Captain Mike Brown

Captain Mike Brown is the founder and manager of Delmarva Sailing School, Virgin Islands Sailing Academy and the Nockamixon Sailing School. He holds a US Coast Guard 50 Ton Ocean Master Captain's License with Sailing, Towing, and STCW Endorsements. Captain Mike also has an equivalent license in the BVI allowing him to serve in capacity requiring a Boat Master Grade II license.

He is a ASA certified instructor for the following ASA standards:

ASA 101 Basic Keelboat

ASA 103 Basic Coastal Cruising

ASA 104 Bareboat Cruising

ASA 105 Coastal Navigation

ASA106 Advanced Coastal Cruising

ASA107 Celestial Navigation

ASA108 Ocean Passage Making

ASA114 Cruising Catamaran

ASA117 Basic Celestial Endorsement

ASA 118 Docking Endorsement

ASA119 Marine Weather Endorsement

Captain Mike also has Instructor Evaluator status with ASA, and can certify instructors.

Selected by ASA for the designation of "Outstanding Instructor" in 2009, 2012 and 2018 and 2020.

Captain Mike likes to emphasize having fun along with thorough training to both ASA standards and his own high standards of sailing and seamanship.

Captain Mike enjoys sailing on the Chesapeake Bay, Delaware River, Delaware Bay, Atlantic Ocean, Newport, Block Island, the US Virgin Islands, Spanish Virgin Islands, British Virgin Islands, and Lake Nockamixon.



Captain Mike relaxing on the water

