

Maritime Museum of Tasmania

School Holiday Program – January 2017

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Ahoy There! Look lively, there be trouble afloat ...

*Have some fun (and learn a bit too) with
Marine Codes, Signals and Safety*

Dates: Tuesday, 17 January: 10.00 am - 12.00 noon
Thursday, 19 January: 10.00 am - 12.00 noon
Monday, 23 January: 10.00 am - 12.00 noon
Tuesday, 24 January: 10.00 am - 12.00 noon

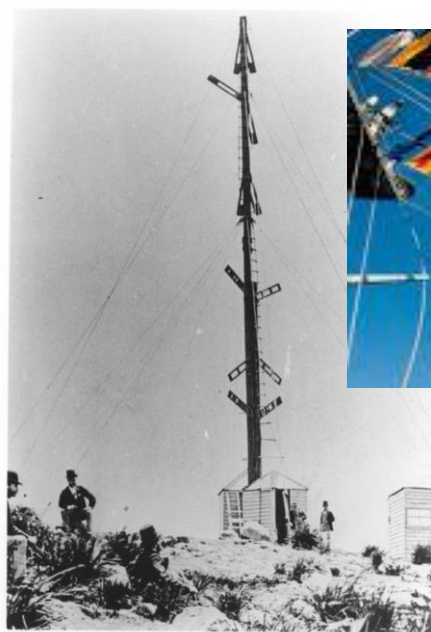
Recommended ages: 7-12 years

Do you know what an EPIRB is, and how it could save people at sea in an emergency?

How good are modern lifejackets compared to the lifebelts and buoys of old? Learn about marine safety and have some fun at the same time.

Before radios, computers and mobile phones, how did sailors send messages? Find out about signal flags, lamps, codes, and even pigeons.

Do you know how semaphore worked? We will put you to the test to unravel some actual codes used when ships were wrecked!



Cost: \$5.00 per family
(children, parents/guardians gain entry to the Museum on the day)
Places are limited, so please call or email us to make a booking.

NOTE: Children need to be accompanied by a guardian. We may be walking to Constitution Dock as part of the activities.