

Third Coast Cruising's Navigation Classes

Strictly Sail Show January 30st and January 31st from 9:00am to 4:00pm

Have you ever dreamed of sailing in a Tropical Paradise but the thought of navigating reefs and channels was holding you back? Have you ever wondered how you would navigate if your GPS failed? Take our 2 day Navigation Seminar and you will learn the essentials of navigating without a GPS and give you the confidence you need to navigate just about anywhere in the world.

Marine Navigation Level 1 –4, 2-Day Course Fee - \$259.00 seminar includes all necessary navigation tools and materials (\$50.00 value), 4 Day Strictly Sail Yacht Club Ticket to the Show and One Free Sailing lesson for 2 people on a 30' boat with 3rd Coast Cruising, sailing out of DuSable Harbor, Chicago (your choice of beginner, intermediate, advanced or spinnaker) Lesson valued at \$300.00.

After this class you will be able to....

- Reading a chart and understanding of the symbols used on charts
- Finding location using latitude and longitude
- Finding distance between points
- Finding the True Compass heading and converting it to the Per Steering Compass using magnetic north and the deviation of your vessel
- Converting Speed, Time and Distance to be able to calculate all three while out at sea
- Being able to find a cross bearing fix and your exact location on a chart without a GPS
- Understanding of the COLREGS and their meaning for safety at sea
- Understanding of the pecking order and who has right of way
- Knowledge of the different light scheme for different vessels
- Practical experience with some of the safety equipment that needs to be on board your vessel
- First aid and safety at sea

This is an All-Day Event with a 1-hour break for lunch.
Advance registration required. Please Call 3rd Coast Cruising @
1-866- Sail-3rd to register.