Puddle Jumpers’ Camp

Puddle Jumper (n): A small, light, fast, highly maneuverable airplane that is used for short trips.

We’ve been stuck inside, homeschooling our students, loving the family time, but **LET'S GET OUTSIDE!!!!**

**Half Day Junior Puddle Jumpers**
**Ages: 7-11**
**Time: 9am- 12pm**
**Dates: June 15th- 19th, 2020**
**Cost: $215**

Let’s do some learning, shall we? This camp is designed to bring your child into the great classroom of the outdoors. Think Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Maths camp meets sailing in the outdoors. Check the inside of the brochure for a ‘what to expect/ activities’ section!

**Puddle Jumpers**
**Ages: 12- 16**
**Time: 1pm- 4pm**
**Dates: June 15th- 19th, 2020**
**Cost: $215**

This camp is designed for our ‘older’ Puddle Jumpers, and will engage them in some different ways to the junior jumpers. Activities will be Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Maths based while adventuring and learning in our outdoor classroom. In this camp we will work to balance educational activities with fun adventures.

**No prior sailing experience required for either camp**

**Safety & Discipline**
CYC is committed to maintaining a safe and positive environment for young people at all times. All participants in the program must pass a simple swim test given on the first day of instruction. Also, at all times while on the water each sailor must provide and wear an approved personal floatation device (PFD) suitable to the size of the sailor. Parents are expected to inform their children that proper self discipline is required while in the program. Violations of safety or other program rules may result in a disciplinary action including suspension or dismissal from the program without a refund.

**Junior Associate Sailing Membership**
Junior Associate Sailing memberships are required for all guests and non-members ages 7-18. Please visit [www.carolinayachtclub.org](http://www.carolinayachtclub.org/) for more information on the application process.

**Registration**
Registration will open for Full members on Friday, March 27th at noon with registration opening for Junior Associate Sailing members Friday, April 3rd at noon.

**Refund policy**
CYC will refund the full registration fee until May 15th, 2020. After that date, no refunds will be granted unless extraordinary circumstances arise.

**Late Fee**
Registrations received after May 15th, 2020 will be subject to a $30 late fee.

For any questions or more information contact the Waterfront Director,
katrina@carolinayachtclub.org

Carolina Yacht Club
Additional Offerings Summer 2020

For more information & registration visit
[www.carolinayachtclub.org](http://www.carolinayachtclub.org)
Junior Puddle Jumpers

What to expect?
Here is an idea of what your sailor will attack during camp:

**Monday:** Team building, meet your new teammates and get comfortable at CYC
   Educational Activity: Measuring wind

**Tuesday:** On the water group sailing adventure
   Educational Activity: Buoyancy (Why do boats float?)

**Wednesday:** Cliffs Adventure
   Educational Activity: Marine Debris

**Thursday:** Water fun (inflatable animals, paddle boarding, sailing)
   Educational Activity: Underwater Exploration

**Friday:** Fun Day, plan to bring your snacks and take them on a fun outdoor adventure to an island exploration.

**All activities are subject to dynamic change (for wind, weather, etc)!**

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Why STEM and Sailing?
by Rachel Reagan
(Below excerpt adapted from article)

While sailing fast is appealing to a select group, harnessing the wind, waves, and the mechanics of sailing are natural motivators for all youth to pursue sailing (and science) as a life-long interest.

There's a nationwide movement to get youth interested and engaged in science and mathematics. Many initiatives have been created to address the skills gap that exists in a new economy that is technology focused and knowledge driven. Today's youth are tomorrow's workers. A recognized need to increase STEM skills has led to targeted government, corporate, and school-based programs that are changing the landscape of education.

Sailing programs nationwide are rich environments for STEM learning. Every time a student steps into a boat, pulls the tiller, or trims a sail they are experiencing powerful lessons. The weather above, the water below, and everything on the boat in-between can provide daily, real-world science lessons. Connecting these hands-on, experiential learning experiences to educational objectives can open up a whole new world of learning and opportunity to both sailors and sailing programs.

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Puddle Jumpers

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Here is an idea of what your sailor will attack during camp:

**Monday:** Team building, meet your new teammates and get comfortable at CYC
   Educational Activity: Measuring Wind, Land & Sea Breezes

**Tuesday:** On the water group sailing adventure
   Educational Activity: Underwater Exploration parts I & II

**Wednesday:** Sailing based educational activity
   Educational Activity: Sail Area & Perimeter, which boat is fastest?

**Thursday:** Water fun (inflatable animals, paddle boarding, sailing)
   Educational Activity: Underwater Exploration part III (build an ROV)

**Friday:** Fun Day, finishing up any incomplete activities and having a fun afternoon with friends on the water.

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