

# *GYC 2017 Membership Guidelines*

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## **1. General Information**

- No refunds after July 1
- Membership renewal invoices emailed by April 1st
- Members are responsible for tracking volunteer hours on the GYC website
- Please do not store dinghies of any kind in south building from June through August
- Names must be clearly visible on boat trailer, dinghy, and dock box
- To store any type of dinghy at the club or dinghy area, owners must be a Regular member of GYC
- Individual guest or guest families are permitted 3 times per year
- By paying your fees you are accepting, and agreeing to abide by, the club's Code of Conduct, and all club rules and regulations.
- Senior (Single, Couple, Family), Student, or Wednesday Night Racing (WNR) membership is required in order to participate in the WNR Race Program.

## **2. Members Categories**

### **I) Single Membership** (A Single membership is defined as a Senior Member over 17 years of age)

- Includes full access to facilities, equipment and programs
- May serve as a Director of the GYC if so elected, and is entitled to one vote
- Includes membership to Sail Manitoba
- A Single membership requires 10 volunteer hours

### **II) Couple Membership** (A Couple membership is defined as two Senior Members)

- Includes full access to facilities, equipment and programs
- May serve as a Director of the GYC if so elected and is entitled to two votes
- Includes one membership to Sail Manitoba for the skipper
- A Couple membership requires 20 volunteer hours

### **III) Family Membership** (A Family membership is defined as parent(s) and their dependant children)

- Includes full access to facilities, equipment and programs
- May serve as a Director of the GYC if so elected and is entitled to one or two votes depending on the number of Senior members
- Includes membership to Sail Manitoba for the skipper
- Additional memberships to Sail Manitoba (\$15 for ages 7-18, \$30 for ages 19 and over) may be purchased for WNR as required
- A Family membership requires 20 volunteer hours

### **IV) Youth Membership** (A Youth membership is defined as a Restricted Member from 6 to 24 years of age and is a full time student. Youth members under 14 years of age require the supervision of a Regular Member.

- Includes full access to GYC facilities and dinghies

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- May not serve as a Director of the GYC, and has no voting privileges
- No storage privileges, access to the crane or GYC support boats
- Includes one membership to Sail Manitoba

**V) Wednesday Night Racing Membership** (A Wednesday Night Racing (WNR) membership is defined as a Restricted Member participating in the WNR Race Program.)

- Includes full use of facilities during racing events on Wednesday Nights only
- Includes no access to the crane and no storage privileges
- May not serve as a Director of the GYC and has no voting privileges
- Includes membership to Sail Manitoba if not covered at another club
- A GYC Racing Membership requires no volunteer hours

**VI) Social Membership** (A Social membership is a Restricted Member.)

The Social Membership is a restricted membership intended to permit people to take part in club social activities without the commitment of a full, voting membership. It allows you to participate in official social events at GYC, as well as casual socializing, but does not permit full use of the clubhouse, or its amenities. Restrictions of the Social Membership include:

- No access to showers, kitchen, BBQs, ice machine, or lounge except during scheduled social events.
- No voting privileges
- No guest privileges
- Not eligible for on water programs, unless also a WNR member
- Cannot be combined with other membership types except WNR
- Not permitted to use club-owned dinghies
- A Social Membership requires no volunteer hours