

Nepean Sailing Club – Wet Feet Instructor

Ottawa, Ontario

Start date: June 25, 2012 full time
End Date August 31, 2012

Web site [HTTP://nsc.ca/sailtraining/instructors.htm](http://nsc.ca/sailtraining/instructors.htm)

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Nepean Sailing Club invites qualified individuals to apply for the Wet Feet Instructor position at our sailing school for 2012.

Responsibilities:

Reporting directly to the Head Instructor, we are looking for a dedicated and enthusiastic individual with a love teaching younger children to instruct NSC's Wet Feet LTS program for children aged 6-8 including;

- supervision and leadership of introductory-level young children sailors in on-the-water & shore-side instruction as well as leading a variety of games and activities for participants
- effective communication with participants & parents in furthering the success of the NSC's introductory sailing programs in all possible aspects
- working closely with other instructors to coordinate Wet Feet program activities with other sailing school programs
- effective leadership to instill the spirit of sailing with program participants

Required Qualifications:

- CYA LTS-Wet Feet/Opti, White Sail or CANSail 1-2 Instructor Certification
- Familiarity with and capacity to teach CYA's new CANSail LTS programs
- Current standard First Aid, CPR-C, Swimming Certificate/Boat Rescue, & PCOC
- dinghy sailing experience including Opti/O'Pen-BIC, Pico, Hobie-Cat etc.

Additional experience and qualities:

- positive role model qualities to lead young sailors/participants
- excellent communication skills and teamwork ethic
- willingness to work with other instructors and staff in achieving shared goals
- passionate about sail training and youth development

Background:

Nepean Sailing Club is a large and successful sailing club located on Lac Deschênes in Ottawa. With active keel boat, dry sail, skiff, dinghy, womens racing and ABLE-Sail fleets, and 1000+ members with 600+ boats, NSC boasts a vibrant community involved virtually all areas of sailing and racing.

NSC's sailing school is one of the most popular and successful Learn-to-Sail and Youth Racing development centres in Ontario. From the Wet Feet program to Youth High Performance & Silver race teams, our sailing school caters to all levels of youth sail training and racing.

The sailing school operates out of NSC's dedicated Youth Pavilion sporting unparalleled sailing facilities for dinghies as well as club-owned fleets of O'Pen-BIC, Club-420, Hunter-14, Pico's, Optimist, Able-Sail Martin-16s and other types of sailboats.

The Wet Feel Instructor role is a full time position beginning in late June and ending in late August. Normal work hours will include time on some weekday evenings.

The salary for this position is commensurate with experience and certifications. Assistance in securing local accommodations for the successful candidate can be provided if necessary.

Please forward your application with accompanying cover letter and references to:

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Deadline for Applications is February 28, 2012