

## Whites Training

Twice a year auxiliaries George White and his wife open up their home to division 25 members for training and fellowship. This is a great opportunity for those working toward their boat crew or coxswain qualifications to get some “sign-offs”. At the end of the day, steaks are grilled and cake is cut. George invites the “gold side” from the Academy and Station New London to attend. This year Admiral Sandra L. Stosz, Superintendent of the Coast Guard Academy and her staff attended.





## Sea Scouts get a hands-on and frozen experience at the 2011 Sea Scout Rendezvous in New London



Auxiliarist Eileen Christensen, 014-25-06, explains hypothermia to a small group of sea cadets as they submerged their hands into a bucket of icy water. Their mission: try to reassemble several variations of washers, nuts and bolts in 90 seconds. Hypothermia shuts down your ability to work under these extreme cold conditions. "I first like to talk about what it's like to fall into icy water. Next I have them reassemble the washers, nuts and bolts. Most students were able to assemble at least one set; one student gave up after only 12 seconds." said Christensen.



The sea scouts were participating in a three day rendezvous July 15-17, 2011 at Fort Trumbull State Park and Coast Guard Station New London. The United States Coast Guard and Auxiliary supported the event offering the scouts a number of activities and demonstrations.



Bob Carlson and his daughter Kristina take a break from photographing the event.



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## US Coast Guard Band Concert Labor Day Weekend



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Dale Clayton, 014-25-06, Tolland, Connecticut helps a visitor select boating safety information.



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Dale Clayton, 014-25-06, (far rear, left) and David Marriott, 014-25-06, (far rear, right) stand watch as the U.S. Coast Guard Band plays on. The Auxiliary was on hand to distribute literature and "meet and greet" concert goers at the 2011 Labor Day Concert at Fort Trumbull State Park, New London.

