

Sailing Instructor – School groups; summer camps and foreign visitor programs

Due to our current instructor not being available we have a new position with start date of JUNE 2.

Nanaimo Yacht Club (NYC) Sailing School is a not for profit organization that promotes competitive and recreational sailing. Nanaimo Yacht Club Sailing School provide CANSail dinghy, Paddle Canada Kayak and International Yacht Training Power & Sail Yachting Courses for ages 5 through adult. Our Sail Canada and International Yacht Training certified sailing school is active throughout the spring, summer and fall. April through November we provide internationally recognised sailing certifications, junior race teams, kayaking and paddle board trips.

All are supported by Sail Canada and International Yacht Training certified coaching staff.

NYC junior and water sports members can use our fleet of Club owned Optimist and 420 dinghies, kayaks and stand up paddleboards which are stored on the docks with direct access to Nanaimo harbour.

This is a new position for an additional instructor to join our summer team working with our summer sailing camps. You will be employed full time averaging 35 to 40 hours per week from July 4 to September 2. Whilst this will be mainly day time Monday through Friday you may be required to work evenings and weekends as required. You will answer directly to the Senior Instructor. Additional hours may be available in June if you have finished your study.

Qualification requirements.

- EITHER - Trained or Certified to CANSail 1-2 instructor with 1 year full time experience OR CANSail 3 & 4 trained preferred instructor.
- CANSail instructor membership in good standing for 2016.
- Pleasure Craft Operator Card
- Standard First Aid
- CANSail Safety Boat Certificate

Personal requirements.

Candidates must have a mature attitude, be a team player and willing to take on responsibility. Our instructors are required to have a friendly, trustworthy and honest personality.

Duties. Your duties will include -

- Delivery of CANSail training to level at which you are qualified
- Preparation of equipment
- Attending weekly team briefings
- Attending training sessions and school events
- Cleaning equipment and training facilities after sessions
- Moving club safety boats
- Reporting damaged equipment promptly
- Maintenance of equipment and dock space
- Talking to parents
- Supervising children age 6 to 19 years old
- Comply with all on and off water safety procedures
- Report all health and safety concerns, hazards or suggestions promptly to the Senior Instructor

Wages and benefits.

You will be paid an hourly wage depending on qualifications and experience + 4% holiday pay and a season end performance bonus of \$1 per hour of the total hours worked.

Mentorship from our School Director and Senior Instructor.

Free use of the clubs dinghies, kayaks and SUP's during days off and evenings. Plus the opportunity to join our yacht training at significantly reduced prices.

To apply please send your resume and cover letter/email to sailtraining@nanaimoyc.ca no later than April 1st 2016