

March 2016

Overboard Drills

April 16th

Tangier - 8:30am

Murphy's Cove Wharf,
West Quoddy 11:30am

Marie Joseph 2:30pm



**Fisheries Safety
Association**
OF NOVA SCOTIA

NOTICE of the 2016 AGM

The FSANS Annual General Meeting will be held as follows:

Thursday, March 24, 10:00 a.m
Future Inn, 30 Fairfax Drive, Halifax
(Storm date March 31)

Please see the **Agenda** under News and Events at www.fisherinessafety.ca

Planning to attend? Please call 902-354-6001 or email info@fisheriessafety.ca

All Members are Welcome
and encouraged to attend and participate

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

For the position of Director

FSANS is seeking nominations for its Board of Directors. Directors will be asked to commit to a 3-year term, with 4-5 meetings per year.

You are invited to put your name forward, or nominate someone for Director. Please contact the FSANS office: P 902-354-6001 F 902-354-5971 or info@fisheriessafety.ca by March 21, 2016 and plan to attend the:

2016 FSANS Annual General Meeting
March 24, 10:00 a.m. at the Future Inn, 30 Fairfax Drive, Halifax

All Nominees will be contacted to confirm their intent to run for Director. Directors will be elected at the 2016 AGM and announced on the FSANS website.

****** Special Resolution ******

The Board of Directors submits for approval by the Members of the Society, the proposed revisions to the By-Laws as shown below. For the full copy of the FSANS existing By-Laws and proposed changes, please see www.fisherinessafety.ca/aboutus.htm

Summary of changes:

- *Throughout document– bullets and indents reformatted for readability and appearance,*
- *Section 24 – added Transport Canada and Department of Fisheries and Oceans to the list of advisory members to reflect current practice,*
- *Section 36 – minor changes to wording for clarity. NO change to the Quorum requirement ,*
- *Section 39 – added Past-Chair to the list of Officers,*
- *Section 42 – corrected lettering, starting with a) rather than b),*
- *Section 45 – NEW Section describes the position and duties of the Past-Chair.*

NOTE: A "Special Resolution" requires approval of 75% of members entitled to vote, and present in person at the AGM.

A Major investment in Safety

The Gulf Nova Scotia Fleet Planning Board is buying more than a thousand personal flotation devices, or PFD's, worth nearly a quarter of a million dollars. FSANS Director Leonard Le Blanc says *if one life is saved, it's worth it.*

This is a wonderful gesture. Thanks GNSFPB for helping to promote safety in fishing!

Remember: The BEST PFD is the one you will WEAR!



FSANS Levy

NOTICE

The Fisheries Safety Association (FSANS) levy will appear on your next WCB statement. The amount of the levy is \$50, \$100, or \$200, depending on your last year's premium, and is being collected to support training and injury prevention programs.

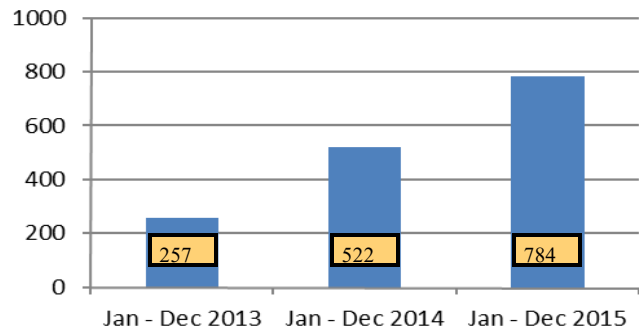
The levy is essential to fund ongoing activities and operation of the FSANS as we work hard on your behalf to improve health and safety, to positively impact WCB rates, and to minimize the human and financial costs of injury for employees and employers in all fisheries related work environments.

Most of you will have noticed a significant reduction in your 2016 WCB premiums, Let's keep this up and continue a trend toward safer work environments and reduced injury costs!

Training

Let the picture speak for itself

Participants Trained



Save on Training

Call Sandra at (902) 742-7521 to register

Contact Us

COURSE	DATE	LOCATION	REG. PRICE	FSANS PRICES
ROC-MC	March 1-3	Yarmouth	450	350
MBFA	March 12-13	Digby	130	75
ROC-MC	March 21-24	Port Hawkesbury	450	350
ROC-MC	March 29-31	Yarmouth	450	350
MED-A1	March 7-9	Liverpool	625	425
MAFA	March 7-11	Dartmouth	385	300
MBFA	March 8-9	Yarmouth	130	75
MBFA	March 12-13	Digby	130	75
MBFA	March 22-23	Yarmouth	130	75
ROC-MC	March 29-31	Shelburne	450	350
MED-A1	March 30-April 1	Digby	625	425
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MBFA	April 11-12	Weymouth	130	75
MED-A1	April 12-14	Pictou	625	425
MAFA	April 18-22	Dartmouth	385	300
ROC-MC	April 19-21	Pictou	450	350
MBFA	April 23-24	Barrington	130	75
SVOP	April 26-29	Pictou	475	325
MBFA	May 3-4	Yarmouth	130	75
MBFA	May 14-15	Digby	130	75
ROC-MC	May 31-June 3	Port Hawkesbury	450	350
FM-IV	June 6-Aug 12	Shelburne	4400	3100
ROC-MC	June 8-10	Yarmouth	450	350
MBFA	June 9-10	Digby	130	75
MED-A1	June 14-17	Yarmouth	625	425
SVOP	June 14-17	Shelburne	475	325
MBFA	June 25-26	Barrington	130	75
MAFA	July 25-29	Yarmouth	385	300
FM-IV	August 2 - Oct 7	Digby	4400	3100
FM-IV	August 8-Oct 14	Yarmouth	4400	3100



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Members, please be sure to check our website for discounts available to you not only on training but safety equipment as well!!!

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www.fisherinessafety.ca

*First Aid classes are held throughout the Province. Call to find one in your area. Also available: Forklift Training; WHMIS-GHS training FREE for Members! Call to register, or to find out more about your training needs.