE CATEGORY

____ Youth Participant (must be 12 to 17 years old at test date)..... Age _____
Will a Parent/Guardian/Mentor be attending?..... Yes _____ No _____
____ Adult Participant

III. WATERCRAFT OPERATOR'S PERMIT

In order to obtain a Watercraft Operator's Permit, a \$22.50 online exam fee is required at class using a personal VISA or MASTERCARD and participants must pass the exam. For youth, the LMCD will reimburse the Permit fee upon request. Reimbursement checks will be mailed within a couple of weeks.

Will you be taking the exam for the Watercraft Operator's Permit? Yes _____ No _____

For Youth, do you want to donate the Permit fee to Save the Lake Fund? Donate _____ Reimburse _____

IV. SPECIAL NEEDS

Do you have special needs or accommodations? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, please Specify _____

V. EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION (Parent/Guardian Info Required for all Youth Participants)

Name Email Telephone #

Street City Zip

Submit via email, mail, or fax to: Emily Herman, eherman@lmcd.org
Lake Minnetonka Conservation District, 5341 Maywood Road, Suite 200, Mound, MN 55364
952-745-0789 (Office) · 952-745-9085 (Fax)

Be sure to read the **Participant Checklist** for items to complete prior to class and to bring to class so you are prepared to have a great learning experience!

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