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2025 Sailaway Sailing School Instructor Application

Thank you for your interest in being a member of the 2025 Sailaway Sailing School staff. If your application is accepted, you'll be working, learning and having fun this summer as part of our team. You will also have the chance to improve your own sailing skills, to make friends and open the door to additional opportunities on and off the water.

Instructors are a very important part of our team. You are one of our leaders. You will plan and implement the daily & weekly sailing lessons for our students. You are also responsible for maintaining safety protocols at all times. The general requirements to be an Instructor are:

- Age 17 or older
- US Sailing Association Level 1 Certified
- CPR/First Aid trained and certified
- Have a CT Safe Boating Certificate
- Have a positive attitude, ready to help others and to follow directions given by the Director
- Must be a capable swimmer and able to pass an annual swim test
- Have at least 8 weeks experience sailing in previous seasons (combined). This experience can be with Sailaway or another sailing program.
- Able to demonstrate your ability to safely drive the Skiff and Boston Whaler
- Able to demonstrate your ability to rig, handle and sail the club420 and RS Vision sailboats used by Sailaway Sailing School
- Must complete the on-line BSA Youth Protection Training prior to June 23, 2025
- Attend the pre-season training sessions June 16 to June 20, 2025
- Help set up and rig the sailboats before the start of the season.
- Help de-rig and put away the sailboats at the end of the season August 18 to August 22, 2025.

Location: Captain's Cove Seaport, Bridgeport CT

Duration: 4 two-week sessions (8 total weeks) June 23 to August 15 plus pre-season training and set up sessions. And post season break down

Work Hours: Monday to Friday 8:45am to 5:15pm with a one-hour lunch break

IMPORTANT: If there are days/times that you know you will not be available to work this summer, it is important that you indicate those days/times now on your application.

If you have any questions, please contact Paul Lukas – paul.lukas@scouting.org

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Instructor: General Information

Last Name * _____ First Name * _____

Street Address * _____

City/Town * _____ State * _____ Zip Code * _____

Date of Birth * _____ Age (as of June 23, 2025) * _____

Your Cell Phone Number * _____

Your Email Address * _____

Home Phone Number * _____

Parent/Guardian Name (if under 18 years old) _____

Parent/Guardian Email (if under 18 years old) _____

Parent/Guardian Phone Number (if under 18 years old) _____

T-Shirt Size * small, medium, large, X-large

Why do you feel you would be a good member of the Sailaway Sailing School staff? *

Are there any days/times during the summer when you are **not able to work?** *

Sailing Experience:

Describe your level of sailing experience. *

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How many seasons have you sailed at Sailaway Sailing School? *

What other sailing experience do you have with any other sailing groups, schools, teams or with your family? *

List of Current Certifications (check all that apply) *

- CT Safe Boating Certificate
- First Aid/CPR
- Lifeguard
- US Sailing Association Instructor Certification: Level? _____
- Other _____
- None

Work Experience:

Were you a CIT, Counselor, Junior Instructor or Instructor for Sailaway Sailing School or any other Junior Sailing Program in a previous year? _____

If yes, for how many seasons? _____

Any other work experience that you had/have? (volunteer or paid)

Where do you go to school?: _____

Grade completed by July 1, 2025: _____