

BENICIA YOUTH SAILING MISSION STATEMENT

Is to teach introductory sailing skills in a controlled, safe environment. To promote safety and maturity for a lifetime of boating enjoyment and demand the highest level of Corinthian spirit in all aspects of sailing.

Benicia Yacht Club Sailing Program has been teaching youth to sail since 1997.

BYC YS will be offering scholarships to children between 8 and 18 who would benefit from the opportunity to learn to sail in either our half day program Introduction to Sailing, or full day camp, Learn To Sail.

Our scholarship application process is easy.

Ø Step 1 - Fill out the information on the bottom portion of this sheet.

Ø Step 2 - If applying for a scholarship for Introduction to Sailing please include a brief letter from a parent or guardian explaining how your child will benefit from taking a sailing camp and why a scholarship is being requested.

Ø Step 3 - If applying for a full day, Learn to Sail scholarship please include a letter from a parent (Step 2) and from a community leader (i.e. teacher, religious leader, coach, etc.) explaining their relationship to your child and why they think he/she will benefit from taking a BYC YS camp.

Ø Step 4 - Return the Registration form below and scholarship application letter(s) to:

Benicia Yacht Club Youth Sailing Attn: Scholarship 400 East Second Street, Benicia, CA. 94510

Ø Step 5 - If your child receives a scholarship we ask that they write a thank you letter to the 'Benicia Yacht Club Scholarship Program' within two weeks of the last day of their camp. The letter should tell us a about their experience and how the camp has impacted the student. BYC Sailing saves these letters to show our scholarship fund donors. We hope that they can see the impact of their donation and will continue to provide opportunities for other children to Learn to Sail for years to come.

If you have any questions, please contact the Benicia Yacht Club office at 707-746-0739

Please Visit our website www.beniciayachtclub.com for a complete guide to our sailing program.

Please email Director Derith Lutz at youthsailing@beniciayachtclub.com for more information.

Availability of camps is on a first come first served basis.

We encourage you to apply early in order to make sure your child gets into their first choice camp.

Childs Name _____ Childs Birthday (month/ day/ year) _____

Parent/Guardian Name (First, Last) _____

Home Telephone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email address _____ other Email address _____

Address: _____

First Choice Camp (Name & Dates) _____

Second Choice Camp (Name & Dates) _____

Please circle one: **Introduction to Sailing Scholarship**

Learn to Sail Scholarship