

Policy Number: 05-2018
OPI: Vice-Commodore
Expiry: None

Westwood Sailing Club



Examiners

General

Examiners are appointed by the Board of Directors for the purpose of evaluating members who are experienced sailors and prefer not to take the applicable courses. These evaluations will not result in award of any certification (e.g., under the CANSail program); a member may use Westwood's boats in accordance with their evaluated status (i.e., Crew, Helm, or Skipper), as described in the club's By-laws and Policies.

Albacore / Laser / Wave (Note: test must be performed on the Albacore)

Members may contact one of the following Examiners if they wish to be evaluated for Helm status (CanSail 2 / WhiteSail3 equivalent) or Skipper status (CanSail 3 / BronzeSail 4 equivalent) on the Albacore, Laser, or Hobie Wave:

- Jason Brown
- Mary Free (Helm only)
- Gregg Horne
- Mike Lemon
- Maxim Newby
- Dave Robb
- Bill Shore
- Kevin Smith
- Stephanie Stalinski

Evaluations will be based on the appropriate CANSail checklist. Checklists will be attached to this policy when developed.

Hobie 16 / Nacra 500 (Note: test must be performed on the Hobie 16)

Members may contact one of the following Examiners if they wish to be evaluated for Helm or Skipper status on these larger catamarans. Members must be evaluated separately by two different Examiners for Skipper status.

- Alex Byczko (Helm only)
- Dave Robb
- Bill Shore
- Kevin Smith
- Uli Wortmann

Evaluations will be based on the Catamaran Sailors – Qualifications Policy.

Recommendations and Approval

Examiners will recommend to the Board of Directors whether a member should be granted Helm or Skipper status. If the Examiner(s) communicates the recommendation to the member, the status will be considered provisionally approved until a final decision is made by the Vice Commodore, acting on behalf of the Board. These decisions may be reviewed by the Board of Directors as a whole.