***Skipper Safe Course***

By enrolling in our ***Skipper Safe Course*** you will be taking one very important step in ensuring the safety of your family and your vessel when you are out on the busy waterways.

Our course is presented by expert training boating professionals, they are there to pass on their extensive knowledge in safety and vessel handling to ensure your day out on the water is safe and enjoyable.

Our *Skipper Safe Course* will demonstrate the following important items prior to hitting the high sea!!

* How to set up your boat correctly prior to launching with all lines etc. for mooring and launching
* What Safety equipment do I need??, do I have the right equipment for the job
* Outboard / Stern drive engine checks prior to launching, including steering
* How to back a trailer down to the ramp and what safety checks to carry out prior, which shackles, chains etc. to leave or undo
* Safety instruction to all your passengers and where to find or store the correct gear
* How to go over your boat checking all the oil, hull bungs, batteries, steering and control surfaces of the boat as well as electrical Navigation / Sounder set up
* What tools do I need?, first aid suggestions, spares and equipment advisable
* Trailer maintenance and checks prior and after launching, we will show you how to correctly flush the motor to ensure longevity of your valuable boat & trailer
* Which moorings can I use and where do I anchor?
* What to do in an emergency should I require help for a breakdown or medical issue

When you undertake our ***Skipper Safe Course*** we will take you on a trip around your local waterway, showing you all the safe anchorages, where to get a coffee!, toilets, navigation hazards and more importantly, rules of the road to ensure you are complying with all the navigation rules and putting yourself your family and your boat in harm’s way

On completion of our course we will give you a ***Skipper Safe Certificate of Completion*** plus a handy hints and tips info pack to keep on board with all the things you have learnt.