Nauset Sea Scouts Ship 72

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Learning for Life Explorer Club 72

MARITIME EVENT PLANNED ON MAY $2^{\rm ND}$ FROM 10-4 TO INTRODUCE YOUTH TO EXPLORER CLUB 72 (AGES 11-13) AND SEA SCOUT SHIP 72 (AGES 14-20)

The Lower/Outer Cape Sea Scouts, B.S.A. in conjunction with Learning for Life are announcing an exciting opportunity for young boys and girls to join either Explorer Club 72 (ages 11-13) or Sea Scout Ship 72 (ages 14-20), to engage in boating activities and life skills-building throughout the year and learn about maritime careers. Making use of the vessels and equipment from Sea Scouts Ship 72, and taking full advantage of the natural marine resources and maritime organizations of the region, members of these two youth groups can expect to get FREE hands-on learning experiences rowing, sailing and motoring onboard different types of vessels here on the Cape. The fleet of vessels used for these fun experiences include two historic 26' Race Point surf rescue pulling boats, a Herreshoff America 18'catboat, a 17' Aquasport center console powerboat and a 23' O'Day sloop. In addition to learning leadership, seamanship, citizenship, fellowship and boating skills, Explorer Club and Sea Scout members will visit various organizations and meet with craftsmen and experts to learn about the diversity of maritime industries and careers that exist on Cape Cod. These include boatbuilding, upkeep and maintenance, marine rescue and survival (USCG), marine science and technology (MMA), commercial fishing, tourism (Sport fishing, Chartering) and maritime history. Other opportunities include camping, seal watching, snorkeling, and sailing on board larger historic vessels, perhaps even a tall ship.

To learn more about becoming a member of either *Explorer Club 72* or *Sea Scout Ship 72* plan to **attend an open house** at the *Sea Scout Ship 72* "Landship" located at 46 Beach Road in East Orleans on Saturday May 2nd from 10-4. Go to http://www.seascoutship72.org/ and/or call 508-255-8554 to find out more about these youth organizations. Students and their parents are encouraged to stop by the open house anytime between 10-4 to meet us, ask questions and see what this great opportunity is all about. Several of the organization's vessels will be available to board at the open house event. Hands-on activities such as sail handling, navigating, knot tying, boating safety, and oar handling will be available.

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