



## **CANSAIL DINGHY INSTRUCTOR RECERTIFICATION**

CANSail dinghy Instructor recertification is managed by the Provincial Sailing Associations in accordance with the process, as outlined by Sail Canada below. Development Coach, Learning Facilitator and Evaluator recertification is managed by Sail Canada.

Only 'certified' CANSail Instructors are eligible for recertification, 'trained' instructors are not. 'Trained' CANSail Instructors who do not obtain 'Certified' status within two (2) years of being trained will lose their status and be required to retake a full CANSail Instructor Training Clinic.

CANSail Dinghy Instructors must maintain 'Certified' status with NCCP, based the Maintenance of Certification and Professional Development requirements, in order to be eligible for recertification with Sail Canada (as outlined in section I).

### **CANSail Dinghy Instructor Recertification Requirements:**

#### **Scenario 1:**

'Certified' CANSail dinghy Instructors who have remained registered in good standing with Sail Canada for the period of their certification (3 years) and have not allowed their certification to lapse may seek recertification by contacting their PSA and completing one of the following:

- Attend an appropriate (Instructing related) Professional Development (PD) module conducted by a LF or MLF during which the recertifying instructor is evaluated on professionalism; **OR**
- Attend a portion of a technical clinic conducted by a LF or MLF to demonstrate on land and on water instruction skills (including successful evaluation of safety and professionalism); **OR**
- Be successfully evaluated in the appropriate context on land & water instruction, professionalism and safety by a CANSail Evaluator.

#### **Scenario 2:**

'Certified' CANSail dinghy Instructors who have not remained registered in good standing with Sail Canada for the period of their certification (3 years) or have allowed their certification to lapse may seek recertification by contacting their PSA completing the following requirements:

- Submit an Instructing and sailing resume and reference letter (at the discretion of the PSA);  
**AND one of the following:**
- Attend a portion of a technical clinic conducted by a CANSail LF or MLF to demonstrate on land and on water instruction skills (including successful evaluation of safety and professionalism); **OR**
- Be successfully evaluated in the appropriate context on land & water instruction, professionalism and safety by a CANSail Evaluator.

#### **Scenario 3:**

Instructors certified under the former systems for levels that have been replaced or discontinued are able to recertify as per sections 'Scenario 1' and 'Scenario 2'. Instructors in this scenario are required to successfully complete the [NCCP "Making Ethical Decisions" Online Evaluation](#) and CANSail crossover training (available through PSA). These coaches will be grandfathered into the current system as follows:

- White Sail Instructor will be recertified as CANSail 1 & 2 Instructor.
- Bronze Sail Instructor will be recertified as CANSail 3 & 4 Instructor.
- Learn to Race Instructor will be recertified as CANSail 5 & 6 Instructor.