



Newsletter

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Call us to join future courses. Talk to us about careers, training, qualifications and fishing safety



Basic Safety Training	Price	Dates
STCW Personal Survival techniques/Sea Survival	£150	16 February, 13 April, 4 May, 25 May
STCW Elementary First Aid/Basic First Aid	£120	15 February, 14 March
Basic Firefighting	£150	13 March
Safety Awareness	£110	20 Feb (Saltash - tbc) 7 March, 6 April
Health and Safety	£110	To be confirmed



Under 16.5m Skipper's Ticket	Price	Dates
5 Day Watchkeeping & Navigation	£650	20 – 24 February
GMDSS VHF Short Range Certificate	£260	10 March
Stability Awareness for Experienced Fishermen	£140	08 March
Advanced Stability Awareness	£140	09 March
Approved Engineering Course 1	£670	To be confirmed

More courses are being planned – for further information contact us on info@seafoodcornwalltraining.co.uk and we can add you to our waiting list.

PLEASE NOTE: Seafish funding for courses towards the 16.5m skippers ticket *currently finishes at the end of March 2023* – please email for further information on these courses.



How the Credit Union can help with boat safety grants.

If you need to do work to your boat, fit an auto pilot, man overboard ladder or a hundred other jobs and access cash is holding you back from a grant application Commsave the credit union for fishermen can help you access the funds you need more quickly.

They provide loans to bridge the gap between you making the application and receiving the money from the grant makers a few months later, enabling you to get on with the work sooner. Then, once you receive the grant money, you have the option of repaying the loan in full.

The fishing Animateurs can help you with explaining the process and filling in all the paperwork. Remember for health and safety work the grant rate is 80% then, once you've got your offer letter, you can apply to Commsave for a loan to cover the cost of the work you're carrying out. You should join Commsave in good time and be a regular small saver.

Speak to the Animateurs for more information or click on the link below to visit their website.

<https://www.commsave.co.uk/fish> You can give the Fishing Animateurs a call on 01736 362782.



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As some of you may be aware Seafood Cornwall Training delivers the **Fishing Safety Project** which aims to raise safety awareness and behaviours of the SW England commercial fishing workforce. The project provides workshops, training and sharing best practice on safety behaviours and offers **FREE** advice to commercial fishermen in the South West and to vessel owners on under 15m Registered fishing vessels that would not normally afford this assistance from any other source.

Free services include:

- Workshops in on board operations and risk assessments
- Support with Safety Management Systems
- Information issued by the MCA about vessel inspections, including a vessel tour with the owner
- Solutions to stability issues
- Emergency Drills
- Roll Test/Heel Test
- Signposting to other relevant agencies, such as grants, training, Healthy Cornwall, Mental Health and Wellbeing, financial management and of course, the Fishermen's Mission.



If you would like a bespoke event in your port either for yourself and your crew, a Fishing Association or informal group then please call the office on 01736 364324.

Fishing Safety project and quayside workshops are run by Clive Palfrey SCT Safety Adviser 01736 364324 safety@seafoodcornwalltraining.co.uk

It is funded by our partners at Trinity House Maritime Charity, the Seafarers Charity, Seafish Industry Authority and the FaSS grant scheme run by MMO on behalf of DEFRA.

Inshore Vessel Monitoring

The Fishing Animateurs can help fisherman with a Kernow Credit Union loan so you can buy and fit the unit. We can also do your online paperwork and claim. Regular drop in at Looe on Mondays and Newlyn on Fridays. Call on 01736 362782 to find out more.

Lifestyle Advisers and Health Checks for fishing families.

. They offer useful advice about lifestyles and simple Health checks that only take around 30 minutes. Mike Dale from the Mission will be out on the quayside for families and their fisherman in the next few months

Newquay: 14th Feb 9-1 and 18th April 1-5

Looe: 26th April time to be confirmed

Padstow: 4th May time to be confirmed



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HEALTH CHECKS

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'Providing training, resources and initiatives to support a sustainable fish industry'

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