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For more than 100 years we have been encouraging sailing and boating enthusiasts from our clubhouse and marina located at Brother's Cove, Saint John, N.B. The sailing school is in perfect view from the clubhouse; alongside the beautiful Kennebecasis River.

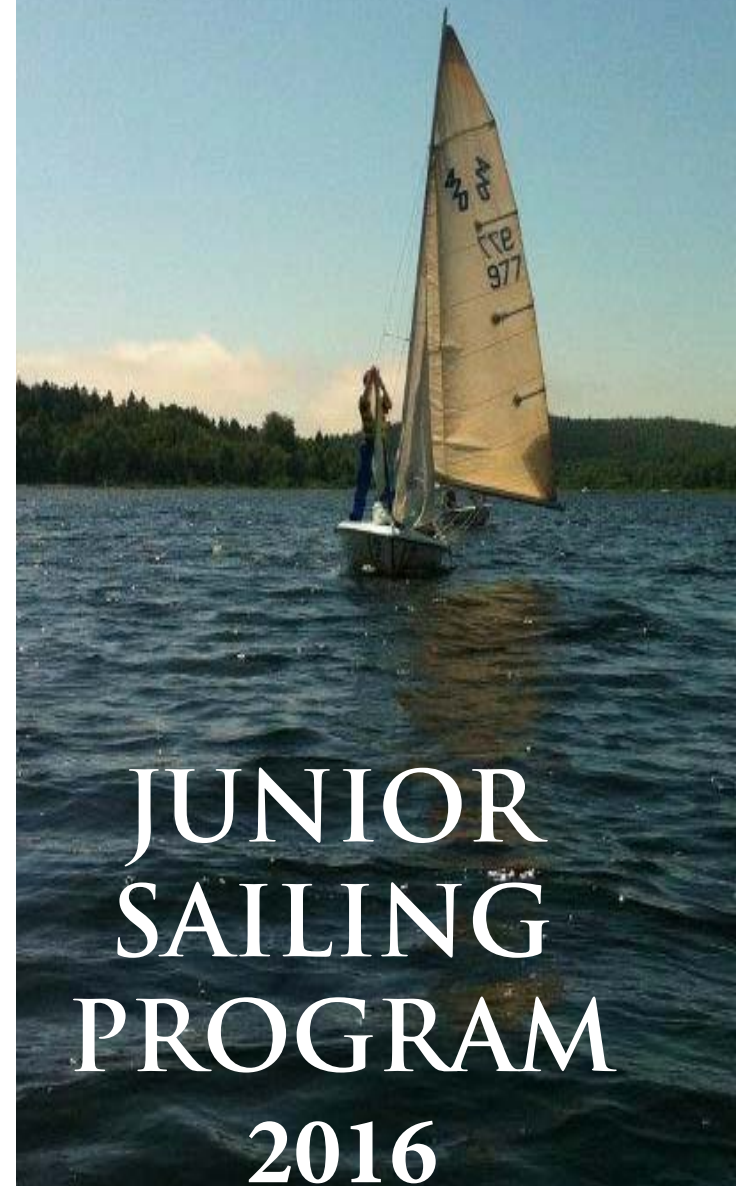
This picturesque backdrop offers an incredible learning environment for young sailors with conditions for every skill level. Come make some new friends, memories and learn lifelong skills.

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JUNIOR SAILING PROGRAM 2016

Learn to sail

The goal of the junior sailing program is to teach safe and proper handling of a small sailboat while developing an enthusiasm and love of the sport. The course is taught according to the Sail Canada standards emphasizing safety, theory, boat handling and sportsmanship.

The program is taught by Sail Canada qualified instructors who are in attendance at all times; both on land and on the water, in coach boats.

Our junior sailing fleet consists of 10 420's & 7 Optimists. The Optimists Program is designed to fill the gap for children who are too small to handle the 420's used in our current program. Optimists are ideal for children in the 6-12 year and 77-110lb range.

The Opti's as they are known are a single-handed boat but are usually sailed in pairs in the initial stages of the program. As confidence and ability to control the craft increases children are encouraged to sail solo.

Sailing programs age:

Two programs exist, Optimist Sailing for children age 6-12 and Junior Sailing for ages 11-17.

Course Dates:

Programs are offered for four, two week sessions starting on June 27th, July 11th, August 1st, & August 15th.

Please Note Jul 25th - July 29th is Cruise week (no classes)

Time:

The courses run from Monday to Friday
830 am – 430 pm

Certificates will be issued at the end of the sailing season at our closing banquet; August 30th at 6 pm

Costs:

Cost for a two-week session is as follows:

Non members \$360.00

Members/returning student \$330.00



Students do not have to have their own boat but those who bring their own will receive a \$20.00 reduction in fees per two week course.



Supplies needed for the course are:

- M.O.T. Approved life jacket
- UV sunglasses with safety lanyard
- appropriate sunscreen
- quick dry shoes or sailing boots
- a full change of clothing & footwear
- a bathing suit and a towel
- long sleeved shirt & pants
- youth sailors need a lunch and snacks!
- at least 1 full litre of water (Refillable container)
- rain gear if inclement weather predicted
- sailing manuals are available at a reasonable cost.

