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NANTUCKET COMMUNITY



SAILING NEWSLETTER



## NCS Programs...

..are in full swing! At left, our Whalers students, in Polpis Harbor, learn about parts of the boat before heading out to rig our brand-new fleet of RS Quests last week. We're looking forward to upcoming sessions and more sunny days! There is still program availability - click here to check out open sessions!

## Coffin Cup - Spectator Boats Needed!

We are seeking spectator boats - to take out visiting parents and siblings for viewing - at our annual Coffin Cup Regatta on Friday, July 21st. Please email <a href="mailto:emily@nantucketsailing.org">emily@nantucketsailing.org</a> if you have availability to attend. The registration for our annual youth regatta, the Coffin Cup,

is open - students, ages 7 - 12 years old, enrolled in 2017 Polpis Programming, are invited to attend! Please log into your Active Network account to enroll. Space is limited for this "event of the season!"



## **Summer Soiree**

NCS will once again be the beneficiary of the <u>Nautican Foundation</u>'s Summer Soiree. The 2017 Summer Soiree will be held at the White Elephant Village, 19 North Water Street on July 22, 2017. Please join us and learn more <u>here!</u> We welcome NCS members 21 and older for this open-bar event with live music, hors d'oeuvres and exciting silent auction offerings, including Oracle gear and tickets to Opera House Cup. Thank you Nautican Foundation!



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### Women's Fun Regatta - Tuesday, July 11th

Great Harbor Yacht Club will be hosting and All-Island Women's FUN Regatta on Tuesday, July 11th at 4:00pm. It will involve sailing skills, scavenger hunts, and more! Costumes are

encouraged, though not required. A reception at GHYC - open to any participants - will begin at 6:30pm. If you are interested in signing up for the sail, please email NCS Program Director Emily Taylor: emily@nantucketsailing.org. We'll meet at Jetties Sailing Center at 3pm and be back around 6pm. This event will conflict with our regular Tuesday night clinic, so you will need to choose one or the other! \*You must sign up for the reception separately by calling



GHYC's Jobson Sailing Center: 508-680-5006. The cost is \$40 and will be billed your NCS account.



## Sip & Shop - J. McLaughlin

Have fun shopping and support NCS at the same time! J.McLaughlin (1 Salem Street) is hosting a Sip & Shop event to benefit Nantucket Community Sailing on Friday, July 14th from 12-5pm. 15% of all sales will be donated to NCS.

### Nantucket Race Week - August 12-20

Nantucket Race Week is only a few weeks away! NRW is Nantucket Community Sailing's biggest fundraiser of the year - helping us to raise roughly a quarter of our annual operating budget. View the schedule of events here and register now!



### How Can YOU Get Involved?

Join us in one of our sailing events (registration link above)! NRW social events are also open to the public – we'd love to have you! Volunteers are needed across the entire ten days – We can use your help to sell merchandise, check in people at social events or sell drink or raffle tickets. Please click on one of the links below to sign up to volunteer:

2017 NRW Volunteers

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GHYC Merchandise Sign Up

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#### **NCS Summer Events**

The NCS calendar is chock full of events! Additional events will be added in future newsletters.

- •Friday, July 14: NCS <u>Fun Day</u> 2: Cookie Day & Sip & Shop at J. McLaughlin
- •Friday, July 21: Annual Coffin Cup Regatta at Polpis Harbor
- •Saturday, July 22: Nautican Foundation's <u>Summer Soiree</u> to Benefit NCS
- •Friday, July 28: NCS <u>Fun Day 3</u>: Pirate Day & Family Cruise to Coatue 1 of 2
- •Monday, July 31: Navigation Night (free and open to the public)
- •Friday, August 4: Family Cruise to Coatue 2 of 2
- •Friday, August 11: NCS Fun Day 4: Cookie Day
- •Saturday, August 12 Sunday, August 20: 14th Annual Nantucket Race Week



# It's Raining: Call the Student Hotline!

Classes are held in all kinds of weather, but if there is a threat of thunder, severe storms or a hurricane, we will hold class inside. To confirm the location of class on a inclement weather day, please call our Student Hotline at 508-228-6212. A message will be posted 45 minutes before class for the status of the class, and any changes, or special instructions.

## NCS Student/Parent Handbook

Everything you and your student needs to know about NCS Programs is in our <u>Parent - Student Handbook</u>. Please take a look to familiarize yourselves with what your students should be wearing, what they can expect, our rainy day procedures, etc.

## **PHRF Racing Series**

Join us on Wednesday Nights - Open to all boats with a PHRF-NE rating. One or two races each Wednesday - First signal at 1800. FREE! Prizes every week at a social event following racing. See the Notice of Race and Register on our website.

The best way to stay on top of the action at NCS? Follow us on Social Media! Photos and news posted daily - don't miss out!



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