



The Hyannis Yacht Club Foundation

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Dear Friend of the HYC Foundation,

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The Hyannis Yacht Club Foundation continues to spread its roots! Since we are a 501(c) (3) public charity, a philanthropic donation from you or your business will help us preserve and promote the sailing and swimming school, as well as our assets.

The Foundation's mission is to promote and maintain the swimming and sailing school operation, education and facility for the benefit of our members, participants and community. Today's sailing technologies are so rapidly changing, one of our goals is to keep our participants in the program educated, challenged and thrilled about sailing. The 2024 summer season recorded 225 participants in the Sail/Swim program and we want to maintain and increase that interest by providing boats, education and equipment so that youngsters and adults can gain the experience necessary to be lifelong sailors/swimmers.

This season we purchased eight Opti dollies, seven sets of 420 dolly wheels and six sets of Club 420 racing sails, a laser trailer and increased our scholarship program from 5 to 10 recipients. We also performed extensive maintenance on a donated fleet of ILCA (laser) dinghies. Our 2025 focus is to raise funds to purchase Club 420 boats and various supplies and sundry equipment needed for the program, as well as a safety/coach boat.

Running a premier Sailing School and Swim program takes significant capital. We want to continue to offer scholarships for youngsters in the community and foster their love of being on and in the water. Please help us continue with our goals and consider donating to the Hyannis Yacht Club Foundation. All donations, no matter the size, will help enhance our program and mission. Please visit our interactive Foundation website at www.hyannis yachtclubfoundation.org for additional information and exciting photos that bring the mission of our organization alive.

Whether you are a friend of the Sail/Swim program, a member of the Hyannis Yacht Club, a Captain's Table Member, or a sailing enthusiast, we need your assistance in pursuing our mission. Please donate. Your contribution is tax-deductible and we are able to accept in-kind equity donations, which allow good leveraging of capital gains. Your support is greatly appreciated!

Sincerely,

Randall W. Wallin

Randall W. Wallin, Hyannis Yacht Club Foundation President