

What more could you ask to make your boating an even more fantastic part of your life (other than taking over your payments)? Join OYC and enjoy the raft-ups, cruises, social activities ashore and afloat, safety awareness and fun-filled competitions.

From the Early Bird Cruise in April to the Hardy Souls Cruise in November, the fun is non-stop, and it includes all-night raft-ups, holiday weekend trips and some one- and two-week cruises to the Chesapeake Bay and beyond.

As a member club of the Potomac River Yacht Clubs Association, we also attend PRYCA's annual Float In and Change of Watch formal dinner.

Stir in potluck meals, cookouts, a chilli cook-off, photo contest, annual flag raising, two annual meetings, Coast Guard Auxiliary Vessel Safety Checks and safety instruction—demonstrations to make your boating experience complete.

Where is the Occoquan Yacht Club?

OYC has members in almost every marina on the river—from Washington DC to Point Lookout—plus some out-of-towners in Florida and North Carolina who keep in touch with the growing network of friends acquired since OYC's founding in 1984. There's no clubhouse or dues-supported mortgage.

How do I join?

Fill out the form inside, detach and mail it to the Occoquan Yacht Club along with a check for the membership you choose. The membership year runs from January 1 to December 31. Soon you'll receive your membership packet: membership card, information about OYC, and the latest edition of the club's freshly written, irreverently amusing, informative, never award-winning newsletter, *The Daymarker*.

Want to know more?

Talk to one of our officers listed on the back page of this form. Contact OYC's Membership Chair, Ilona Zsirai, at 703 476-6717, and be sure to visit our web site at www.OccoquanYachtClub.org

Meet new friends Expand your skills, Extend your horizons, Enrich your boating life.

Are you:



Thinking about buying a boat?



A brand new boater?



A seasoned Skipper, but new to the Potomac?



Ready to test your skills on the Chesapeake Bay?

If you answered "Aye-Aye" to any of the above, then the Occoquan Yacht Club is perfect for you.

Join OYC and enjoy year-round raft-ups, cruises, social activities ashore and afloat and fun-

filled competitions. And when you join, you'll receive this handsome blue (and red, yellow and white) burgee to fly on your boat.



AHOY, BOATER!



You and your crew are cordially invited to join



Come aboard! We've been looking for you.



Occoquan Yacht Club 2009 New Membership Application and Membership Renewal

Date: _____

Captain _____

Home phone _____

First Mate _____

Cell phone _____

Address _____

Email _____

City, State, Zip _____

Child(ren)'s Name _____

BOAT DATA

Name _____ Length and Beam _____

Captain's Birthday (mo/day) _____

Builder _____ Power Sail

First Mate's Birthday (mo/day) _____

Where Berthed? _____

Wedding Anniversary (mo/day) _____

New Membership:

___ Family--\$75 (includes Burgee)

___ Individual--\$55 (includes Burgee)

___ Associate--\$30 (add \$20 for Burgee)



Membership Renewal:

___ Family--\$75

___ Individual--\$55

___ Associate--\$30

___ For OYC Burgee add \$20

(2009 fees cover both initiation and remaining calendar year dues and will not be pro-rated)

Total Enclosed: _____

I am interested in the following volunteer opportunities (check all that apply):

- ___ Contribute articles to the OYC newsletter, *The Daymarker*
- ___ Contribute pictures from club events for *The Daymarker*
- ___ Contribute pictures and short articles to the OYC Web Site
- ___ Assist with Web Site programming
- ___ Coordinate an event

- ___ Assist event coordinators
- ___ Serve as a PRYCA/CBYCA delegate
- ___ Serve as a fleet captain
- ___ Serve as a safety officer or board officer
- ___ Other: _____

Please make check payable to Occoquan Yacht Club. Mail your check and the form above to:

Occoquan Yacht Club, P.O Box 469, Occoquan, VA 22125

Please allow 3-4 weeks for processing your application and return of membership packet.

Occoquan Yacht Club Officers for 2009

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OYC is a member club of the Chesapeake Bay Yacht Clubs Association and the Potomac River Yacht Clubs Association. We maintain a membership accord, #GA 80979Y, with the Boat Owners Association of the United States (BoatUS), entitling our members to BoatUS membership at half price. OYC supports the Occoquan River Maritime Association (ORMA).

Visit our Website:
www.OccoquanYachtClub.org