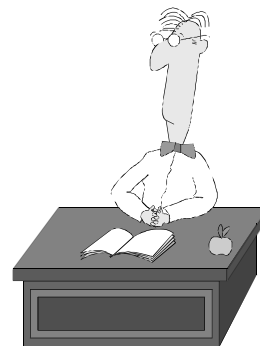


TEACHER EDUCATION COURSES IN OUTDOOR SAFETY TO BE OFFERED

For the next two years, an aggressive marine, boating and outdoor activity safety instructor training program is underway. Central to the program is the three-day course, **Cold Water Safety in The Schools Teacher Workshop**, that will be offered across Alaska.. The companion curriculum includes hands-on activities that tie into State of Alaska education standards. Teachers can introduce safety topics while meeting objectives in several teaching subjects. Those who take the course will be supported with training equipment from AMSEA. Instructors from the statewide AMSEA instructor network will be available to co-instruct. For more information about this exciting new program, contact AMSEA!



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www.uaf.edu/seagrant/amsea — is always evolving as time and opportunity allow. This column keeps you informed of new developments in AMSEA's little corner of the world wide web.

Some current features of the site:

- i Information on the programs AMSEA offers and fun pictures of classes;
- i Updated lists of our equipment and teaching supplies for loan and for sale.

At www.uaf.edu/seagrant/amsea you can:

- i Submit requests to borrow AMSEA equipment such as PFDs, life rafts, immersion suits, signaling devices, videos, slides, and displays for your classes;
- i Link to related sites for information on weather, safety rules, and training opportunities;
- i AMSEA instructors can submit Course Monitoring forms on-line. (These are the very important forms we ask all instructors to send in so we can report hard numbers to our granting agencies.)

Cold Water Safety in The Schools Teacher Workshops Slated for Five Alaska Communities:

Soldotna - February 13-15, 1999
Kodiak - March 30 - April 1, 1999
Haines - April 13-15, 1999
Naknek - May 4-6, 1999
Fairbanks - June 4-6, 1999

For more information, or to register for any of these workshops, contact AMSEA.

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