

Corrections as of September 17, 2008
Intermediate Coastal Training Cruises
ASA104 Bareboat Chartering Certification Level
Course Outline dated May 1, 2008

Page 3: Change 1st bullet under Optional to:

- Inflatable PFD (optional)

Page 11: Delete the entire paragraph titled Harness & Tether and replace with the following:

Harness & Tether: All crewmembers are required to wear a safety harness and tether and clip to a safety line when in the cockpit at night, or when going forward on deck, or when warranted by rough sea conditions. Our yachts are equipped with safety harnesses and tethers and student crewmembers can use these during ASA104 cruises.

If you prefer to bring your own harness and tether, please note that many of the body harnesses carried by West Marine or Landfall Navigation or other chandlers are suitable and you'll need to determine which fits your personal preferences, comfort and price range. An inexpensive body harness such as the Mustang 1900 found at <http://www.pyacht.com/cgi-bin/pagegen.pl?pr+musMA1900> is pictured below.

However, we do not recommend the tethers carried by many chandlers that have a quick disconnect hook at the harness end due to the possibility of accidental release at the wrong time. We recommend a tether with permanently sewn loop at the harness end such as the Wichard Item 7016 at <http://www.wichard.com/documents/safety.pdf> pictured below. Most chandlers do not carry this 7016 tether in stock, but they can special order it from Wichard, and we recently found that <http://www.pyacht.com> will accommodate such special orders.



Mustang 1900 Body Harness



Wichard 7016 Tether

Page 11: Add the following new paragraphs:

Inflatable PFD: An inflatable PFD is not required for this cruise since the yacht is equipped with Type I offshore PFDs. However, many sailors prefer to wear an inflatable when working on deck, but these should never be substituted for the harness and tether previously discussed since the main priority is to remain on board and attached to the boat at all times. There are many choices in inflatable PFDs and you'll need to determine which fits your personal preferences, comfort and price range if purchasing one.

Also, combination harnesses with inflatable PFD attached are also available, and in some, the inflatable is quickly detachable allowing use of just the harness and tether.