



## Goals of the Program

- ★ To develop and/or expand knowledge of local maritime heritage
- ★ To promote a sense of self & community
- ★ To develop leadership skills in youth and adults through maritime educational programs
- ★ To develop a coalition of businesses, governmental entities, school districts, service clubs, and trade associations to support program goals



## Learn A Skill



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**Mr. James Taylor**



**Hours of Operation**  
September-June  
Tuesdays and Thursdays  
3:00pm-6:00pm  
July-August  
Monday-Thursday  
9:00am-2:00pm

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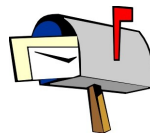
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# RISING TIDE



## Mission Statement

To engage all aspects of a community in wooden boat building and environmental educational programs. To build respect for others, the environment, and the Hudson Valley Waterfront, develop confidence, and learn craftsmanship through Boat Building.



*"The participants learn as much about themselves as they do about woodworking" —James Taylor*



The Program serves low to moderate income students enrolled in the local middle and high schools or youth ages 13-18.

## What is Rising Tide?

Peekskill Rising Tide Boatbuilding program runs after-school during the year and over the summer enabling youth and adults to build row-boats together, becoming an experience that builds self-esteem and self-confidence, while providing students with hands-on experiences incorporating math, technology, environmental sciences, ecology studies and team building skills (reinforcing many different subjects that the kids learn in school, and additionally instilling a sense of pride and self-worth).



## PROGRAM ACTIVITIES

- ★ Boat Building Classes
- ★ Kayak Building Classes
- ★ Rowing Classes
- ★ Workshops
- ★ Lectures



## Why Should I Become a Rising Tide Participant?

- ★ Learn how to work with tools
- ★ Develop skills in woodworking
- ★ Learn how to measure, saw and paint
- ★ Have an opportunity to explore the Hudson River
- ★ Enhance character and self-esteem
- ★ Develop a career
- ★ Have fun!

