

**STORM TRYSAIL CLUB HANDS-ON SAFETY AT SEA SEMINAR
PRESENTED BY THE STORM TRYSAIL FOUNDATION
SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 2015 at SUNY MARITIME COLLEGE**

The Storm Trysail Club will conduct another one day Hands-On Safety at Sea Seminar at SUNY Maritime College on Saturday, April 18, 2015.

The seminar will be supported by educational videos and on-line learning produced by Gary Jobson and US Sailing. The videos will cover required subjects and will be made available to attendees through the internet prior to the seminar itself.

Attendees will each be provided with a free copy of “The Art of Seamanship”, a new, five hundred page compendium on the subject of seamanship authored by Storm Trysail member Ralph Naranjo. Hard copies will be distributed at the time of registration or if requested, an eBook version can be sent prior to the seminar.

In addition to the videos, excerpts from this book on various subjects will also be sent via email beforehand.

A test on all the subject matter covered will be administered at the end of the day. Attendance at the seminar and successful completion of the test will bring full ISAF certification for those who wish to achieve it. With four ocean races being conducted on the east coast next spring and early summer, we expect a high demand for such certification.

The seminar’s moderator will be Past Storm Trysail Commodore Rich Du Moulin with many STC members serving as presenters or instructors. The hands-on subjects will include firefighting, damage control, man-overboard rescue, liferaft deployment and use and emergency pyrotechnics.

The seminar will use new facilities at SUNY so we’re enlarging attendance to 300 people. Admission cost is \$295.00 and includes coffee and breakfast pastries in the morning, lunch and refreshments in the afternoon.

