## 2015 Youth Boat Operator Class

The Sheriff's Office will be offering a youth operator class for Bay Lake area youths starting at 8:00 AM, Monday, June 22, at Ruttger's Bay Lake Lodge.

## Classes are open to youths aged 12-17.

The goal is to educate our youth in matters related to boat and water safety and to prepare them for the test to earn their State of Minnesota Watercraft Operators Permit. The youth learn a wealth of information and have a good time driving one of the patrol boats on a marked course.

The youth operator classes are offered by the Crow Wing County Sheriff's Office and in conjunction with local lake associations and local businesses. The classes are taught by deputies and area conservation officers.

"Wearing their life jacket is the number one thing people can do to be safe while on the water. Wear your life jacket." Is the advice given by Boat and Water Sgt. Adam Kronstedt.

More information regarding our Youth Operator classes can be obtained by contacting the Sgt. Adam Kronstedt or Deputy Todd Holk at 218-829-4749.

Please email or call Chris Ruttger to register: chris@ruttgers.com 218-678-4650