



Quassapaug Sailing Center
April, 2021 Newsletter

Dear Quassapaug Sailing Center Member/Sponsors,

Spring is here! Lake time is coming. We are considering the Center to be open after the Spring Clean-up on May 1st. Please, if you go boating, wear proper PFDs, the water temperatures are very cold!!

Sponsorship/Membership – New Membership/Sponsorship form is available on the Website
<https://www.qsailingcenter.org/sponsors.html>

The board has decided, due to Covid-19, QSC is limiting membership/sponsorship for the 2021 season to 125 families. This is a much larger number than the 102 family member/sponsors in 2020. But also means you should sign up early before we fill up and run out of space!

We believe this will still allow enough space for proper social distancing while at QSC.

Watercraft Storage Fee – We are trying something new. All watercraft stored on the QSC Property are required to display a registration sticker. QSC will be issuing tickers at \$20 per watercraft. Watercrafts include all types of boats, kayaks, and boards. The new sponsorship form has a place to enter how many stickers you will need.

Gary Bruce will be the Watercraft and Rack Czar. He will be issuing the stickers and in charge of assigning rack space. Our goal with this new method is to make more rack space by having unused boats removed by their owners. Gary will be handing out the stickers at the Spring Clean-Up on May 1st. Come, do a little work and get your stickers for your watercraft!

Spring Clean Up/Set Up – Will be on May 1st, 9am-2pm, Rain date May 8th. Everyone is encouraged to help for a few hours.

COVID-19 Rules – The QSC COVID rules from last year stay in effect for 2021. The board will be reviewing them every month. Hopefully the pandemic abates and we can remove the rules, but time will tell. Current rules are on the website https://www.qsailingcenter.org/pdf/2020/QSC_Covid_19_Policy.pdf

The Board has decided the building will be open. More detailed rules after the April 20th Board Meeting.

Sails and Trails Camp – Camp Registration is up!! We are running a smaller camp this summer to allow proper distancing on rainy days. Each session is limited to 30 campers (instead of the previous 66). Sign up soon! <https://www.qsailingcenter.org/sailsandtrails.html> If your camper is waitlisted, please contact me (Joel at manager.qsc@gmail.com) to see what we can arrange. Sometimes I just need to juggle the group sizes.

Member/Sponsors should use the coupon code “QSCSponsor” at checkout time to get the sponsor price.

We are looking for more counselors and a Camp Director, please contact me if you know someone who might be interested. manager.qsc@gmail.com

Driveway Work – We are paving the front driveway this April. Please respect signs not to drive on the driveway, even if it looks finished. Please use the back lot if the driveway is roped off.

For questions or suggestions, email us at manager.qsc@gmail.com or leave a message at 203-758-2241.

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