

A woman wearing a purple life vest and a light-colored hat is sailing a small blue boat on a body of water. The boat has a white sail with a black keyhole logo and the number '25' printed on it. In the background, a large, multi-story apartment building with many windows is visible. The sky is clear and blue.

**READY  
FOR  
SOME  
FUN?**

**BOATING CLASSES**



# JUST ADD WATER!

Learn the skills and experience the thrills of boating in California.



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# It's all about safe boating **FUN**damentals.

**R**eady for a thrilling water adventure? Imagine kayaking on Big Bear Lake, sailing on Monterey Bay or windsurfing on Humboldt Bay. Non-profit aquatic centers throughout California offer a variety of on-the-water boating courses. Acquiring valuable water safety skills doesn't get any more exhilarating than this!

Funding from the California Department of Boating and Waterways makes hands-on instruction available at a reasonable cost to boaters of all ages. Learn how to operate watercraft from experienced, safety-certified instructors who put the "fun" in fundamentals.

## Lots of choices:

Sailing  
Wakeboarding  
Waterskiing  
Open Motorboat  
Personal Watercraft  
Canoeing  
Kayaking  
Rafting  
Windsurfing  
Surfing\*

*\*Although the Department of Boating and Waterways does not fund surfing because it is not boating-related, surfing instruction is available at several aquatic centers.*



## On-the-water fun for everyone.

**Kids:** Classes range in length from single-day programs to one- or two-week day camps. Kids can focus on learning a single activity or sample several types of boating. Check availability.

**Adults:** Have a busy schedule? Many locations offer boating instruction on the weekends and at times that fit around work schedules.

**Persons with disabilities:** Some centers offer a variety of accommodating activities such as paddle sports, water skiing and sailing. Private instruction is available in some locations, as well as courses that integrate the person with a disability into daily programs.



## No-cost options, too!

Many aquatic centers offer courses at a reduced cost or at no cost. Contact individual centers to see if these options are available.



## Always Boat Smart:

- Wear a life jacket
- Carry all required safety gear
- Know your boat and its limitations
- Follow the boating "rules of the road"
- Boat sober and be considerate of other boaters
- Be aware of weather and water conditions
- Keep the waterways clean



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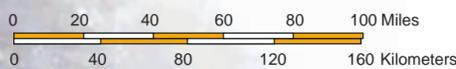
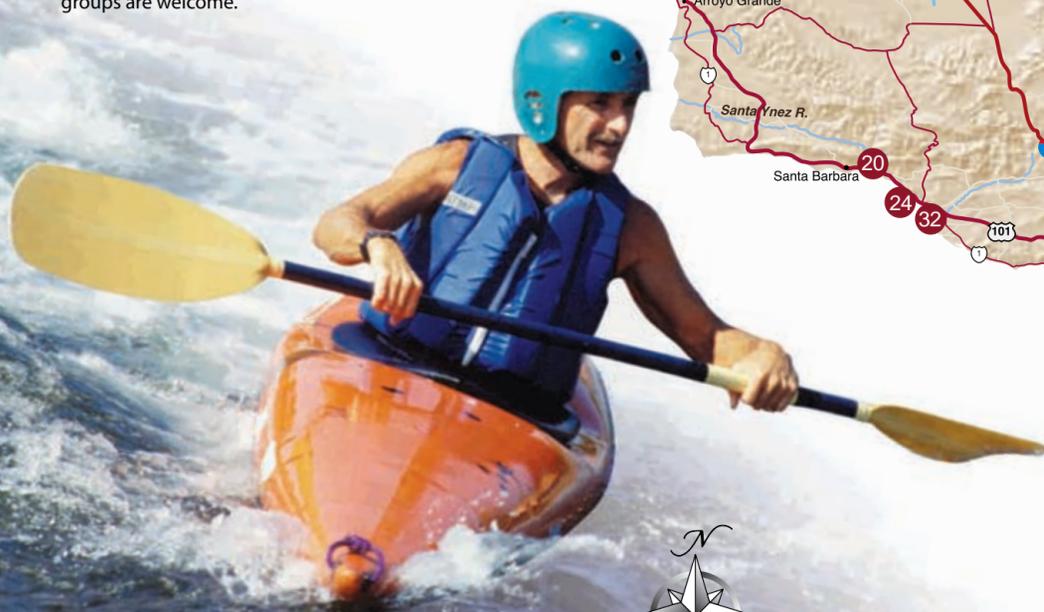
[www.BoatSmarter.com](http://www.BoatSmarter.com)

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# LET THE WATER ADVENTURES BEGIN!



**NOTE:**  
Contact each aquatic center directly for a course schedule. While most locations offer year-round instruction, some centers operate seasonally or primarily during the summer or school year. School groups are welcome.



