



Royal Newfoundland Yacht Club

Location: 47° 31.218'N 52° 58.783W

Job Posting: Instructors & Assistant Instructors

Application Deadline: March 15th, 2018

The Royal Newfoundland Yacht Club is accepting applications for Sailing School Instructors and Assistant Sailing Instructors for the 2018 season. The RNYC Sailing School offers a Sail Canada CANSail Junior Sailing Program, an Adult Learn-to-Sail Program, as well as training sessions and regattas. The school is looking to hire Instructors & Assistant Instructors to run the following Programs:

- Wetfeet
- CANSail 1&2
- CANSail 3&4
- CANSail 5&6
- Adult Learn-to-Sail Program (See job posting titled "Adult Learn-to-Sail Instructor – Sailing School")

Salary will depend on candidate experience and qualifications.

About the Royal Newfoundland Yacht Club

The RNYC is the easternmost yacht club in North America and home to the only Sail Canada sailing school in Newfoundland and Labrador. The club is situated in Conception Bay South, which boast some of the most unique sailing conditions and scenery in the country. Whales, dolphins, bald eagles, porpoises, puffins, and leatherback turtles are just some of the marine life our sailors encounter while out sailing on the bay. And that is just the tip of the iceberg...literally! The annual Iceberg Regatta is often photographed with sailors racing with icebergs in the background. With no shortage of wind, the RNYC host several weekend keelboat regattas and events throughout the season including the RNYC Race Week, St. John's Port Authority Race, and Round the Islands Race.

There is no better place for an adventurous sailor who is looking to expand their horizon!

Instructor & Assistant Instructor Positions

The ideal candidate(s) will have the following qualifications, experience & skills:

- One or more of the following CANSail Instructor Certifications for Wetfeet, CANSail 1&2, 3&4, 5&6 (instructor registration and dues must be current and paid to Sail Canada by 01 June 2018)
- Experience instructing CANSail programs to children and teens
- Experience operating a coach boat (rubber dinghy with outboard motor)
- Experience sailing and coaching developmental classes dinghies; Opti, Radial, Laser, C420 and 29er is an asset

Duties and responsibilities include:

- Instructing kids and teens sailing lessons following the CANSail program curriculum
- Reporting weekly on each sailor's progression through the CANSail curriculum
- Coming up with imaginative ways to teach various sailing skills
- Keeping safety of students the priority. Includes but not limited to the ongoing inspection of equipment and reporting deficiencies to the Head Coach following school reporting procedures.
- Keeping the sailing clubhouse and grounds tidy, clean and secure
- Assisting in the maintenance of the school's dinghy fleet
- Assisting in the set up and take down of the school during shoulder seasons
- Participation in school events such as school regattas, lunch BBQ, awards event.

- Contribute to marketing, if requested
- Ensuring the delivery of a fun and quality sailing and learning experience for all participants
- Conducting yourself in an energetic, professional and positive manner
- Other related duties as required

Credentials

In addition to either past experience as a CANSail Instructor or a proven coaching record at another level, applicants are required to possess the certifications listed below. You must ensure they are valid and that your Sail Canada Instructor Registration for 2018 (including payment of dues) is complete:

1. CANSail certification (including Coach Boat Safety)
2. Pleasure Craft Operator Card (PCOC)
3. Standard First Aid with CPR & AED
4. ROC(M) (VHF radio operators certificate)

*Note: Assistant Instructor Candidates - It is recognized that Assistant Instructors may not have all qualifications listed above but are expected to be working towards their qualifications and will require some of the basic certifications. If you are interested in becoming an assistant instructor at the RNYC, please send us your application so that we may consider you for an interview and discuss the specifics of qualifications.

To apply, please submit via e-mail a resume and cover letter to manager@rnyc.nf.ca.



We thank all applicants for their time; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted. All offers will be contingent upon successful demonstration of required Sail Canada and other certifications as well as a Police background check. Please only apply if you are available for the required program duration and/or, at this immediate stage, outline any constraints you may have in fulfilling the time commitment.