



NORWALK YACHT CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

WE, HEREBY, RECOMMEND _____

FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE NORWALK YACHT CLUB.

NAME

SIGNATURE

PROPOSER _____

SECONDER _____

DATE _____

Criteria

The Norwalk Yacht Club's Membership Committee assesses and recommends candidates based upon the following criteria:

1. Candidates must have a demonstrable interest in yachting (primarily sailing) and have acknowledged seamanship skills.
2. The committee will weigh heavily the candidate's desire and probability of participation in the committees, programs and general functions of the Club. There must be real evidence of energy in this area reflected in previous associations and activities of the candidate.
3. To facilitate family participation in the Club, the Committee will encourage candidates with a local residence in neighboring communities.

Sponsor Responsibilities

1. Either sponsor or seconder must have personal knowledge of the candidate's sailing/yachting capabilities. This should be for a period of time greater than six months.
2. Must submit all final application information and four (4) letters of recommendation as a package, to the Chairman, Membership Committee. Only submit materials after all items have been completed. Committee review will not start until this has been done.
3. Candidates must meet and have in-depth dialogue with at least
 - 5 members of Membership Committee
 - 2 members of the Board of Governors.

Committee Commitment

While the Membership Committee may consider candidates at any time in the year, the major emphasis is during the months of December through March. Proposers are encouraged to have all applications for a new season submitted to the committee before January 15. The committee will strive to process all outstanding applications prior to April 1.

ANCHORAGE LIMITATION

All candidates must be aware that membership does not guarantee that a mooring will be available in the anchorage. Available moorings will be awarded on a first come/first served basis.

I. PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME OF APPLICANT _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

NAME OF SPOUSE _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

NICKNAMES: HUSBAND _____

WIFE _____

CHILDREN

1. _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

2. _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

3. _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

4. _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

RESIDENCE/ADDRESS _____

NO. OF YEARS AT CURRENT ADDRESS _____

TELEPHONE () _____

PRIMARY E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

SECONDARY E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

SCHOOLS OR COLLEGES ATTENDED

APPLICANT _____

SPOUSE _____

BUSINESS AFFILIATION

APPLICANT

SPOUSE

COMPANY NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

TELEPHONE NO. _____

POSITION/TITLE _____

CURRENT/PRIOR CLUB AFFILIATIONS

CLUB

CITY/LOCATION/DATE

SELECTED/APPOINTED POSITION

II. YACHTING EXPERIENCE

BRIEF HISTORY:

NUMBER OF YEARS YACHTING/SAILING: _____

PREFERENCE: CRUISING _____ RACING _____ BOTH _____

BOAT OWNERSHIP:

CURRENTLY OWN YES _____ NO _____

VESSEL NAME _____ SAIL NO. _____

IF YES, TYPE OF VESSEL _____ LENGTH _____

PLAN TO BUY WHEN _____ TYPE _____

III. MEMBER ACQUAINTANCES

NAMES	KNOWN FOR			SAILED/ CRUISED WITH	
	LESS THAN 1 MONTH	1 MONTH TO 1 YEAR	MORE THAN 1 YEAR	YES	NO
BOARD MEMBERS					
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE					
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
OTHER MEMBERS					
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

IV. PRIMARY REASON(S) FOR MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

V. COMMITTEE PARTICIPATION INTERESTS

I AM/WE ARE INTERESTED IN HELPING WITH THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEES:
(Please see list below)

FIRST CHOICE_____

SECOND CHOICE_____

NORWALK YACHT CLUB COMMITTEES

- CRUISE
- ENTERTAINMENT
- FROSTBITE RACING
- HOUSE/GROUNDS
- JUNIOR SAILING
- ANCHORAGE
- MARINE FACILITIES
- NEWSLETTER
- REGATTA/RACING
- YEARBOOK
- IDEAL 18/ADULT SAILING

VI. RELATIONSHIPS

DOES APPLICANT HAVE ANY CURRENT/PROSPECTIVE BUSINESS OR PROFESSIONAL
RELATIONS WITH PROPOSER/SECONDER? YES_____ NO_____

IF YES, PLEASE EXPLAIN:

CANDIDATE SIGNATURE_____ DATE_____

When reviewing any application for membership, the Norwalk Yacht Club does not discriminate on the basis of: race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, marital status, age or familial status.