- 1 **Cal Adventures**  
510/642-4000  
www.oski.org
- 2 **Outdoor Adventures, UC Davis**  
530/752-1995  
http://oa.ucdavis.edu
- 3 **UC Irvine, Boating Program**  
949/824-7592  
www.campusrec.uci.edu
- 4 **UCLA Marina Aquatic Center**  
310/823-0048  
www.recreation.ucla.edu/mac
- 5 **UCSF - Outdoor Programs**  
415/476-2078  
www.outdoors.ucsf.edu
- 6 **UCSC Community Boating Center**  
831/425-1164  
www.ucsc.edu/opers/boating
- 7 **California Maritime Academy Sailing Program**  
707/654-1257  
www.cmaathletics.org
- 8 **Forebay Aquatic Center**  
530/624-6919  
www.csuchico.edu/as/adventure
- 9 **Humboldt State University, Center Activities**  
707/826-3357  
www.humboldt.edu/~contract
- 10 **CSUMB Boating Education Program**  
831/582-4271  
www.montereyboating.org
- 11 **California State University, Northridge Aquatic Center**  
661/257-0571  
http://hhd.csun.edu/lsrc
- 12 **Sacramento State Aquatic Boating & Safety Center**  
916/278-2842  
www.csusaquaticcenter.com
- 13 **Mission Bay Aquatic Center**  
858/488-1000  
missionbayaquaticcenter.com
- 14 **San Francisco State University Sailing Program**  
415/338-2030
- 15 **San Jose State University**  
408/924-3020  
www.sjsu.edu
- 16 **Feather River College, Outdoor Recreation Leadership Program**  
530/283-0202 x275  
www.frc.edu
- 17 **Orange Coast College, School of Sailing & Seamanship**  
949/645-9412  
www.occsailing.com
- 18 **Crown Cove Aquatic Center**  
619/575-6176  
www.swccd.edu
- 19 **Stanford Sailing Summer Camp Program**  
650/364-1292  
www.gostanford.com
- 20 **Carpinteria City Parks and Ocean Recreation**  
805/684-5405, x431/432 or Boat House 805/684-7613  
www.ci.carpinteria.ca.us
- 21 **City of Oakland, Office of Parks & Recreation - Boating Department**  
510/238-2196  
www.oaklandnet.com/parks
- 22 **Lake Cunningham, City of San Jose**  
408/277-4319  
www.sanjoseca.gov/prms
- 23 **City of Santa Rosa Recreation & Parks Department: Howarth Park**  
Seasonal: 707/543-3424, Year Round: 707/543-3282  
www.santarosarec.com
- 24 **Leo Robbins Sailing and Kayaking Center, City of Ventura**  
Registration: 805/658-4726, Dock: 805/643-3612  
www.cityofventura.net

	Sailing	Windsurfing	Kayaking	Canoeing	Rafting	Rowing	Wakeboarding/Water Skiing	PWC	Power Boating	Rentals	Surfing	Fishing	Youth Programs	Disabled Programs
<b>Colleges/Universities</b>														
1 Cal Adventures	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
2 Outdoor Adventures, UC Davis	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
3 UC Irvine, Boating Program	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
4 UCLA Marina Aquatic Center	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
5 UCSF - Outdoor Programs	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
6 UCSC Community Boating Center	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
7 California Maritime Academy Sailing Program	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
8 Forebay Aquatic Center, CSU, Chico	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
9 Humboldt State University - Center Activities	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
10 CSUMB Boating Education Program	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
11 California State University, Northridge Aquatic Center	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
12 Sacramento State Aquatic Boating & Safety Center	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
13 Mission Bay Aquatic Center, San Diego	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
14 San Francisco State University Sailing Program	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
15 San Jose State University	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
16 Feather River College, Outdoor Recreation Leadership Program	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
17 Orange Coast College, School of Sailing & Seamanship	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
18 Crown Cove Aquatic Center	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
19 Stanford Sailing Summer Camp Program	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
<b>Cities/Counties</b>														
20 Carpinteria City Parks and Ocean Recreation	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
21 City of Oakland, Office of Parks & Recreation - Boating Dept.	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
22 Lake Cunningham, City of San Jose	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
23 City of Santa Rosa Recreation & Parks Dept: Howarth Park	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
24 Leo Robbins Sailing and Kayaking Center, City of Ventura	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
25 Dana Point Youth and Group Facility	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
<b>Non-Profit Organizations</b>														
26 Access to Sailing	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
27 American Red Cross	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
28 Environmental Traveling Companions	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
29 Healing Adventures	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
30 Jack London Aquatic Center	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
31 Newport Aquatic Center	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
32 Pacific Corinthian Youth Foundation	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
33 River City Oar and Paddle	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
34 Sailing Education Adventures Sausilto and San Rafael	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
35 Sailing Fascination	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
36 Save The Bay	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
37 Stockton Sailing Club	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
38 United States Adaptive Recreation Center	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
39 United States Sailing Center	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
40 Vallejo Yacht Club	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
41 YMCA, Central Valley Chapter	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

## Places To Go!

- 25 **Dana Point Youth and Group Facility**  
949/923-2215  
www.ocparks.com/dpyg
- 26 **Access to Sailing**  
562/433-0561  
www.accessstosailing.org
- 27 **American Red Cross**  
916/263-2583  
www.sacramento-redcross.org
- 28 **Environmental Traveling Companions**  
415/474-7662  
www.etctrips.org
- 29 **Healing Adventures**  
510/237-7149  
www.healingadventures.org
- 30 **Jack London Aquatic Center**  
510/208-6060  
www.jlac.org
- 31 **Newport Aquatic Center**  
949/400-5250  
www.newportaquaticcenter.com
- 32 **Pacific Corinthian Youth Foundation**  
805/382-6864  
pcyf.org
- 33 **River City Oar and Paddle**  
916/651-7034  
brostrom@water.ca.gov
- 34 **Sailing Education Adventures Sausilto and San Rafael**  
415/775-8779  
www.sailsea.org
- 35 **Sailing Fascination**  
949/760-2646 TDD
- 36 **Save The Bay**  
510/452-9261  
www.savesfbay.org
- 37 **Stockton Sailing Club**  
209/951-5600  
www.stocktonsc.org
- 38 **United States Adaptive Recreation Center**  
909/584-0269  
www.usarc.org
- 39 **United States Sailing Center**  
562/433-7939  
www.usscclb.org
- 40 **Vallejo Yacht Club**  
707/643-1254  
www.vyc.org
- 41 **YMCA, Central Valley Chapter**  
559/335-2382  
www.centralvalleyYMCA.org