

UVa SAILING CLUB NEWSLETTER

Welcome aboard! We hope you all had a fun summer and are looking forward to an exciting semester of sailing. This newsletter serves two purposes: first, to introduce all new and prospective UVaSA members, and second, to inform all members of general club activities.

Club Officers

The following are the officers for the upcoming year. If you have any questions, suggestions, or comments please feel free to call anyone of us.

Commodore	-	Scott Blandford	979-1452
Vice Commodore	-	Tom Weeks	979-2168
Treasurer	-	Izzy Barton	979-5697
Fleet Captain	-	Bobby White	979-9490
Secretary	-	Elizabeth Engh	977-2628
Past Commodore	-	Quinn McKenna	979-9638

Prospective Members

It's still not too late to join, but the longer you wait the shorter your sailing season becomes. To join, send a check for \$25 (UVa Sailing Association) with the enclosed application to:

UVaSA
Box 506 Newcomb Hall Sta.
C'ville, Va 22901

Your membership card will follow soon!

SAILING!!

We sail on Lake Monticello, which is about 30 min. away in Palmyra, Va. Right now, 4 boats and a windsurfer are ready to sail, and we hope to acquire a Hobie 16 in the near future. As a member of the club, you are able to use the boats at any time you want, but to enter the lake area you have to show your club card to the security guard. Also, remember, you MUST have the motorboat out anytime there is a sailboat on the water. If you don't have a way to get to the lake, carpools will be leaving from the steps of Mem Gym every Tuesday and Friday at 2:30.

Because the largest number of sailors in the club are beginners, a list of instructors and their phone numbers is included in this newsletter. Give anyone a call to set up a convenient time to go sailing, and, after a few lessons, you will be able to take a boat out by yourself. You will always be able to contact instructors at the lake on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Racing!-- We've been racing in the South Atlantic Intercollegiate Sailing Association and have done well so far. We send out a team of 4 sailors every weekend to race in regattas, but next semester we'll change to the Mid-Atlantic Division which is much larger and competitive. We'll have to send out 3 or 4 teams of four sailors each weekend, which means we will need a lot of sailors. Anyone interested please call Tom at 979-2168. Also, anyone interested in a beginning racing class on Sat, Oct. 15 please give Tom a call.

Boats! Boats! Boats!-- By the time you read this the boats will be in the water and ready to GO!! So, get out there and go Sailing!

If you happen to damage a boat, please tell Bobby White so we will be able to keep the boats in good working order.

Because the sails were eaten by mice during the summer, we are trying something new; all of the sails will be kept by Bobby White and Scott Blandford. This implies that you will have to call one of them to get the sails before you head for the lake. Anyone at their houses should be able to help you.

The windsurfer will be locked to a tree near the motorboat. The combination is 29-12-20 and will be carved into the lid of our sail-locker at the lake. If there are people waiting to use the board, please limit your sail to 45 min. Beginners, please get help your first try! It is almost impossible to learn otherwise!

Cruises! - We are still trying to put together a fall cruise in the upper Bay but are short of people. The trip will cost about \$100 including transportation, food and drink. If your interested, give Quinn a call. Spring Break seems like a long way away, planning has already started for our cruise to either the Virgin Islands or to the Bahamas. This promises to be the best cruise ever, so keep it in mind. Anyone with big-boat experience who's interested in skippering please give Scott a call.

Enjoy!! And remember:

I'd rather be sailing!!!

Instructors:

Scott Blindford
Tom Weeks
Bobby White
Tom Barton
Jim Weyland
Taylor Waite
Kimberlee Hancock
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MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Name: _____ Membership No.: _____
Sailing Session: Fall _____ Spring _____

School Address: _____

Phone No.: _____ What Year are you? _____

Car? yes _____ no _____

Interested in Lessons? yes _____ no _____

Interested in Racing? yes _____ no _____ Intercollegiate _____ Intramural _____

Level of Ability (circle one) Beginner Novice Intermediate Advanced

Please Detail Experience: _____

GENERAL RELEASE

FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, the receipt and sufficiency whereof is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned hereby releases and forever discharges The Rector and Visitors of the University of Virginia, officers and employees thereof, and officers and employees of the University of Virginia Sailing Association, their heirs, executors, administrators, agents and assigns, and all other persons, firms or corporations liable or who might be claimed to be liable, none of whom admit any liability to the undersigned but all expressly deny any liability, from any and all claims, demands, damages, actions, causes of action or suits of any kind or nature whatsoever arising from activities of the undersigned as a member or guest of the University of Virginia Sailing Association, and particularly on account of all injuries, known or unknown, both to person and property, which have resulted or may in the future develop as a result of such activities.

Undersigned hereby declares that the terms of this settlement have been completely read and are fully understood and voluntarily accepted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunder set my hand and seal this _____ day of _____, 197__.

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