



Trip No _____

To all participants in the Starpath Onboard Navigation Courses,

Good day, and thank you for taking part in this onboard navigation training program. It is a most wonderful opportunity to develop and enhance your navigation skills during an actual onboard voyage in an authentic commercial fishing vessel with state of the art navigation equipment. We at Starpath always look forward to the trips as we too get to share in the wonderful hospitality of the F/V Aimee O crew.

Please find in this packet several information sheets, along with several documents that we ask you to sign and return to F/V Aimee O, Inc..

Besides the Personal and Trip Information sheets, there is an **Acknowledgment of Risk**, which is common to all adventure travel and underway operations. You will note some details about activities on land or in small boats. We do not get to do much of this in the navigation courses, but since there might be an opportunity for some of these activities depending on scheduling, these issues are addressed as well. Participation in such activities is always voluntary. The **Personal Info** and **Customs** sheets include emergency contact information as well as data needed for trips which visit Canadian waters.

Please note that Starpath Corporation and Starpath instructors are also guests on the vessel, and sign the same Acknowledgment of Risk during the voyages. All decisions regarding final scheduling and operation of the vessel, and selection of routes and maneuvers taken once underway are under the command of the Captain of the vessel and the F/V Aimee O, Inc. Our job at Starpath is to design and present effective training programs and to see that all participants learn what they have set out to learn, and have a good time learning it. Please let us know at any time if any part of this goal needs special attention. We welcome and encourage your feedback and input while underway.

Questions of scheduling, fee schedules, and onboard accommodations should please be addressed to me at Starpath. 800-955-8328 or helpdesk@starpath.com.

Welcome aboard!

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