



SAVE THE LAKE

2018 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** **Saturday, March 17, 2018** from 8:00 am - 6:00 pm (Registration 7:45 am)
- 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 register and pay the exam fee **prior** to 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 be required to pay the \$22.50 fee at registration.
- 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.
- 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 Vickie Schleuning at 952-745-0789 or vschleuning@lmcd.org.

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

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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 _____

____ Parent/Guardian/Mentor Name: _____

____ Adult Participant- Taking Course or Exam- individually (not a youth mentor)

III. WATERCRAFT OPERATOR'S PERMIT

In order to obtain a Watercraft Operator's Permit, a \$22.50 online exam fee is required prior to 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: Tammy Duncan, lmcd@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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