



Mobile Bay Sailing School
c/o Mobile Yacht Club
4925 Marina Dr.
Mobile, Al 36605
(251) 209-1800

Our Goals:

- Develop an interest and appreciation for the sport of sailing
- Develop basic nautical knowledge.
- Develop boat handling skills or improve upon skills already acquired.
- Instill a sense of respect toward the sea, weather and wind.
- Polish any skills already acquired before Sailing School.
- Create a safe and fun learning environment.
- For those interested, develop racing skills and knowledge.

Safety, Swimming and Age Requirements:

- Each student **MUST** wear closed toe shoes that can get wet.
- Students **MUST** bring their own life jacket
- Each student **MUST** know how to swim and will be required to pass a swim proficiency test following the mandatory “Meet the Instructors” meeting. During the test the student must swim back and forth across the pool, tread water for one minute, and be able to put on a life jacket while in the water.
- Students **MUST** be between the ages of 8 and 18.

What will Sailing School Provide for Each Student?

- A fun and safe learning environment.
- Accomplished, USSA certified instructors.
- Boats and other miscellaneous equipment needed for Sailing School.
- Water!

Every Day students MUST bring:

- A Coast Guard approved life jacket.
- Closed toe shoes.
- A hat.
- A towel.
- A water bottle.
- Lunch*.
- SUNSCREEN! (We cannot stress enough how important sunscreen is.)
- A positive attitude!

*Please note that the students are responsible for bringing their own lunches. Mobile Yacht Club is open on Thursdays and Fridays, so students can order food from the Club those days.

Classes

MBSS is offering 8 weeklong training sessions in 2021 from June 7th through July 23rd. The session schedules and explanation of “Class Type”s are as follows:

- The “**Regular**” sessions are taught on 420 Class sailboats and are full day courses open to all experience levels. However, we ask that Parents notate the following application with their child’s experience level. In general, we define experience level as follows:
- Beginner sailors are those students who have had little to no experience with sailing but are 8 years old or older.
 - Intermediate sailors are those students who have had sailing lessons and or some sailing experience and have basic boat handling skills.
 - Experienced sailors are those students who are comfortable sailing a boat and want to learn advanced sailboat handling and basic racing skills.

The “**Special Opti**” sessions are half day courses for students between 8 and 10 years old. These sessions are taught using the smaller Optimist Class sailboats.

The “**Special 13+**” session is a “**Regular**” session tailored for students who are between 13 and 18 years old.

We set aside a “**Make-up**” week in case we must cancel a session due to weather conditions. If there is enough demand, we have the option to change this to a “**Regular**” session.

We will have an instructor present on the premises from 8:30 until 5:30 every day when our students are not on the water. Parents can drop off students at MYC as early as 8:30 for the morning session and can pick up afternoon session students as late as 5:30.

Class Schedules

Each class is held Monday through Friday. Classes will go on rain or shine. During inclement weather, students will be trained onshore about theoretical aspects of sailing, knots, rigging, etc.

Classes	Class Type	Class Dates	Class Times	Base rate
Session 1	Regular	June 7 - June 11	9:00AM - 5:00PM	\$300.00
Session 2	Regular	June 14 - June 18	9:00AM - 5:00PM	\$300.00
Session 3	Special Opti	June 21 - June 25	9:00AM - 12:30PM	\$150.00
Session 4	Special Opti	June 21 - June 25	1:30PM - 5:00PM	\$150.00
Session 5	Regular	June 28 - July 2	9:00AM - 5:00PM	\$300.00
Holiday	No Classes	June 5 - July 9	No Classes	
Session 6	Special 13+	July 12 - July 16	9:00AM - 5:00PM	\$300.00
Session 7	Regular	July 19 - July 23	9:00AM - 5:00PM	\$300.00
Session 8	Make-up	July 26 - July 30	9:00AM - 5:00PM	TBA

MBSS offers a 20% discount from base rate for;
Each child beyond the first in a family.
Each additional session per child.

Class Size:

“Special Opti” sessions are limited to 10 and the other sessions to 14 students.

Class orientation

“Meet the Instructors” meeting and swimming tests will be held first thing each Monday morning.

Registration

You will find a registration form on the next page.

- Please include your tuition check with your registration form.
- Checks should be made payable to: **Mobile Bay Sailing School**. Registration forms can be mailed or delivered to MYC at: 4925 Marina Dr., Mobile, Al 36605

Please check www.mobilebaysailingschool.com for session availability before sending in your application form.

MBSS will begin accepting Registration Forms on March 15th, 2021.

Instructors:

All MBSS instructors are USSA and First Aid certified.

For more information, please call;

Mobile Bay Sailing School: (251) 209-1800
Mobile Yacht Club: (251) 471-3131

Mobile Bay Sailing School Registration Form for Summer of 2021

Class Number: (Please circle): 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7

Student Information:

Name: _____ Sex: M / F
Address: _____ DoB: ___/___/___
_____ Age: _____
School: _____ Grade: _____
Cell: (____)____-____ E-Mail: _____@_____._____
Sailing experience (please circle): Beginner / Intermediate / Advanced T-shirt Size: ____

Parent and Emergency Contact Information:

Parent's Name: _____ E-Mail: _____@_____._____
Contact Numbers: (____)____-____ (____)____-____ (____)____-____
Emergency Contact: _____
Contact Numbers: (____)____-____ (____)____-____ (____)____-____

Medical Information:

Any disabilities, or medical conditions preventing the student from fully participating? If so, please explain.

Medications Taken: _____

Allergies: _____

The sailor and parent or legal guardian assumes full responsibility for any loss or damage, excepting loss or damage covered by insurance, that may come to any person, boat, pier, float, or any other property used in conjunction with this course as a result of improper use, negligence, violation of the Navigation and racing rules, and other acts of sailors, or any other representatives of the host location in connection herewith.

Student's Signature: _____ Date: ___/___/___

Parent's/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: ___/___/___