

Captain Dave Stadler

Captain Dave Stadler holds a US Coast Guard 50 Ton Inland Master with Sailing and Towing Endorsements. He is a certified ASA instructor for a number of sailing, navigation and weather courses. Dave Stadler is shown here at the helm of 'Gallivant, 39' Pearson sloop on the Chesapeake Bay.



Dave and his wife Jamie enjoy sailing the waters of Lake Nockamixon, Chesapeake Bay, and the Virgin Islands. Although Dave is a technology executive by day, he enjoys “old school” navigation and reading maritime history.

Dave caught the sailing bug after many years of power boating. He initially thought sailing was boring but took a sailing class for something to do. After two weeks of sailing, he could not sell his powerboat fast enough! Dave and Jamie have owned a number of sailboats, and currently have a Beneteau Oceanis 41 on the Chesapeake Bay.

Dave has a fascination with Marine Weather and is the instructor for ASA 119 Marine Weather Endorsement.



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