



October 1, 2025

Dear Foundation Supporter,

The HYC Foundation has had an extraordinarily successful past twelve months. In keeping with our updated mission **to provide instructional programs and scholarships that promote a love of sailing and swimming for all ages in Barnstable and surrounding communities**, the Foundation provided eight full scholarships to children to participate in the 2025 Youth Sailing and Swimming program at the Hyannis Yacht Club. In addition, the Foundation purchased two C420 sailboats and additional small sailing-related equipment, and three Optis were donated to the Foundation. Also, we were thrilled to accept the donation of an 18' Nautica Rib with an 115 Yamaha engine and boat trailer this spring. We upgraded the rib with new tubes and launched it as a much needed safety boat to support the Youth program. We also subsidized costs for youths who attended the two Massachusetts Safe Boating trainings offered this past spring at the Hyannis Yacht Club, and have reached deeper into our local community by sponsoring a local Sea Scout "ship".

From a fundraising perspective, our third annual **Casino Night** and **Scholarfish Tournament** events were well attended and very successful due to support provided by individual donors, local businesses, and the many volunteers who donated countless hours to benefit our charity. We are greatly appreciative of all the support many of you provided!

As we look forward, the Foundation has the following goals for 2026:

- Increase available Youth program scholarships
- Raise funds to purchase five Skittles, two C420s and one Quest sailboats
- Secure indoor storage space for the Foundation owned assets
- Evaluate a C420 trailer upgrade from three to six boats
- Expand Youth program sailing equipment donations

In addition, we plan to continue expanding our support in the community, and similar to other successful charities, we need to start building up financial reserves to ensure Youth Program continuity. Your donation, in any amount, will help us further our mission and reach our goals. Together we can inspire a future generation of swimming and sailing enthusiasts, so please use the enclosed pledge card or visit our website <https://hyannis yachtclubfoundation.org/> to make a contribution or learn more about our Foundation.

Sincerely,

Randall W. Wallin, President