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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION PROCEDURES

MEMBERSHIP in the San Diego Yacht Club is generally available to those who have a demonstrated interest in participating in and promoting the development of yachting in all its aspects, including, without limitation, cruising, angling and racing.

The Membership Committee and the Board will require substantial proof from all new membership applicants that they either have proven past yachting experience and intend to continue that experience or can demonstrate that they intend to participate actively in yachting activities of the Club.

Listed below are the basic requirements for application of membership in the San Diego Yacht Club:

- **Two sponsors who are current Junior Flag, Flag or Life members of SDYC and have known the applicant for a minimum of two years.**
- **Six references who are also current members of San Diego Yacht Club. (Junior Flag applicants may submit an application with only 2 sponsors).**
- **Applicant should have boating experiences with their sponsors and references.**
- **Applications may be requested by the sponsors only. Currently, the process takes approximately three to four months.**
- **Attendance by the applicant at an invitational luncheon is required prior to final review of the application by the Membership Committee.**

Upon receipt of the application it is logged in and processed according to the date of receipt. The Membership Committee will thoroughly investigate all applicants and recommend approval or denial of membership to the Board of Directors who makes final determination of acceptance or denial.

It is important that each applicant notify his or her references that they will receive a questionnaire and request that their responses be timely. In the event that all questionnaires are not submitted by the due date the application will be tabled until such time as it is complete.

Contact Danielle Carreón at (619) 758-6303 for further information.

SAN DIEGO YACHT CLUB MEMBERSHIP NOTICE TO SPONSORS, REFERENCES AND APPLICANTS

Relatives, members serving on the Board of Directors or the Membership Committee cannot be listed as a sponsor or reference on an application.

The following members are currently serving on the Board of Directors:

Commodore *E. Woodrow Hunt, M.D.*
Vice Commodore *Kyle C. Clark*
Rear Commodore *Charles B. Hope, Jr.*
Director *Charles C. Sink*
Director *John L. Laun*
Director *Douglas C. Werner*
Director *John A. Reiter*
Director *Michael J. Dorgan*
Jr. Staff Commodore *William L. Campbell*

The following members are currently serving on the Membership Committee:

Vice Commodore *Kyle C. Clark*
Staff Commodore *Robert Spriggs*
Staff Commodore *James Jessop*
Staff Commodore *Gordon "G.T." Frost, Jr.*
Charles Mellor
William Waite
Albert Pleskus
Karen Busch

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Basic Information

1. All sponsors must be current Jr. Flag, Flag or Life Members of San Diego Yacht Club. A sponsor should know the applicant a minimum of two years.
2. All references must be current Members of San Diego Yacht Club.
3. There are no joint or corporate memberships.
4. In accordance with the Bylaws, one out of every four individuals approved for membership may be a non-boat owner.

Junior (Ages 12-20)

One year term - renewable annually

No Initiation Fee

Monthly Dues: \$23.00

Requires 2 Sponsors and 4-6 References (members and/or non-members)

No Food and Beverage Minimum

Junior Flag (Ages 21-29) requires transfer to Flag at age 30

Initiation Fee: \$300.00

Monthly Dues: \$60.00 + Monthly Port Lease Improvement Project Assessment: \$25

Food and Beverage Minimum Charge: \$75.00 Quarterly

Requires 2 Sponsors (6 references optional)

Flag (Ages 30 and Up)

Initiation Fee: Ages 30-34 \$2,400.00

Ages 35-39 \$4,200.00

Ages 40-44 \$6,000.00

Ages 45-49 \$9,800.00

Ages 50-54 \$14,000.00

Ages 55-59 \$17,500.00

Ages 60 and UP \$21,000.00

Monthly Dues: \$120.00 + Monthly Port Lease Improvement Project Assessment: \$50

Food and Beverage Minimum Charge: \$100.00 Quarterly

Requires 2 Sponsors and 6 References

Provisional Associate (Ages 30 and Up)

Requires transfer to Flag within nine months of provisional membership approval

Initiation Fee is based upon age when Flag application is submitted and paid upon Flag approval

Monthly Dues: \$120.00 + Monthly Port Lease Improvement Project Assessment: \$50

Food and Beverage Minimum Charge: \$100.00 Quarterly

Requires 2 Sponsors

Service (3 Year Term, as long as active duty status continues)

