



Waterford Yacht Club

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Membership Application and Member Agreement

NOTE: Even if you are renewing your membership, you must complete this Membership Application. In order to become or remain a member, each person named in this Membership Application must sign the Member Agreement located on the second page. Your information will be published in our annual membership roster and shared in other media with Waterford Yacht Club ("WYC") members. Please strike through, with one line only, any information that you want withheld from publication. The person completing this application is designated as "you" or "your" or "(1)" and the spouse/companion as "(2)".

(1) Your first name _____ (1) Your last name _____

(2) Your spouse's/companion's full name _____

Who is considered the captain of your boat/yacht, if any: _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Please **circle** email address(es) to receive notices/invitations and provide the following telephone numbers.

Your E-Mail _____ (2) E-mail _____

Your home (1) _____ Your work (1) _____ Your cell (1) _____

(2) home _____ (2) Work _____ (2) Cell _____

Your Boat Name _____ Make _____ Power/Sail _____

Length _____ Beam _____ Draft _____ Sail No. _____ Pier _____ Slip _____

NEW MEMBER(S) For each new member: \$100.00 Initiation Fee paid one time plus \$125.00 annual dues if joining before July 1st and \$62.50 annual dues if joining after July 1st of a calendar year - \$ _____

RENEWING MEMBER Dues are \$125.00 and are due by January 1st of each calendar year - \$ _____

Make your check payable to "Waterford Yacht Club" and mail it to the address shown above.

Please check if you would be interested in helping with one of the following committees.

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| Cruising Committee _____ | Membership Committee _____ |
| Racing Committee _____ | Social Committee _____ |
| Education Committee _____ | Newsletter/Publicity _____ |
| Photography Committee _____ | Awards Committee _____ |
| Ship Store _____ | Women's Program _____ |
| Website/Graphic Arts _____ | Will Help Decorate at Parties _____ |

WYC is an ALL-VOLUNTEER club. Members choose to work in areas of interest to them for the benefit of the entire membership. The WYC Board of Directors and membership welcomes your interest, efforts, ideas and suggestions. WYC looks forward to having you as a member.

MEMBER AGREEMENT

I hereby apply for membership in Waterford Yacht Club ("WYC"). I acknowledge and understand that WYC is a social club with a membership consisting primarily of power and sailboat owners, operators and/or occupiers of said boats. I further acknowledge and understand that because WYC is a social club it has many activities that I am free, but not required, to participate in such as, but not limited to, seminars, formal and informal parties; and water events and cruises in Clear Lake, Galveston Bay, other inland waters, and along the coast of, and also into, the Gulf of Mexico (hereafter called "event" or "events"). I also acknowledge and understand that WYC's officer's, Education Committee, Social Committee, Cruise Committee, and/or other committees may designate officers, committee members and/or WYC members to be in charge of, or to lead, an off the water or on the water event. I acknowledge, understand and agree that I am responsible for the safe operation and passage of any boat of which I have possession, custody or control whether I own it, as well as responsible for the safety of its occupants, and that I am also responsible for following all rules, regulations and laws applicable to operating said boat. I also acknowledge, understand and agree that when I am an occupant upon a boat even though I do not have possession, custody or control of it that I am still responsible for my own safety. I also acknowledge, understand and agree that I have a duty, whether on or off the water, to not act negligently or intentionally so as to harm myself or others. **Therefore, I hereby acknowledge, understand and agree that before, during and/or after any WYC on the water events that WYC, its officers, committee members; those in charge of, or designated to lead, the events; and/or any other WYC members shall not under any circumstances be held liable or legally responsible for any cause of action and/or any type damages pertaining to the negligent, intentional, and/or non-safe operation and passage of any boat of which I have possession, custody or control, whether I own it, nor be held liable or legally responsible for its occupant's causes of action and/or damages arising therefrom. I further acknowledge, understand and agree that before, during and/or after any WYC off the water events that WYC, its officers, committee members; those in charge of, or designated to lead, the events; and/or any other WYC members shall not under any circumstances be held liable or legally responsible for any causes of action and/or any type damages arising from my intentional or negligent acts or arising from the intentional or negligent acts of my family, guest(s), and/or invitee(s). THEREFORE, I HEREBY AGREE TO PROTECT, DEFEND AND HOLD HARMLESS THE WYC, ITS OFFICERS, COMMITTEE MEMBERS; THOSE IN CHARGE OF, OR DESIGNATED TO LEAD, THE ON OR OFF THE WATER EVENTS; AND/OR ANY OTHER WYC MEMBERS FROM AND AGAINST ALL CAUSES OF ACTION AND/OR ANY TYPE DAMAGES (INCLUDING ATTORNEY'S FEE AND EXPENSES AND COURT COSTS) MADE AGAINST THEM THAT ARISE IN ANY MANNER, WHETHER TOTALLY OR PARTIALLY, FROM ANY OF MY INTENTIONAL OR NEGLIGENT ACTS OR THOSE INTENTIONAL OR NEGLIGENT ACTS OF MY FAMILY, GUESTS, AND/OR INVITEES.**

I acknowledge that I read and understand the English language and that I have read and understood this Member Agreement before voluntarily signing it.

I agree that this Member Agreement is a binding contract between me and WYC, supported by valuable consideration, and that it shall remain in effect until four (4) years after termination of my WYC membership.

As evidenced by my signature below, I agree to all the terms and conditions of this Member Agreement.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

New Member(s) Sponsored by: _____ Phone: _____