



Wequaquet Lake Yacht Club
PO Box 399
Centerville, MA 02632

2022 WLYC NEW MEMBER APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in the Wequaquet Lake Yacht Club (WLYC). We offer probationary regular memberships to new members. This membership is extended to the applicant, his/her spouse or partner, and any children 25 years of age or younger who are living at home. The first year of the regular membership is considered a probationary year. The Membership Committee and the Board of Directors review each regular membership at the end of the first season to determine if a permanent regular membership will be extended to the applicant.

WLYC is a private club and membership is limited by our by-laws to 110 families. The Club facilities are generally open from mid-June until Labor Day. Club activities including children's swimming and sailing lessons, adult sailing, and social activities for adults and children. The members organize, run, and participate in all the programs and committees, as well as assist with building maintenance. Your participation is encouraged and required for the Club to prosper.

Applicant Name:		
Spouse or Partner Name:		
Please list the names of unmarried children who are under 25 and living at home:		
Child's Name:	Age:	
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Summer Address:		
City/Town:	State:	Zip Code:
Winter Address (if different)		
City/Town:	State:	Zip Code:
Phone:		
Email Address:		
Sponsored by:		

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Please list boats owned:

Boat Type	Length	Power or Sail?	Do you want a mooring?
			A few years ago the Town of Barnstable capped our mooring field. If you would like a mooring, you have to file a mooring waitlist application at the Barnstable Harbormaster Office at 1189 Phinneys Lane, Centerville.

In the space below, please tell our Membership Committee why you would like to become a member of the Wequaquet Lake Yacht Club. (You may also type your comments on a separate piece of paper.)

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Initiation Fees: \$760

1. **Initiation Fee:** One-time check for **\$760** should be included with this application. If you wish to pay this in installments overtime, please let your sponsor know & the options will be given to you. If you pay in full now, your check will not be deposited unless the membership Committee nominates you for membership and you accept that nomination.

Annual Dues: \$760

1. *After an acceptance of nomination*, the applicant will be responsible for payment of the **annual Club dues of \$760**, seven days after receiving your acceptance letter.
2. **Volunteer Deposit:** A separate check for **\$50**, that will be returned upon volunteering during the summer at the Yacht Club. Members are required to pay a \$50 volunteer dues annually. We ask every family to volunteer **2 hours** at the club. Once you have finished your hours, you will receive a \$50 check from the treasure.

Total Fees and Dues for 2022 Season: \$1570

Checks can be made out to WLYC

Applicants must be sponsored by a current member who has been a member in good standing for 2 years. **All completed application materials must be mailed directly to the Wequaquet Lake Yacht Club. Please include this 3-page application, initiation fee, volunteer deposit, and sponsor recommendation form. We request all sponsors to be responsible for mailing completed forms. The deadline for applications is April 1, 2021.**

TO THE MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE: The above signed respectfully submits his/her application for membership in the Wequaquet Lake Yacht Club. If accepted, the applicant agrees to observe the rules and regulations of the Club, as outlined in the by-laws, and as issued by the House Committee and Board of Directors.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE: _____

SPONSOR'S SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

FOR MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE ONLY:

Date Application Received: _____

Check # _____

Action taken: _____



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2022 NEW MEMBER APPLICATION SPONSOR RECOMMENDATION

You may sponsor a regular membership application if you have been a member in good standing for **2 years**.

This enclosure to the WLYC membership form is intended to provide further information to assist the membership committee selection process. The sponsor should provide the prospective member an overview of WLYC and ensure the applicant knows the Club exists only because of its members, who are responsible for the running of the Club. Volunteering is an essential responsibility that is incumbent upon every member. All new members **and their sponsors** will be expected to volunteer for at least one activity and work party during the course of the season. This will enable new members to ‘learn the ropes’ and meet the other members of the Club.

In compliance with the regular membership, sponsors hold partial responsibility for their member becoming a permanent regular member. If an introductory member is not asked to become a permanent regular member, the sponsor will realize a one-year penalty during which time he/she will not be eligible to sponsor another new member.

In the space below, we request a sponsor to explain in **detail** why your candidate should become a member of WLYC. Members of WLYC are a diverse group that embodies all ethnic, religious and financial backgrounds. Candidates who have shown a willingness to participate in WLYC activities, have an interest in sailing, or have a special skill that may benefit the Club, will be given the strongest consideration. Please take the time to complete this form for the benefit of the applicant and WLYC.

Thank you. *The Membership Committee*

Signature _____ Date: _____

Name of applicant _____



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WLYC Volunteer Requirement Information

The operation of Wequaquet Lake Yacht Club requires a tremendous amount of coordination and effort by its members. It has been said that 20% of the people do 80% of the work. In an effort to instill some pride and shared responsibility, the Board has voted and approved implementing a volunteer deposit which is included in your dues/fees total. This deposit is refundable upon completion of your volunteer requirement.

What is the volunteer requirement?

There are so many ways to volunteer at the Club from installing and removing docks and moorings, opening and closing the building, and many events. A volunteer schedule by event will be created and posted. Upon completion of at least 2 hours of verified Club volunteer work, your check will be returned to you.

How does the volunteer deposit work?

Please write a separate check for \$50 dated **September 1, 2022**. The check will be held until the end of the season. Your presence will be verified by the event coordinator. Anyone who does not volunteer by the end of the season will have their check cashed.