



Sea Scout Ship  
**Conquest**  
www.ship564.com Long Beach, CA

# Live The Adventure!

Welcome to the fun and adventure of Sea Scouting. Whether you look to the sea for a career or lifelong hobby, Sea Scouting is for you!

Sea Scouting is an exciting coeducational program for young adults between the ages of 13 and 21.

Sea Scouting is based on traditions that go back hundreds of years. If you are looking for adventures, you will find them here, along with the opportunity to establish long-lasting friendships.

You don't need any previous experience with boats, either. We'll teach you everything you need to know. You will receive expert training in:

- **Boat Handling** (*Youth members always operate the M/V Conquest*)
- **Seamanship** (*How to be a good boater*)
- **Navigation** (*Finding your way at sea*)
- **Rules of the Road** (*Traffic rules Boaters need to know*)
- **Safety and First Aid** (*Be safe on land and sea!*)
- **Galley** (*Learn how to plan, buy and prepare meals.*)
- **Swimming**
- **Sailing** (*Small and large craft*)
- **Electrical Wiring and Installation**
- **Marlinspike** (*knots, splicing and line handling*)
- **Boat construction** (*Build and repair with wood and fiberglass*)
- **Diesel and Gasoline Engines** (*How they work, and how to fix them*)
- **Marine Electronics** (*Install and operate radios, radar, GPS, etc.*)



## Cruising and Fun Activities

Here is the chance to get away from it all. Cruising takes you beyond any experience you will get on a day's outing. Living on a boat involves sharing the duties of helmsman, navigator, lookout, cook and engineer. While cruising, you live on a sea-roving summer camp with each day offering a new destination in the morning and the changing scenery of a new harbor in the evening.

We cruise to Avalon, Two Harbors, Emerald Bay, and other parts of Catalina Island as well as extended cruises up and down the West Coast. Our annual Summer Cruise has taken us to the Channel Islands and north to San Francisco and Sacramento. our Sea Scouts have cruised as far North as Alaska, and as far South as Baja California, Mexico. We also take harbor cruises, fishing trips, and whale watch cruises.

We also participate in several nautical competitions every year which put the things we learn to the test against other Sea Scout ships across the nation.

Dances, barbeques, beach & pool parties, camping, hiking, mountain, lake & desert trips round out the program.

To join, you must be 13 years of age and have completed the 8th grade. You can remain a Sea Scout until your 21<sup>st</sup> birthday.

If all this sounds too good to be true for a registration fee of just \$24.00 a year, why not come down and see for yourself?

We meet every Tuesday night at 7:30 at the Long Beach Sea Scout Base.

Visit our Website at: [www.ship564.com](http://www.ship564.com) to see a map and more pictures.

If you prefer, you can call us at: **(562) 335-6423**.

We'll invite you down to meet us in person. Look us over! We think you'll like what you see!

