### AMERICA'S BATING CLUB Colorado

# Learn boating skills

Engage in the fun Connect with boaters



America's Boating Club – Colorado is part of the national America's Boating Club®

It's been making boating safer and more enjoyable for over 100 years

#### Welcome to ABC-CO

- When you join America's Boating Club

   Colorado you become a member of the nationally recognized America's Boating Club – United States Power Squadrons®.
- It is the world's largest recreational boating organization with over 20,000 members.
- If you are passionate about being on the water, join us.
- We are distinguished by our emphasis on, and materials for, self education; our safety-awareness programs for members and the public; and our dedication to community service.
- You obtain savings on boat insurance and other products and services.



The only requirements for membership are a keen interest in boating and an eagerness to meet and enjoy time with other boating enthusiasts.

You don't need a boat to join the fun.

#### An Educated Boater Is A Better Boater

Educated boaters feel more confident on the water, at the helm, and in the company of other boaters. They boat more, boat more safely, and have more fun.



We offer a wide range of courses, seminars, and webinars to help you be the best boater you can be.

- · Basic boating skills
- Boat handling
- Rules of the road
- Inland, coastal, and offshore navigation, using electronic and traditional methods
- Electronics, including marine radios, GPS and chartplotters, AIS, and radar
- Boat systems, including engines, electrical systems, and fuel systems
- Trailering your boat
- Cruise and trip planning
- Weather and the marine environment



#### **Club Activities**

- · Cruises, rendezvous, and charters
- Continuing boating education courses
- Providing free vessel safety checks
- Day boating trips and short seminars
- Dinner meetings, speakers, picnics, parties, and more
- Sea Scout interaction
- Supporting the local boating community



**Enjoy Boating More** 

You can expand your boating horizons with ABC-CO through learning, making friends and memories that last a lifetime, bettering your community, and being the most confident boater you can be.



- Learn boating skills on-the-water, online, and in the classroom with certified and experienced instructors.
- Engage with other boaters in your area for fun, learning, raft-ups, cruises, picnics, charters, and social events.
- Connect with the boating community and participate in events to improve the boating experience for yourself and other boaters.







## Join Today!

For info, email info@abc-co.org or call Rick Gulick at 720.366.3600

Club website: https://abc-co.org/

Newsletter: https://abc-co.org/docs/beacon.pdf





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