

Excited To Join?

Fill out the form with a check made payable to NWSA, and mail it or bring it with you to the next meeting!



Membership Application

Membership open to those 18 years old and older
Northwest Sailing Association
P.O. Box 921, Arlington Heights, IL 60006

Date: _____

Name: _____

Name for Badge: (if different): _____

Partner's Name: _____

Name for Badge (if different): _____

Mailing Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

Home Phone #: _____

Cell Phone #1: _____ Cell Phone #2: _____

Email Address: _____

Partner's Email Address: _____

Membership: (Circle one) Single (\$40.00) or Family (\$50.00)

Referred by (New Members Only) _____

Do you want to be removed from the online directory (Yes or No)

Rating Scale #1: _____ Partner's Rating Scale #2: _____

Crew / Skipper Information / Availability

- NWSA Events only Weekends Any Time
- Weeknights Weekdays

Boat Owners:

Boat Name: _____

Boat Length: _____

Make: _____ Moored? _____ Trailered? _____

If moored, which harbor? _____ Slip Number: _____

If trailered, will you bring your boat to a club sailing event? Yes or No



RATING SCALE

1. I have no sailing experience, but I want to learn.
2. I'm learning knots, parts of a sailboat, and the points of sail as well as helm a sailboat with supervision.
3. I can handle halyards, sheets, winches, cleat lines, and tie basic knots-stopper, square, clove hitch and bowline.
4. I can trim sails, I know "Boating Rights of Way" and when/how to make a mayday call on VHF radio.
5. I can help in/out of slip or secure on/off mooring lines and set/weigh anchor.
6. I can helm, tack, jibe, heave to, reef sails and give instructions to crew.
7. I can helm a MOB person overboard recovery.
8. I can read and understand nautical charts and sail by compass, plot and record course using speed, time and heading with standardized notation.
9. I'm competent in heavy weather sailing and night sailing
10. I can operate various marine electronics and engines and I'm experienced in all aspects of sailing solo.