

Education Passages

*415 Lincolnville Avenue
Belfast, ME 04915*

2009 Events

Sea Trials: Saturday April 18th or 25th

Belfast Bay Inner Harbor

Students will bring their boats to Belfast. We'll sail them in the inner harbor along the foot bridge.

Maine Maritime Day: Late April/early May

- 1) Deliver boats to the State of Maine training vessel
- 2) Meet Captain Wade
- 3) Tour the 500 foot ship and witness a ships drill
- 4) Tour the Maritime Academy
- 5) Lunch at the Academy
- 6) Meet with Admissions and if possible experience the ship simulator

Boat Launching:

Present plans call for launching two unmanned boats in four different areas in the Atlantic where we think they could sail for months before reaching their final destination. Likely release points include:

- 1) North of Puerto Rico
- 2) South of the Azores
- 3) The mid-Atlantic
- 4) well off the Maine Coast

Likely Destinations:

- 1) Europe
- 2) The Caribbean
- 3) Newfoundland

Probable Participants Include:

- 1) High Schools
- 2) Middle Schools
- 3) Elementary Schools
- 4) YMCA
- 5) Retirement Center

Costs:

\$995 which includes the GPS unit and 4 months satellite tracking. Schools and non-profit organizations may qualify for a discount of up to \$300/boat.

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