



# Blackbeard Sailing Club Membership Application

### Application For:

- Active Membership  
 Intermediate Membership

Applicants Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email Addresses Primary: \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phones Primary: \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary: \_\_\_\_\_  
Indicate mobile/home/work

Sponsor Recommendation	Sponsor #1	Sponsor #2
Name / Member Number	_____ / _____	_____ / _____
Signature / Date	_____ / _____	_____ / _____

A sponsor is required to review basic Club information with Applicants & Act as a Mentor for the New Members  
 Please verify that you understand the following with V:

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| _____ Organizational Structure                                 | _____ Guest Policy (Do Not Loan Gate Key)      |
| _____ Dues and Other Required Fees                             | _____ Alcohol Control Requirements             |
| _____ Semiannual Workdays (BSC is a Do It Yourself Club)       | _____ Boat Insurance & Hurricane Requirements) |
| _____ Pet Rules  | _____ Facility Security                        |
| _____ Dock Safety Rules (Life Jackets for Children 10 & Under) | _____ Closed Head Policy                       |

Why do you wish to become a member of BSC?

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What type of sailing interests you?

- \_\_\_\_\_ Day Sailing    \_\_\_\_\_ Racing    \_\_\_\_\_ Coastal Cruising    \_\_\_\_\_ Long Distance Cruising    \_\_\_\_\_ All

Please outline your sailing and previous sailing club

experience: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

If you have a boat(s), please list the basic information:

Make _____	Length (actual) _____	Width _____	Draft _____
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Are you interested in leasing a slip?	Wet _____	Dry _____	

As a do it yourself club, BSC is interested in what you might contribute. Please V as many as you have experience with that you feel you could use in improving the club:

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| _____ Design & Planning     | _____ Crafts                  | _____ Race Committee    | _____ Marine Electronics    |
| _____ Project Leader        | _____ Artist                  | _____ Race PRO          | _____ Small Engine Repair   |
| _____ Cruise Leader         | _____ Engineering             | _____ Race Safety Boat  | _____ Diesel Engine Repair  |
| _____ Sailing Instructor    | _____ Architecture            | _____ Race Crew         | _____ Other (Specify) _____ |
| _____ Carpentry/Woodworking | _____ Graphic Design (Web)    | _____ Race Tactics      |                             |
| _____ Electrical            | _____ Marketing/Communication | _____ Navigation        |                             |
| _____ Plumbing              | _____ Photography             | _____ Rigging Advice    |                             |
| _____ HVAC                  | _____ Financial/Insurance     | _____ Fiberglass Repair |                             |
| _____ Landscaping           | _____ Legal                   | _____ Sail Repair       |                             |
| _____ Painting Int. or Ext. | _____ Health & Safety         | _____ Canvas Repair     |                             |

**For Intermediate Membership Applicants Only:**

I certify that I am at least 16 years old, and under 26 years old. I am either a full-time student \_\_\_\_\_  
on active military duty \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**For Intermediate Membership Applicants Under 18 Years Old:**

The parent(s) or legal guardian(s) must certify by signing below that they will be fully responsible for the Member and the Member's guest while at BSC. The parent(s) or legal guardian(s) are required to attend Orientation with the Member.

Parent/Guardian Signature(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please scan and email your completed application to [membership@blackbeardsailingclub.org](mailto:membership@blackbeardsailingclub.org) or send by USPS to Blackbeard Sailing Club, Ltd., PO Box 24, Bridgeton, NC 28519 Attn: Membership; or have your sponsor leave it in the membership box in the office.

Upon receipt, an interview will be scheduled with the Membership Committee. The purpose of the interview is to review basic information and ensure that you understand BSC Membership requirements. This interview will take place at BSC.

Your name(s), a photo and a brief bio of your sailing experience will then be submitted to the Membership at large and to BSC Board of Directors. Based on their feedback and approval of the application, your membership will be activated.

Your initiation fees must be paid by your official membership date, which is normally the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the month following membership approval, and your annual dues invoice will be sent on a quarterly basis. An orientation packet including gate cards will be provided and you may apply for a slip(s) once your initiation fee is paid.

A formal orientation will be scheduled to include a basic review of club activities and policies, an extensive tour, plus a question/answer session. These sessions will be conducted on a quarterly basis depending on the number of new memberships activated.

BSC welcomes your application and hopes that your expectations will be fulfilled.

The information provided on this form will be used in the Membership Directory. If you agree, please sign and date below.

Prospective Member(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature  
\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

*This area below is for documentation by the BSC Membership Committee*

Prospective Member Interview Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Completed) (Interviewer Name) (Interviewer Name)

BSC Membership Review Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Email Sent) (Review End)

BSC Board Approval Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Email Sent) (Vote Complete) (Approved) (Not Approved)

Membership Activation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Initiation Fee Paid Date: \_\_\_\_\_