



## 2019 Boat Sharing Program at North Shore Yacht Club

The Boat Share program at the NSYC allows you, your family and friends to use a well-maintained, well-equipped Colgate 26 sailboat without the need to buy, insure or deal with most of the worries that come with owning a boat. Our boat, **Under Toad**, is cooperatively maintained by Boat Share participants (who want to learn how to care for a boat), experienced club members and paid professionals.

The program is open only to members of the NSYC and runs from May 18<sup>th</sup>, our Club Commissioning Day, through October 12<sup>th</sup>.

**How to join the Boat Share Program:** In order to participate in the boat share program you have to be a member of the club.

For those joining the club to participate in this program, the Social Associate membership is ideal. The Social Associate fee for an individual or family is \$750/year, plus Boat Share program fee of \$750/year. \*(you need to pass a proficiency test before you can take the boat out)

For a total cost of \$1500 (plus tax) for the season, you are a member of the club. You and your family can enjoy the use of the boat and the full social, entertainment and educational benefits of the club.

Social Associates who want to learn to sail, but are not ready to join the Boat Share Program may take up to five lessons in any season with the club sailing instructor at his billable rate or with one of our designated club members.

The five lessons may only be taken during pre-defined time slots determined by the Boat Share Committee. The charge for non-Boat Share Program members using **Under Toad** is \$70/session and is in addition to the instructor's fee. Anyone who decides to join the Boat Share program will have the cost of his or her rentals credited to that year's Boat Share cost.

Any **NSYC Club** member who is Boat Share qualified Skippers may sign up and use **Under Toad** for \$70 per session; up to two times in one season. In order to use **Under Toad** after that you need to join the Boat Share program and you will be credited for the two sessions.

**Don't Know how to Sail but Want to Learn?** Instruction is available for individuals or small groups with our Certified Sailing Instructor or a designated member of the Boat Share committee.

**How to sign up and sail:** There is a simple on-line signup procedure to reserve the boat. Slots are set up for weekends, holidays, during the week and early evenings. Program guidelines assure fair and equal access to sign up times and use of the boat.

**For more information or to sign up for the program please contact:**

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