

Detroit Yacht Club 2010 Adult Sailing Instruction Program

The DYC's adult sailing instruction program is more than just an introduction to sailing. This affordable, exceptional program offers an introduction to casual pleasure sailing and sailboat racing as well as many social events to meet new friends. Each year we introduce dozens of new sailors to the sport and welcome many others who want to renew their skills.

DYC's beginner sailing instruction schedule consists of two nine-week sessions running May through August. We offer classes on both Tuesdays and Thursdays, beginning approximately 6:00 pm. Students can attend Tuesday, Thursday or both, as their schedules permit. As a student, you will progress through a series of skill levels until you are sailing on your own. Our volunteer instructors teach to your skills and experience, so even if you have sailed before this program can help you enhance your skills. Regular lectures accompany on-the-water instruction, and a DYC-specific written manual is included. An advanced sailing course is also offered for DYC members that have previously taken the basic sailing course.

We provide all necessary equipment - our classes use the DYC's fleet of Flying Scots, which are 19-foot sloop-rigged centerboard sailboats. All you need is comfortable clothing and soft-soled shoes.

DYC members pay **\$250 for the full eighteen weeks**, or **\$150 for one nine-week** session. On a space-available basis, non-members may take the class for \$600 for the full eighteen weeks, or \$350 for one session.

Each instruction season starts with a Kick-off Cocktail Party to allow you to meet some DYC Flying Scot sailors and your future classmates. Mark your calendar for Friday, April 23, 2010!

For more information or to sign-up, contact Instruction Chair Connie Allen at (313) 259-4837 or DYCFlyingScots@gmail.com.



About DYC Flying Scots:

The DYC Flying Scots is one of many "clubs within the Club." DYC members holding sailing cards (most of whom attained them during our sailing classes) may use the boats for pleasure sailing as well as for organized racing events on the Club, local, regional and even national levels. DYC's Flying Scot program is completely volunteer-run and includes everything from boat and equipment maintenance to instructors and racing event organizers. We sail in the venerable Detroit River off of the DYC and enjoy some of the most spectacular views of Detroit sunsets from our vantage point at the East end of the DYC island. For information about DYC Flying Scots e-mail us at DYCFlyingScots@gmail.com or visit our website at <http://sites.google.com/site/dycflyingscots>.