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## "Boating Safely" course held on Saturday, May 9, at Brewster Creek

GENEVA, IL — As part of the Forest Preserve District's May Safety Month, we're hosting a "Boating Safely" course by the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary.

This beginner boating course will give you the knowledge needed to obtain a boat license or safety certification in many states. The course is on Saturday, May 9, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Barbara Belding Lodge at Brewster Creek Forest Preserve.

Topics include: introduction to boating; law; safety equipment; safe boating; navigation; boating problems; trailering; storing and protecting your boat; and hunting, fishing, water-skiing and river boating.

Course cost is $35 before May 6; after May 6, registration goes up to $65. Participants can register by going to http://flotilla41-07.org/boating-education-classes.htm.

Brewster Creek Forest Preserve is located at 6N921 Illinois Route 25, Saint Charles.

For more information, call 630-444-1168 or visit www.kaneforest.com.

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