Director's Desk

The 2022 season officially kicks off June 17-19 with "Women on Water," the first of two Adult Learn To Sail weekends. Both WoW and the Coed version on July 1-3 are fully booked with a waiting list that's also full. Information on what to bring, what to wear, etc. will go out this week. Thanks in advance to the accomplished dinghy sailors and SHYC members serving as volunteer instructors: Jamie Stanley, Savannah Taylor, Guy Tipton, Ollie Tipton, Henry Pedro, Nick Williams, Tatum Arcon, and Raf Pedro. Our regular Youth Learn To Sail programs begin July 4 and run through Sept 2.

-Rob Stork

Rigged and Ready

Big thanks to SA Fleet Maintenance Supervisor and fiberglass guru, Henry Pedro, for another long off season of repairs and retrofits. Henry's skills and dedicated volunteerism are what literally keep us afloat.



Henry Pedro making good use of his new workshop in the Sailing Academy building.

ILCA Masters Atlantic Coast Championship Comes To SHYC

Following the success of the 2019 Albacore International Championship (voted Regatta of the Year by both Sail Nova Scotia and Sail Canada), SHYC will host the International Laser Class Association's Masters Atlantic Coast Championship this August. Event proceeds will support the Sailing Academy's youth learn to sail programs, ensuring they remain accessible to virtually all in our area who wish to experience the valuable life lessons and flat out fun that sailing offers.



MASTERS ATLANTIC COAST CHAMPIONSHIP SHELBURNE, NOVA SCOTIA AUG 19-21 2022

Woodworkers Home Hardware led the sponsorship charge, coming on board as IMACC's Title Sponsor. See box below for other sponsors.

Bursary Fund

Sailing teaches leadership, teamwork, respect for the environment and much, much more. And because of that, some SHYC members volunteer to underwrite a week of sailing for a child whose family would otherwise not be able to afford it. We currently have five (5) such weeks funded and would like to have some more available for either additional kids or to be able to offer additional weeks to those who would like to continue.

If this is an idea that appeals to you, please connect with us at saildirector.shyc.ns@gmail.com. Thank you in advance.



Flags fly at half-mast to honor SHYC's Sherri Taylor.

SHYC and All of **Shelburne Lose Dear Friend**

Our SHYC community is stunned by the sudden passing of our Vice Commodore, Sherri Taylor, on Friday, June 3rd. Our hearts go out to her husband, Ken and to Sherri and Ken's many children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. The wound left by Sherri's passing is wide and deep and it will take time and our entire community to come together in order to heal it.

Grants Gratitude

The Shelburne Sailing Academy at SHYC applied to both the Town and Municipality's Grants to Organizations programs. We're pleased to acknowledge the Town of Shelburne's grant of \$500 and the Municipality of the District of Shelburne's grant of \$2,000. These grants represent an important part of our operating budget and help to bridge the gap between registration revenues and what it costs to offer our CANSail certified programs. We are much obliged.





ILCA Masters Atlantic Coast Championship Sponsors **Major Sponsors Community Sponsors**





Canada's Family Grocery Store

NOVA SCOTIAN ROLLIES

OOPER'S









Celia J. Melanson Barrister & Solicitor, Inc.

Please support those who support us.

By The Numbers

Sailing Academy 2022 Registrations 120 -100 80 60 40 20 **Total Available Sessions** Registrations to Date Wet Feet (age 7-10)LTS/LTR (Ages 10+)WALTS

Note: Total Available Sessions (Wet Feet = 40, LTS/LTR = 63) are based on ideal coach:student ratios across a 7-week schedule for Wet Feet and a 9-week schedule for LTS/LTR. Excess demand in one age group may be addressed by limiting available sessions in another.

Sailing Academy **Operating Committee**

Director Rob Stork Head Coach Tatum Arcon Coaching Mentor Guy Tipton Fleet Maintenance Henry Pedro SHYC Treasurer Alan Pulfrey* SHYC Commodore Andy Blackmer*

*Ex-Officio

The Sailing Academy at SHYC and the valuable work it does for our community is made possible by the efforts and expertise of many volunteers and the financial support of all the members of SHYC. We thank you.



-Rob Stork Director / SHYC Sailing Academy