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Marine Weather

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Washington Sea Grant, NW Maritime Center, and WSU Jefferson County Extension are co-sponsoring a Marine Weather Workshop.

Topics covered include:

- Relationships of atmospheric pressure and wind.
- Determining the path and speed of squalls.
- Strong wind systems found in the Northwest and offshore; how to avoid them.
- Key features of low pressure systems
- How 500mb wind patterns can help you find "weather windows" for safe passages.

When: Saturday, October 3, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Where: NW Maritime Center, 431 Water Street

Port Townsend

Fee: \$50; Pre-registration is required

For information and registration, contact Sarah Fisken: *sfisken@uw.edu* or 206.543.1225.

- How do pressure gradients affect wind in Washington waters?
- What is a computer model? How do they work and what can they give you?
- How to get NWS and associated weather, forecast, and model data on your computer.

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