

RYC 2019 Summer Sailing Classes

The RYC Summer Sailing Classes offer instruction to students, ages 7 - 18, who are just starting their sailing experience (we have worked with students who have never been in a boat before) as well as students who are practicing and improving their sailing skills to their maximum potential. It is the goal of the class that all participating students learn to confidently handle one of our small boats. **Students will** also learn about: teamwork, safety, terminology, care of equipment, and how to properly handle themselves in a variety of situations, both onshore and on the water. We do have plenty of fun as well. Bring along a friend and enjoy the sailing.

When: Two days per week on MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS or TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS. FRIDAY is our race/make-up day and will be open to all students who want to race and who have the ability to sail around the course. The classes will start Wed. June 26th and Thurs. June 27th and will end on August 9th, 2019. No classes will be held on July 3,4, or 5.

Classes run 9:30 **am** to 3:30 pm.

Where: We meet on the deck of the Raritan Yacht Club Perth Amboy, NJ and sail on Raritan Bay. Call for directions or download from the club website: www.ryc.org.

What is Required?

1. A completed medical form and permission slip. This will be mailed to you after we receive your application and payment. Please bring the completed forms to the first day of classes.

A completed medical form and permission slip are required for student participation.

2. All students must pass a basic swimming test, with and without the required PFD. You are responsible for supplying a PFD (LIFE JACKET) that fits and that the student will wear every day.

3. Lunches and a jug of water or drink. Pack a bag with sunscreen, hat, sunglasses, towel, a change of clothes, and a sweatshirt. Dress for the weather, we do go out in light rain.

4. A positive attitude and a desire to learn and improve!

Instructors: The staff is headed by Gary A. Myer who is a retired NJ teacher and has 52 years of sailing experiences in a wide variety of boats. This will be his 26th year of instruction at RYC. Head Instructor Kim Sinatra is a certified Elementary School teacher in NJ and HS Sailing Coach and offers the finest instruction and guidance possible. Jason, Sara and Kim will be back as well.

Cost: RYC members: \$550.00

Non-Members: \$750.00

If you are interested: **Please** fill out the enclosed application and send it to:

RYC SUMMER SAILING c/o Gary A. Myer 777 Amsterdam Rd. Bridgewater, NJ 08807

****Space is limited by the amount of boats and this class does fill up every year.**

All applications and checks should be in by June 10, 2019. If you want more information please

give Gary Myer a call at (908) 334-0788 or email: garyamyer@gmail.com

THE RARITAN YACHT CLUB: SUMMER SAILING PROGRAM

Students Name: _____

Address: _____

Best Phone # _____

Best email to reach you at: _____

Parent/ Guardian: _____

Address (if different) _____

Cell or Phone # _____

Students: Age _____ Height _____ Weight _____

In case of an emergency, whom should we call?

Name _____ Phone # _____

Circle one of each of the following:

Mon./Wed.

Or

Tues./Thurs

Returning

Or

First Year

RYC Member

Or

non RYC Member

T Shirt Size: Youth – S or M

Adult - S, M, L, XL

Make All Checks Payable to: The Raritan Yacht Club and mail to:

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