

Hi, just a reminder that you're receiving this email because you have expressed an interest in Saginaw Bay Community Sailing Association. Don't forget to add executive.director@sbcscsa.org and info@sbcscsa.org to your address book so we'll be sure to land in your inbox!

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Saginaw Bay Community Sailing January 2016 Newsletter

Save the Date!

Wine, Cheese & Ale Tasting w/ Charity Auction

Saturday April 9, 2016

Anderson Enrichment Center, Saginaw

Mark your calendars! SBCSA is hosting its Seventh Annual Wine, Cheese & Ale Tasting w/ Charity Auction to raise funds for its youth sailing program. You will be able to sample a variety of wines, hand-crafted brews, fine cheeses and hors d'oeuvres while enjoying live music. A wide variety of items donated by area businesses and individuals will be on display. Attendees may bid on these prizes in both silent and live auctions. If you have a bit of extra time, consider volunteering to help with set-up or clean-up too!

Don't forget to like our [Facebook page](#), join the [Facebook event](#), or keep an eye on our [website](#) for the latest news.

Summer Camp Kick Off Volunteers Needed

Love talking about sailing lessons or SBCSA in general? Want to tie some knots with kids and their parents? We need a few adult and youth volunteers to help out at this year's Summer Camp Kick Off at the Midland Center for the Arts. Here are the details:

Saturday March 12, 2016

11:30-3:15 (can split the day into two shifts if we have enough helpers)

MCFTA, 1801 W Saint Andrews Rd, Midland

For more information on this FREE community event, head over to their [website](#).

2016 Summer Staff Positions Available

with Saginaw Bay Community Sailing Association

If you love sailing and will be at least age 16 (for assistants) or age 18 (for instructors), and have some free time next summer, you might be interested in applying for a sailing instructor or sailing assistant position! We are looking to hire at least one more instructor and one more assistant for the 2016 season. The weekly schedule will be divided into an average of 10-28 hours per instructor (over 4 days and/or 3 evenings) and 18 hours per assistant (over 2 days and 1 evening). Know someone who would be an excellent candidate? Please share this opportunity with them!

Instructor Requirements: (completed by June 1)

- Be at least 18 years old
- Be certified as a US Sailing Small Boat 1 instructor (reimbursement available)
- Have up-to-date First Aid and CPR certifications (reimbursement available)
- Have taken a safe boating course (reimbursement available)
- Be an experienced sailor, preferably with small boat sailing experience
- Be experienced with starting, operating, and maintaining a small outboard powered boat

Assistant Requirements: (completed by June 1)

- Be at least 16 years old
- Have up-to-date First Aid and CPR certifications (reimbursement available)
- Have taken a safe boating course (reimbursement available)
- Be an experienced sailor, preferably with small boat sailing experience
- Be experienced with starting, operating, and maintaining a small outboard powered boat

For more information, please contact us at info@sbcса.org or 989-922-7245.

Complete job descriptions can also be found at: www.sbcса.org/employment.shtml

2016 Boatbuilding Class Information

There are still a few spaces left in the class! Call or email today to reserve your space. You can start next week!

No Experience is necessary to be part of the boatbuilding class. It's perfect for anyone who is thinking about building a boat or for someone who just likes to work with wood and epoxy. Visit www.sbcса.org/boatbuilding.shtml for more info.

2016 Projects:

- Finish the construction of the two Wood Duck Kayaks including painting, varnishing, and installing the seats and foot rests. The two kayaks will be raffled as a pair in 2016.
- Continue work on the Jericho Bay Lobster Skiff, a 16' runabout/fishing boat. After finishing fairing and priming the hull exterior, it will be pulled from the molds and the class will start working on the hull interior. Fairing, glassing, and fabricating seats, the breasthook, and a center console are just part of the list of things to be done.
- A new project, still to be chosen as this newsletter goes to press, will be started when the kayaks have been completed. No doubt it will be another interesting and challenging project.

Dates: January 4 to April 13, 2016

Time: Mon. and Wed. evenings, 6 - 9 PM

Place: Gougeon Boat Shop, Martin St., Bay City, MI.

Cost: SBCSA membership (\$130 adult / \$220 family) plus a \$70 materials fee.

Space is limited. To reserve a spot, contact: info@sbcса.org or 989-922-7245

You can start registering any time! Use the [Membership Application](#) found on our website.

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