

NEWSLETTER

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Funding from the EU EMFF and MCA, through the Seafish Training Programme, is available for experienced fishermen (until March 2020) to refresh basic training and courses towards their Under 16.5m Skippers Ticket or Certificate of Competence. Candidates must already hold all four basic safety certificates and have completed their *Safety Awareness*.



Basic Safety Training	Dates	Price
Survival at Sea (STCW)	30 April 11 June 2 July	£130
First Aid (STCW)	1 May	£100
Fire Fighting	2 May 26 June	£130
Health And Safety	29 April 10 June	£100
Safety Awareness	17 May	£100

Under 16.5m Skipper's Ticket	Dates
AEC Diesel Engine course (Newlyn)	17-20 June

FREE courses for New Entrants Apply Now

Introduction to Fishing Safety 3 Days- Includes Sea Survival	20-22 May
Introduction to Commercial Fishing (ICF) 15 Days- includes all 4 basic safety courses	8-26 July
ICF Taster event	31 May
ICF Taster event	28 June

Making Tax Digital

Many businesses with a turnover of £85,000+ have received notifications from HMRC about registering for the new online system. It is important to know that once you register, there is NO GOING BACK to the old system. You must make sure the system you are using is "MVD ready" before registering. This can mean updating your software to the latest version or moving to a compliant system such as SAGE, Xero or QuickBooks.

The new rules apply to VAT returns covering periods from 1st April 2019. So returns up to 31st March can be submitted on the old system.

If you are still confused about what you need to do, speak to your accountant or go online at www.gov.uk/government/publications/making-tax-digital

KERNOW CREDIT UNION

Service point at
The Fishermen's Shack
Newlyn Harbour
Fridays 11.30 to 2pm



Also at Liskeard,
Falmouth, St Austell,
Penryn, Penzance

KERNOW CREDIT UNION

Operates a loan scheme for
EMFF grant applicants

Call 01209 314449 for more
details

MEDICAL CERTIFICATION: NEW RULES FOR ALL FISHERMEN

From MSN1883: Crew working on fishing vessels will be required to have an ENG1 or ML5 medical certificate. Deadlines will be phased out following the schedule below:

	Vessel	Operating pattern	Date medical certificate required	notes
1	FV of any length	Subject to inspection in a foreign port	31 May 2019	ENG1
2	FV 24m or over	At sea for more than 7 days	31 May 2019	ENG1
3	FV 24m or over to which (1) does not apply		30 November 2019	ENG1
4	FV under 24m in length	At sea for more than 72 hours	30 November 2019	ENG1
5	FV under 24m in length	Operating more than 200 miles from coastline of the UK or beyond continental shelf	30 November 2019	ENG1
6	FV under 24m in length to which 1, 4 and 5 do not apply		30 November 2023	ENG1 / ML5

ENG1 medicals are carried out locally by MCA Approved doctors. The maximum fee is £95.

St Austell: Dr Moore 01726 75555

Hayle: Dr Mulholland 01736 753136

Penzance: Dr Boulter 01736 363741

Falmouth: Dr Jackson 01326 372502, Dr Hounsome 01326 315615, Dr Farrell farrell876@btinternet.com

Isles of Scilly: Dr Ross 01720 422628

Truro: Dr Tellam 01872 572553

Saltash: Drs Hamilton & Sowden 01752 842281

Free NHS Health Checks available

Free confidential lifestyle support in Newlyn. A Healthy Lifestyle Advisor will help you make changes to improve your health and wellbeing: Stop smoking, healthy eating, weight loss and increasing activity levels.

If you need information about ENG1, call the Fisherman's Mission at 01736 363499 or see Hazel in Newlyn.

Drop in **Tuesdays 8-12.30** at the **Fishermen's Shack** Newlyn Harbour and **Thursdays 9-4** at **Harbourside Physiotherapy** Newlyn.

SEAFIT PROGRAMME
In partnership with
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Free healthy lifestyle support for fishermen & their families in Newlyn

- Are you really fit for sea?
- Wish you could cut down on your drinking or smoking?
- Think you should lose some weight?

TIME TO TAKE CHARGE AND GET SEAFIT!

For more information:
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 SEAFARERS HOSPITAL SOCIETY
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