



PSC Skipper Qualification and Minimum Crewing Requirements

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		Event	Skipper	1 st Crewmember	2 nd Crewmember
River		Day charter on a PSC-owned boat in the local area	PSC River Basic Keelboat Skipper	Crew member with boating knowledge acceptable to the skipper.	
			PSC River Social Sail Skipper, PSC River Instructor, PSC River Advanced Skipper, PSC Racing Skipper, PSC Bay Skipper	Crew member able to provide some assistance as determined by skipper. No boating knowledge needed.	
		Social sail on a PSC-owned boat	PSC River Social Sail Skipper, PSC River Advanced Skipper, PSC River Instructor, PSC Racing Skipper PSC Bay Skipper	Crew member able to provide some assistance as determined by skipper. No boating knowledge needed.	
		Operate a PSC-owned boat at night or outside the local area	PSC River Advanced Skipper, PSC Racing Skipper	Crew member with boating knowledge acceptable to the skipper.	
		ASA 101/103 class	PSC River Instructor, PSC Bay Skipper (Note: lead instructor must be ASA 201/203 certified.)	Crew member attended PSC 101/103 classroom session.	
	To administratively relocate boats by motor power only.	Requirement to relocate will be established by Racing captain to support races and by River Commodore for other river activities.			
Bay	Mono hull	Day sails, short night sails and raft-ups on	PSC Bay Skipper	Crew member with boating knowledge acceptable to the	Crew member with some boating experience acceptable



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	the Chesapeake Bay		skipper.	to the skipper.
	Extended night sails on the Chesapeake Bay waters where crew stands watch through the night	PSC Bay Skipper	Crew member with Senior Crew or higher certification.	Crew member with some boating experience acceptable to the skipper.
	PSC monohull charter outside of Maryland waters	PSC Bay Senior Skipper or PSC Bay Skipper with the approval of the Bay Commodore	Crew member with Senior Crew or higher certification.	Crew member with Senior Crew with approval of the Bay Commodore.
	Docking/Close Quarters Maneuvering class	PSC Bay Docking Instructor	Crew member with some boating experience acceptable to the skipper.	Crew member with some boating experience acceptable to the skipper.
Catamaran	Day sails, short night sails and raft-ups on the Chesapeake Bay	PSC Catamaran Skipper	Crew member with some boating experience acceptable to the skipper.	Crew member with some boating experience acceptable to the skipper.
	Extended night sails on the Chesapeake Bay where crew stands watch through the night	PSC Catamaran Skipper	Crew member with Senior Crew or higher qualification and catamaran experience.	Crew member with some boating experience acceptable to the skipper.
	PSC catamaran charter outside of Maryland waters	PSC Catamaran Skipper who also is a PSC Bay Senior Skipper	Crew member with Senior Crew or higher certification and with catamaran experience.	Crew member with catamaran experience, or Senior Crew with approval of the Bay Commodore
All	Final evaluation for new Bay Skippers	PSC Senior Bay Skipper	Bay Skipper candidate who successfully completed 1 st On-the-Water evaluation	Crew member with boating knowledge acceptable to the skipper.