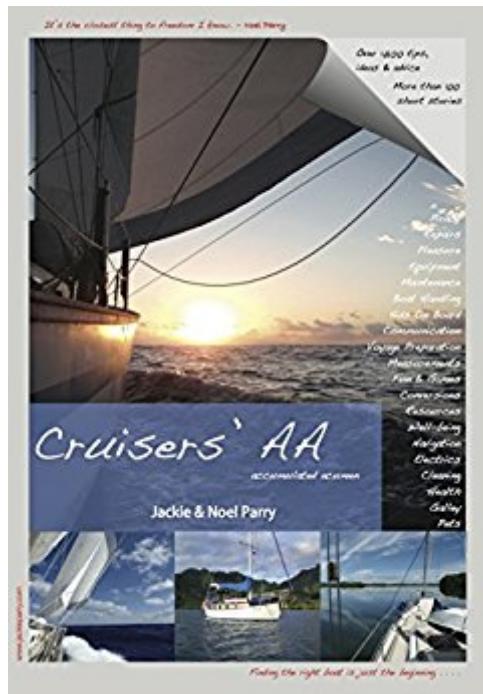


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Cruisers' AA: Cruisers' Accumulated Acumen



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With over 1,800 tips, tricks, words of wisdom and ideas on cruising, interspersed with more than 100 short stories, *Cruisersâ™ AA* provides all the advice you need to go cruising NOW and improve your life on board. With great ideas on voyage preparation, piracy, pets, kids, communication, health, boat handling, electrics, equipment, fun & games, maintenance & repairs and so much more, it will show you how to significantly enhance your cruising life. Do you long for a life of cruising? Are you currently on passage? Perhaps you simply dream of great possibilities that seem so far from your daily life. This book bridges the gap and gives you the means of escape. With *Cruisersâ™ AA*, you will gaze through the porthole into another world, a world where you can live freely and improve your life. Already cruising? If you are a cruiser, then you already know the joy of living freely â€“ this book will help you make cruising life even more enjoyable, and show you how to stretch your budget to allow you to live freely for longer. If you are a firm landlubber, are interested in knowing what happens â€“ out thereâ™ and want some great tips that could help you improve your life too, take a look â€“ you might be surprised at what you find. *Cruisersâ™ AA* slices through the myths of living on board. It shows you that once you have the right boat, anything is possible. Turn your dreams into reality with advice from hundreds of cruisers. The hardest part about going cruising is making the decision to stop writing lists, untie your lines and get going. This book will help steady your fears and sink your doubts. Thought provoking questions and answers will steer you on the right tack. Once underway, this book will provide neat ideas on improving, maintaining and loving your cruising life. Finding the right boat is just the beginning . . .

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Even though it's been a few years since I've sailed Lake Michigan (out of Chicago), my experience not unlike a pea to a rather large watermelon when compared to Jackie and Noel Parry's extensive ocean voyaging, I found this book a refreshing treat. Whether sailing a sixteen foot pocket-cruiser or a sixty foot yacht, there is enough information in this book to grab attention. The sections on fire safety, anchoring, onboard equipment, storage, navigation, life lines, vests and even cleaning (I'll never look at coffee filters as just-for-breakfast anymore) were well worth the read. And what tied it all together, for me, were the "Short Stories" interspersed throughout, all based on the Parry's personal experience. This is a well-written book, more so a reference guide, I would have placed on our boat's bookshelf, next to Chapman. Good reading for those sailing, or have sailed, or who have ever dreamed of trimming a fluttering main and the freedom of the water.

I recommend this book to anyone who desires to sail. It's very informative and easy to understand. Filled with so many tips most books never cover. We refer to it all the time. It's for a modern sailor yet keeps important traditions. Jackie and Noel both provide their wisdom and I appreciate the time it took and their willingness to share their experiences.

An interesting and detailed how-to guide to sailboat cruising. Unless you're a cruiser, wanna be a cruiser (me) or just interested in the topic, it's probably not for you... but if you are, the author lists and/or discusses everything you can imagine about sailboat cruising with some great resources in a clear and concise manner. It includes some experiences from her book "Of Foreign Build" about her own circumnavigation cruise thrown in to illustrate points.

This book is a great, interesting and informative read. Very educational and essential to any boat owner, especially if you plan to ever leave the dock. As a sailor of over 40 years I learned quite a bit. There is so many interesting topics covered and done in a very entertaining way. Can't wait for the next book.

This is real and actually useful information by people who have really been there. I look forward to reading Of Foreign Build.

I thoroughly enjoyed this. It is well done, incredibly helpful, and Jackie does a brilliant job of making it sound so practical.

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Great assortment of ideas, to do's and don't leave home without...a great resource for those of us planning on cutting the lines.

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