



Chicago Corinthian Yacht Club



CCYC Junior Fleet Information and Parental Responsibilities

Members must be between the ages of 7 and 18.

All Junior Fleet members will have to take a swimming test.

They will swim with or without their life jackets, tread water for two minutes, and put on a life jacket while in the water.

Rubber soled, non-marking shoes must be worn at all times. Sandals and bare feet are not allowed. Students with improper footwear will not sail.

Every Junior Fleet member must wear a Life Jacket at all times while on the water and on the docks. All instructors and volunteers will wear life jackets while on the water or on a rescue craft. U.S. Coast Guard approved life jackets must be clearly marked with the junior's name and must have a whistle attached.

Juniors without proper life jackets will not sail.

It is recommended that sailors have a change of dry clothes available when they are on the water.

THIS IS AN ALL VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

A child's parent or guardian must be present during Junior Fleet on the water activities.

They will assist with the set-up and breakdown of equipment.

Most important, they will help keep the children safe, while on or off the water.

They will assist with the spring launching and fall decommissioning of boats.

They will assist with the fundraising, Fourth of July, Mothers Day, Memorial Day, Halloween or any other function the Jr Junior Fleet participates in.

We will begin on the water training after the harbor opens, weather permitting. We will start on Friday evenings: we will switch to Thursday evenings after school is finished. Winter meetings will be called by the availability of students and instructors.

Please let us know if you have any ideas on how we can make this a better learning or fun experience for your child.