



Dear Prospective Member,

Thank you for your interest in joining the Stonington Harbor Yacht Club. Our members gather year-round, on and off the water, to meet with and make friends and participate in club-organized activities. Our dining room and bar serve lunch and dinner, with a menu that changes seasonally, and we regularly offer special events, games, and more to enhance your experience.

Every month the Club calendar boasts varying activities from fun trivia and bingo to educational evenings, opera nights, men's and women's luncheons, and card games. Members are encouraged to get out on the water on our fleet of Ideal 18s, and if you don't know how to sail, we will teach you. We also have an active cadre of cruisers and racers and members with boats will always welcome you as crew or a passenger, regardless of your experience.

Special events include Academy Award and Kentucky Derby parties, our Hot White Summer Night gala under the stars, Docktails, annual Commissioning Day ceremony, and holiday season festivities.

One wonderful privilege is that as a member of SHYC you have reciprocal privileges with more than 40 other clubs around the world.

There are several options for membership within the Stonington Harbor Yacht Club; our most popular is "Active," which allows you access to the waterfront and clubhouse 12 months of the year. For a short time, we are offering a deeply discounted –60 percent– reduction in the initiation fee. This is the perfect time to join. You may view the membership categories and associated fees in the attached document.

Our membership process is simple, and we are happy to answer any questions you may have along the way. We look forward to welcoming you as a member.

Betsy Bowman and Ann Baldelli
Co-chairs, SHYC Membership Committee
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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Applicant Name: _____ Spouse/Partner Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Membership Category (*refer to Member Classification Chart*): _____

Children or grandchildren under age 23:

Name: _____ M/F Birthday: _____ Name: _____ M/F Birthday: _____

Name: _____ M/F Birthday: _____ Name: _____ M/F Birthday: _____

Primary Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Local Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Local Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Spouse/Partner Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____ Spouse/Partner Email: _____

Employer: _____ Occupation: _____

Club Affiliations: _____

Do you own a boat? _____ Name of your boat? _____ Make/ Model _____

Personal Statement:

Please attach a separate page with a brief description of yourself/family and tell us why you would like to join.

Signature of applicant

Date

All applications for membership will be subject to the procedures of our Membership Committee.

STONINGTON HARBOR YACHT CLUB MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES AND FEES

Membership Classification	Age	Membership Benefits	Initiation Fees	2019 and 2020 Dues
Active over 50	50 +	Year-round use of Club and participation in all on the water and off the water activities	\$5,100 Now \$2,000 with 60% Discount	\$3,215
Active under 50	35 to 50	Year-round use of Club and participation in all on the water and off the water activities	Scaled based on age at joining from \$2,475 to \$4,060 Now \$459-\$1,833 with 60 % Discount	\$765 to \$3,055
Active 30 to 35	30 to 35th birthday	Year-round use of Club and participation in all on the water and off the water activities	None	\$600
Corinthian	18 to 29	Year-round use of Club and participation in all on the water and off the water activities	None	\$300
Off Season Social	N/A	Ability to use the Club socially October 1 st -Commissioning Day in mid-May	\$2,550	\$1,610
Military	Active Duty Military	Year-round use of Club and participation in all on the water and off the water activities	None	\$775
Senior	See Note 5 below	Year-round use of Club and participation in all on the water and off the water activities	Previously paid in full	\$2,000
Senior 85 Plus	85+	Year-round use of Club and participation in all on the water and off the water activities	None	\$2,000

Please Note:

1. Fees do not include CT dues tax, currently 10%.
2. Credit card payments add 2.5% processing fee.
3. Off Season Social pro-rated 1/8, currently \$201.25 off for each month after January.
4. Active Member and Senior Dues may be paid in full by January 31, 2020 OR in six equal installments from January through June. A \$20/month fee is applied to installment payments.
5. Senior: Age is at least 75. Additionally, age plus years of membership must equal at least 80. Person has been an Active member for at least one year.
6. Active, Senior and Military Members are responsible for the Club Food and Beverage Minimum of \$400 (\$200 for January-July and \$200 for August-December).

7. Dues for all new Active and Military members joining after June will be prorated according to the following schedule. *(Note: the month of joining is the first month after which Board approval has been obtained and the applicable posting period has expired.)*

January – June	100%
July	60%
August	40%
September	33%
October	25%
November	17%