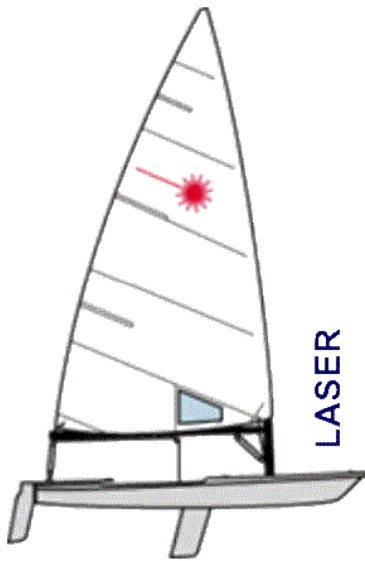


Get Coached by the Best and Beat the Rest



The San Diego area has had a surge of young and talented Laser sailors in the last two years. The large numbers of Radial and Full rigged Laser sailors at the various events this year is proof of this. As individual clubs it is difficult to provide this talent with the top quality coaching they require to compete on a national level. To meet this challenge the area's clubs have agreed to share their resources to create an inter-club program through the SDAYC (San Diego Association Yacht Clubs). By taking this approach we can hire the best talent available and provide the type of intensive program that will maximize the talent our sailors already have.

The SDAYC Summer Laser Program has again secured Ryan Minth as the head coach for this summers training. Among other achievements, Ryan has coached the Olympic Single-handed Dingy class (Laser Radial) prior to the Radial Worlds, Coached Lijia Su to her 1st World Title (she was ranked 56th going into the event), was the Varsity Sailing Coach at the Naval Academy, and been featured in the *Sailing World* "From the Experts" column. Those individuals who were fortunate enough to work with him last year were impressed by Ryan's drive and professionalism and were excited about their improvement.

The schedule for this summer is:

June 30 - July 3rd	4 days	SWYC
July 4th	Lay day	
July 5th	1 day (SCYRA)	MBYC
July 6th- July 9th	4 days	MBYC
July 10 - 11	Lay Day	
July 12 - 14	3 Days	MBYC
July 15	Lay day	
July 16 - 19	4 days(JO's)	NHYC
July 20	Lay day	
July 21 - 23	3 days	CYC
July 24	Lay day	
July 25	1 day (Luff-in)	CYC
July 26	Lay Day	
July 27 - 30	4 days	SDYC

The cost of the program this year will be the same as last year - \$1200.00. Half of the money will be due by May 15 with the remainder due by June 15th. As was the case last year, if the program does not use all of the funds provided a refund will be made to all participants.

It is not often that our club sailors to have access to the highest levels of coaching talent. It is even more unusual for them to be able to take part in a long-term developmental program with coaching at that level. If your sailor is interested in Lasers, and in being part of a long term developmental program coached by the best around, perhaps this is your program!

A parent meeting will be held on June 7th **@MBYC starting at 10:00am**

This is a more detailed follow up on the status of the SDAYC Summer Laser Program. Below the logistical and financial details are set forth and/or presented. Not all the problems are solved as of yet, and the help of the parents of the sailors is key to making this program work.

SDAYC SUMMER LASER RACING CLASS

The San Diego Association of Yacht Clubs Junior Programs are pleased to announce our cooperative LASER RACING CLASS. This class will embark on a exciting summer sailing adventure. Participation in the class is by invitation only. The class will stress racing skills, rules, tactics, boat tuning and sportsmanship. Participants will sail out of the MBYC, SDYC, CYC and SWYC. Sailors will have the opportunity to participate in the Olympic Festival, Laser Luff-In and many other exciting events. The class will conclude with an optional trip to CORK. This optional trip is not included in the class fee's and we are looking for a coordinator to organize this event.

You have been selected by your Program Director to apply by application for this unique class. Juniors from all the area yacht clubs have been nominated, and invited to participate. To be considered, sailors must have a minimum of 1 year laser racing experience and approval from their Junior Director. Class size will be limited.

The class will spend approximately 4 days at each of the area clubs. In addition to short course racing and drills, local knowledge will be addressed. Participants will race (long distance) to each club. Parents will be responsible for transportation and trailers. Sailors will experience ocean sailing while at SDYC and SWYC, shallow water chop at CYC and bay sailing on Mission Bay. In addition to the Junior Olympic Regatta hosted by Newport Harbor Yacht Club. Please note housing, hotels, meals transportation and chaperons are the responsibility of each participant.

LASER RACING CLASS SCHEDULE

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Sailors must provide their own boats and trailers. Please see your own Jr. Director for charters or transportation solutions.

Parents are responsible to transport juniors and trailers to and from the yacht clubs.

SDAYC SUMMER LASER RACING CLASS

REGISTRATION FORM

Student's Name _____

Age _____ D.O.B. _____

Yacht Club Membership at _____

Address: Street _____

City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Father's Name _____ Day Phone _____

Mother's Name _____ Day Phone _____

Cell Phone _____ Pager _____

Cost of class is \$1200.00 per person. Half the cost of the class paid by May 15, 2009 and full remittance must be received by June 15, 2009.

Refund Policy: Absolutely no refunds will be given with less than 7 days notice. We are unable to prorate or make adjustments to fee schedule.

Please make check or money order payable to: **Mission Bay Yacht Club**,
1215 El Carmel St., San Diego, CA 92109 * (488 -0121)

Please contact Jana Odou at SWYC 619 222-0438 ext 121 or
swycjrs@msn.com for questions

How many years have you been sailing a laser? _____

How many years have you raced a laser? _____

Please note your 3 best regatta's, finishes and number of boats.

What is your laser sailing goal? _____

Anything else we need to know? _____

Would you or your parents be willing to tow a trailer to NHYC for the Jr. Olympics July 16-19 _____