

OAK ORCHARD YACHT CLUB

YOUTH SAILING SCHOOL

SUMMER 2018



Oak Orchard Yacht Club is again offering multiple sessions of Youth Sailing Lessons this summer ! Come out to Lake Ontario and really enjoy the Summer Days on the Water. Big, small and in-between boats are available in our program for new sailors, intermediate, or advanced sailors. Instruction emphasizes on-the-water training with limited classroom time.

WHERE

- Courses will be taught by Qualified Instructors who have graduated from our programs in the past.
- Daily supervision by experienced adult sailors affiliated with OOYC as needed.
- Coordinated through the Club's Center located at 1103 Archbald Rd., Waterport, N.Y 14571, on the Oak Orchard River.
- 45 minutes west of Rochester, and 1 hr. east of Niagara Falls / Lewiston, N.Y..
- Just off the Lake Ontario State Parkway.

WHEN

- Two 2-week sessions are available, sign up for one or both (see schedule below).
- Monday thru Friday, from 9 am to 4 pm.
- If sailing days are shortened due to inclement weather, activities will be moved inside to the OOYC Youth Sailing Center.

WHAT

- » You'll learn:
 - How to rig a sailboat, and the important sailing knots.
 - How to solo in a small sailboat with both mainsail & jib.
 - Rules-of-the-Road, and other general safety skills.
 - More advanced students will learn the basics of keel boat sailing.



How

- You need to complete an application form and contact the Fleet Captain.
- We do have space constraints, so apply early vs delaying and getting shut out.

WHY

- Sailing is not a strength sport, there is no gender advantage.
- Nothing beats skimming across the water powered only by wind !!!!!



- The top colleges in the U.S. have scholastic sailing teams.
- Sailing is an Olympic sport, you can compete against the Best if you set your goals high.
- Sailing is a life-long sport & you're likely to get "hooked" on it.

REQUIREMENTS

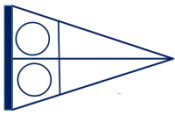
- Sailors should be able to swim 100 yds. wearing a Personal Floatation Device (PFD), and you must bring this to every practice.
- Students will not be required to purchase any new gear for the classes.
- You must be nine years old by July 1st, 2018.
- You need to bring your own lunch each day and a change of clothes

PREVIOUS STUDENTS

- Usually return to our program every year until they head off to college.
- They also become our future Instructors during their summers off from High School or College.
- Great memories make for Greet Friendships with former and current classmates.

About OOYC

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SCHEDULE		Cost*	
		Single Session	Enrollment for Both Sessions
Session 1	July 9th-July 20th	\$265	\$475
Session 2	July 23rd- August 3rd	\$265	
Family Discount for 2nd Sibling		\$135	\$240
* a 20% discount will be applied to all tuition costs if paid no later than June 1st, 2018			

BOATS

- **Optimist Dinghies** - the most popular boat in the world, is a single sail and stable boat designed for use by children.
- **Club / Collegiate 420** -Used at many universities. Designed to be sailed by two crew, this boat is fast and agile ! →
- **16 ft Sloop** - This boat can take up to 6 children, and is used when the water starts kicking-up.
- **32 ft Keel Boat** - This boat can take 10-12 adults. This boat will be used in wind > 8 mph .
- **Jet Ski and Two support Power Boats** - used during instruction days on the water.



FINANCIAL AID

- Each session has 2 slots available for children whose family financial constraints will prevent them from participating in the sailing camp.
- Please directly contact the Fleet Captain for more information on this program, and all inquiries will be handled confidentially.

CONTACT

Jim New, Fleet Captain, OOYC, newjs@earthlink.net, 954.632.6630



FUN THINGS

- When we're not sailing we sometimes go fishing, play board games, play ball, go swimming, and other stuff.
- Parents, Siblings & Dogs are invited to a barbecue on the last day of each session. Take your parents sailing and show-off your new skills !

APPLICATION FORM

- Download the PDF at www.oakorchardyachtclub.org, or request directly from the Fleet Captain.



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