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# The Marina News

A Monthly Publication  
for the Boaters of Dana Point Marina  
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## *USCG Auxiliary Public Education Courses*

### **Suddenly in Command** (1 Night) Cost \$15

WHEN: Wed. Feb. 17, 2016, 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM

Short course on the basics of seamanship. Good for new boat owners.

### **Boating Skills & Seamanship** (6 Weeks) Cost \$60

WHEN: Every Wed. from Feb. 24th, thru, March 30<sup>th</sup> 2016, 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM

Comprehensive course for experienced and novice boaters.

### **Basic Coastal Navigation** (7 Weeks) Cost \$60

WHEN: Every Wed. from April 6th, thru May 18<sup>th</sup> 2016, 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM

Course designed to acquaint boaters with the many tools of coastal navigation.

Registration: Garry Nelson (714) 234-0731, or John Linder (949) 697-7125, johnrlinder@cox.net

All courses are held at the Dana Point Yacht Club, 24399 Dana Drive, Dana Point.

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## **Security Tips**

- Keep dock gates secure at all times...**ALL TIMES...ALL TIMES!**
  - If you see something suspicious call the Harbor Patrol immediately. Better safe than sorry. They can be reached at (949) 248-2222 or (949) 723-1002.
  - Don't leave a key to your cabin hidden on your boat; thieves know that trick.
  - Report security issues to the Marina...but call the Harbor Patrol **FIRST**.
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## **Dana Point Festival of Whales**

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

**March 5-6 & 12-13**



- The **BEST** whale watching along the So Cal coast with multiple excursions departing daily on the hour during the festival.
  - The Harbor Music Series delights with solos and ensembles throughout the Harbor and Grand Finale Concert **ON** the water March 13th.
  - Great food! Clam Chowder Cook Off/Wine & Beer Garden and mouth-watering BBQ specialties await you.
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