



Celestial Navigation Seminar

“A brief primer with a focus on Noon Sights”

Ever wondered how navigation was done
before GPS?

This seminar provides an introduction to the art of celestial navigation,
with a focus on noon sights. It is given in two sessions:

Session 1: Thur, October 1, 7:00PM – 9:00PM

A brief description of the notions involved in celestial navigation, sextant operation, and the specifics of how to obtain position using a noon sight of the Sun.

Session 2: Sat, October 3, 10:00AM – 3:00PM

Using a sextant, taking several sights of the Sun as it passes over Santa Barbara at its highest point, and calculating position using the methods from Session 1.

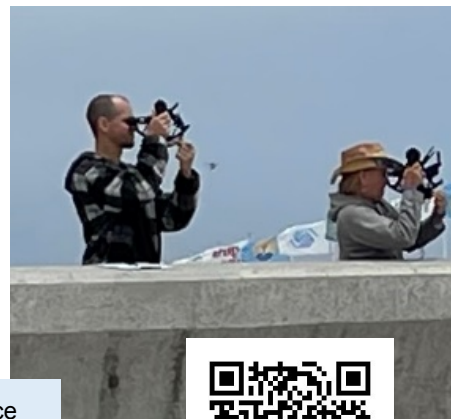
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Location:

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