CROTON YACHT CLUB ENVIRONMENTAL SERIES 2017

These events begin at 7:30 PM in the main room of the Croton Yacht Club, Croton, NY

April 7th "The Great Hudson River Striped Bass Fishery"

Captain John Matthews of Halfmoon Charters will present a candid discussion of the Hudson River Striped Bass fishery. Captain John will discuss the remarkable story of the recovery of the Hudson River striped bass population which was long ago devastated by pollution and over-fishing. John has lived on or close to the shores of the Hudson his entire life. He has past experience working with commercial fishermen on the Hudson and is currently a licensed captain and fishes both the Hudson and the Sound for striped bass and other game fish. John will share his experience as a technician for Texas Instruments, who managed a striped bass tagging and restocking program in the 1980's and 1990's. He will also share tips on where, when and how to fish for striped bass on the Hudson and will share tips and techniques to improve your success. Even the most experienced striped bass fishermen will surely learn something from this insightful seminar. If you ever wanted to learn how to catch a trophy striped bass, you do not want to miss this opportunity to learn from one of the best.

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march26thcrotonhudson.html. Upon the successful completion of the course, you will be issued a New York State Safe Boater Certificate. This New York State Parks & Recreation course is approved by NASBLA (National Association of State Boating Law Administrators). If you are over 18 you will be required to pay NYS Parks a \$10.00 fee for your boating safety certificate. All Instructors are New York State and U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Certified.

March 26th – NYS Boating Education Classes

The Croton Yacht Club will again be sponsoring a New York State Boating Safety course on Sunday March 26th from 9 AM to 5PM. This certificate is required for anyone operating a PWC-Jet ski in the state of New York and boaters entering

New Jersey or Connecticut waters. Students must be a minimum of 10 years of age. The course fee is \$60 per person and preregistration is required through http:// nyboatingsafety.com/nyboatingcoursedates/



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