

FVSPS Sail Class, Summer, 2017, Schedule

Sections in the USPS *Sail* book are covered in class on the dates shown below. During the following week students should read those sections, answer the questions at the end of each section, and then we will go over the questions in the next class.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Sail Book Sections</u>
August 5	1 Sailboat Rigs 2 Sail Plans 6 Running Rigging
August 12	13 Steering and Helmsmanship 14 Sailing Upwind 15 Sailing Downwind
August 19	9 Wind 10 Sail Shape 11 Preparing to Sail
August 26	3 Boat Design and Hull Types 4 Standing Rigging 5 Sails
September 2	7 Stability 8 Balance 12 Tuning the Rig
September 9	16 Spinnaker Handling 17 Heavy Weather Sailing 18 Storm Conditions
September 16	19 Docking and Anchoring 20 Marlinespike Seamanship 21 Sailing Safety 22 Navigation Rules
September 23	Review (10:00) and EXAM (11:00)

Note: *Sail* book chapters have been reordered for in-class coverage so as to cover early the chapters important for sailing technique, and thus support the OTW part of the FVSPS Sail course.