



# Otsego Sailing Club

## Cooperstown, New York

### Application for Membership

The Otsego Sailing Club, Inc. is a family oriented, non-profit organization of members who have mutual interests in sailing and sailboat racing. It was founded to encourage sailing as a recreational and competitive sport; to promote safety in sailing and all associated activities; and to promote good sportsmanship. Club members are expected to participate in Club activities, and to assist in maintaining and improving the Club's facilities and organization.

Name\_\_\_\_\_Partner's Name\_\_\_\_\_

Address\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_Home Phone\_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone\_\_\_\_\_e-mail\_\_\_\_\_

Children – Names & Ages\_\_\_\_\_

### Membership Classifications

(Please circle the classification for which you are applying)

1. **Regular Membership** (\$675.00) is for a sailboat owning person or family. You will have full privileges, full responsibilities and one vote at Club membership meetings.  
or
2. **Associate/Crew Membership** (\$350.00) is for a person or family without a sailboat. You will have full privileges and full responsibilities but no vote.  
or

Please indicate your level of interest and interest in each of the areas below:

	INTEREST				EXPERIENCE		
	None	Some	Much		None	Some	Much
Day Sailing							
Racing							

Why do you wish to join the Otsego Sailing Club? \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe your knowledge, interests and/or skills which would be helpful to the Club (e.g. maintenance, management, accounting, promotion, racing, education, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete BOTH PAGES of this application



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All members are expected to serve on a committee. Please indicate your first preference with a 1, second choice with a 2 and third with a 3.

Committee	#
Facilities Grounds, Garden, Landscape, Building, Painting	
Communication Website, Advertisement, Recruitment	
Social Plan and host gatherings at the Club	
Harbor Maintenance Docks, Winter Crew, Sheds, Launch Ramp	
Race Committee Boat and motor maintenance, Equipment, Awards	
Annual Regatta Weekend Assist with the Glimmerglass Regatta duties	
Sailing Education Previous experience required	

List each boat you own and will use at the Club and whether it requires dockage, a mooring or a trailer space.

Class/Type	Length	Dockage, Mooring or Dry Sail?*

\*Please be aware that obtaining a mooring or dockage depends on availability. Upon membership, you need to request (from the Harbormaster) to be added to the waiting list (if there is one).

\*Empty trailers must not be left at the Club.

Do you have a friend or acquaintance who is currently a member of OSC? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your sailing/racing experience? \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn about the Otsego Sailing Club? \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that this application implies no obligation by the OTSEGO SAILING CLUB, INC for acceptance. Membership in the OTSEGO SAILING CLUB requires completion of the full application process. After acceptance, continued membership depends upon compliance with all Club policies, rules and regulations. Participation in Spring Dock Day, Fall Dock Day and one Host Weekend each season is required. I understand that annual renewal of my membership will be based upon my fulfillment of all these requirements.

**You will be billed for dues upon acceptance. Please do not pay your membership fee at this time.**

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

Send completed application to: **Jerry Phelan, Membership Chair**  
**Cell 607-293-0500    gphelan200@gmail.com**

*Please contact Jerry with any questions about this application or membership in our Club.*