No Initiation Fee

Monthly Dues: \$120.00 + Monthly Port Lease Improvement Project Assessment: \$50

Food and Beverage Minimum Charge: \$100.00 Quarterly

Requires 2 Sponsors

Nonresident

(Must reside outside San Diego County and be a Flag or equivalent member in good standing of a reciprocal yacht club)

Initiation Fee: 50% of Flag Members

Monthly Dues: \$60.00 + Monthly Port Lease Improvement Project Assessment: \$25

Requires 2 Sponsors

No Food and Beverage Minimum

Expires 12/11/2011

SAN DIEGO YACHT CLUB MEMBERSHIP ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

JUNIOR

Any person, ages 12 through 20, whose parent is not a member of the San Diego Yacht Club, is eligible for election to the Club as a Junior member. Juniors are required to renew their membership annually.

JUNIOR FLAG

Any person age 21 through 29 is eligible for election to the Club as a Junior Flag member.

FLAG

Any person 30 years of age or over is eligible for election to the Club as a Flag Member.

PROVISIONAL ASSOCIATE

Any person 30 years of age or over is eligible for election to the Club as a Provisional Associate Member.

SERVICE

Members of the United States Armed Forces, on active service and stationed in San Diego County, are eligible for election for Service membership. Service membership may continue so long as active duty status continues up to a maximum term of three years.

NON-RESIDENT

Only persons who reside outside of San Diego County and who are a Flag or equivalent member in good standing of a reciprocal yacht club of the San Diego Yacht Club and do not regularly use and/or dock their boat at the San Diego Yacht Club facilities are eligible for election to the Club as a Non-Resident member. Whether or not a yacht club is to be deemed a reciprocal yacht club is to be determined by the Board of Directors of the San Diego Yacht Club.

SAN DIEGO YACHT CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION WAIT LIST

(Applicable only when we meet the Bylaw quotas)

Once the applicant has fulfilled the pre-screening process and returned the completed application to the office, it is logged in on the date received. The applications are processed in chronological order as openings occur.

JUNIOR

There is a quota of 30 in this category, which is renewable annually each summer. A separate wait list will be maintained for this category. The primary sponsor may contact the office to obtain an application.

JUNIOR FLAG

There is a cap of 100 in this category. A separate wait list will be maintained for this category after the quota has reached its limit. The primary sponsor may contact the office to obtain an application.

FLAG

There is a cap of 1,200. Above and beyond the quota of 1,200 members, there is a wait list consisting of ten approved applicants. Upon payment of initiation fees and first month's dues these members have full access and use of the Club's facilities and functions, along with charging privileges. These members do not have voting rights. Their membership effective date, which determines their eligibility to Life Membership, commences on the date they are transferred from the Wait List to full-fledged membership. The primary sponsor may contact the office to obtain an application.

PROVISIONAL ASSOCIATE

The number of Provisional Associate Memberships outstanding shall not exceed 20% of the number of open slots for Flag Membership. The Provisional Associate Member shall have all the rights of a Flag member, except the right to vote on any matter requiring the vote of the members and the right to hold office as Flag Officer or Director of the Club. The term of the Provisional Associate Membership shall be no longer than 12 months. The primary sponsor may contact the office to obtain an application.

SERVICE

There is a cap of 25 in this category. The primary sponsor may contact the office to obtain an application. Service membership may continue so long as active duty status continues up to a maximum term of three years.

NON-RESIDENT

No wait list. The primary sponsor may contact the office to obtain an application.

SAN DIEGO YACHT CLUB MEMBERSHIP FOOD AND BEVERAGE MINIMUM

The San Diego Yacht Club has a food and beverage minimum of \$100.00 per quarter for Flag members and \$75.00 for Junior Flag Members.

Only dining and bar purchases **charged** to the account will be credited to the minimum. The quarter ends on the last day of the months indicated below, based on the three following groups.

- A** June, September, December, March
- B** July, October, January, April
- C** August, November, February, May

The monthly billing statement reflects the amount of unused minimum remaining for the quarter. Should you not spend the required minimum on food or beverages by the end of your designated quarter, the amount unused will then be charged to your account.

The following exemptions will apply to the minimum spending charge:

1. All Junior members are exempt.
2. All Jr. Flag members on scholar's waivers are exempt
3. All Jr. Flag or Flag members on Non-Domicile waiver are exempt.
4. All Non-Resident members are exempt.