

Hubbards Sailing Club

Supporter Membership: Strengthening Youth Sailing Together

Why Your Support Matters

Hubbards Sailing Club exists to “**teach life skills through sailing**”, building confidence, independence, resilience, and a lifelong love of the water and the sport of sailing. Our focus is *youth* development.

We do not operate in the traditional yacht-club sense. We don't offer moorings, adult social programs, or 24/7-member access to a clubhouse. Instead, our energy, resources, and mission are dedicated essentially to helping young sailors grow on and off the water.

Your support directly strengthens that mission. It helps keep sailing accessible, safe, and inspiring for every child who steps onto our docks. Your support allows **you** to be involved as part of the family and community that ensures the longevity and success of the Hubbards Sailing Club.

Supporter Membership Tiers

1. Community Supporter

Accessible entry tier, perfect for alumni, grandparents, past coaches, and community members.

Your impact may support:

- Alumni Connection Fund - A dedicated fund that enables former members to stay connected and contribute financially to support youth sailing programs and club initiatives, fostering ongoing alumni engagement and sustaining the club's mission
- Grounds Support- Financial support for maintaining and enhancing the club's outdoor spaces, including landscaping, gardening, and general upkeep to ensure a welcoming environment.
- “Keep Kids Sailing” Micro Fund- a small fund dedicated to providing financial assistance that helps keep sailing programs affordable and accessible for youth, ensuring more children have the opportunity to learn and enjoy sailing.

Benefits:

- Participation in **race nights** and **HSC events**
 - Name listed in an annual report or newsletter
 - Invitation to annual thank-you event
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2. Youth Access Supporter

Mid-tier support focused on affordability and inclusion.

Your impact may support:

- Affordability Fund - A financial resource dedicated to keeping program fees affordable and accessible, ensuring that cost is not a barrier for youth participating in sailing at HSC
- Community Learn to Sail Days- Free introductory sailing day opportunities for local youth
- Equipment & Safety Gear Fund- a financial resource dedicated to purchasing and maintaining essential sailing equipment and safety gear, ensuring all youth sailors have access to safe, reliable boats and protective equipment.

Benefits:

- Participation in **race nights** and **HSC events**
 - All Community Supporter benefits
 - Website recognition as a valued Youth Access Supporter
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3. Fleet & Facilities Patron

Top-tier support for major impact and long-term sustainability.

Your impact may support:

- Fleet maintenance and acquisition- (Optis, 420's, coach boats, sails, etc.)
- Major Grounds and infrastructure improvements
- Long-Term Capital Fund

Benefits:

- Participation in **race nights** and **HSC events**
 - All previous tier benefits
 - Name on donor board (physical or digital)
 - **“Youth Sailing Champion “** acknowledgment
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What Your Support Makes Possible

Your contribution directly strengthens youth sailing by helping us:

- Keep programs affordable
- Maintain a safe, well-equipped fleet
- Offer community sailing opportunities
- Improve our grounds and infrastructure
- Build long-term sustainability for future generations

Every supporter, at every level, helps a young sailor take their first steps onto the water.

Purpose

Supporter Memberships provide a simple, accessible way for adults, alumni, parents, and community members to stay connected to HSC and contribute directly to youth sailing. All tiers offer the same access and benefits; members choose the level that best reflects their ability to support the club.

Membership Tiers for annual membership

Tier 1 — \$75

Tier 2 — \$100

Tier 3 — \$125+ (\$125 or above, choose your own level of impact)

All tiers include identical access. Contributions help sustain youth programming, community events, volunteer initiatives, and long-term club development.

Membership Period

April 1st - March 31st

Memberships run on a 12-month cycle to align with the club's operational rhythm and ensure year-round value, including events, socials, and AGM participation.

Member Benefits

- Access to all HSC social events and community programming
- Ability to sign in **up to two non-members** at any HSC event
- Connection to a community that supports youth sailing and local engagement
- Regular updates on club initiatives, events, and volunteer opportunities

Guest Privileges

Members may sign in **up to two non-members** at any HSC event.

Guests must be accompanied by the member.

Why Supporter Memberships Matter

Supporter Memberships strengthen the club's financial stability, broaden community involvement, and help ensure that youth sailing remains accessible, well-supported, and future-focused. Every membership directly contributes to the programs, people, and experiences that define HSC. Thank you for being part of the HSC community.