



ORR'S-BAILEY YACHT CLUB
PO Box 236
Orr's Island, ME 04066

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

The purpose of the Orr's-Bailey Yacht Club is to provide members and their guests access to the water for the safe use of powerboats and sailing craft. In addition, the facilities will be maintained for Club-sponsored meetings, social events, and educational opportunities. The organization relies on its members to voluntarily manage and maintain its programs and property with a minimum of contracted services.

Name _____ Spouse _____

Winter Address _____

Summer Address _____

Telephone:
Winter (____) _____ Summer _____

E-mail Address _____

Children under 19: Name and Birth Date _____

Boat Name _____ Model _____ Length _____ Power Sail

Membership Category – Check One

- Regular** – Those persons 19 years of age and older living alone or as a couple. Couples who live together are considered as two members and membership, including dues and assessments, is expected from both. Voting privileges are offered to both. Children under 19 years are included with the adult membership.
- Family Option** – A Regular membership that permits use of the Club facilities by the member's close relatives who may be visiting from outside the area for a short period of time. Additional dues are charged for this category.
- Junior Associate** – For those children of Regular Members who are ages 19-25 who will be using the Club facilities on a regular basis. There is no application fee, no Capital Fund assessment, and no mortgage payment. Dues are at ½ the annual Regular Membership rate. Junior Associates do not have a vote.

Name of Junior Applicant: _____ DOB: _____

The membership application requires that the applicant obtain two sponsoring letters from two current members who have been members of the Club for at least a year. Each sponsor must be from a different household.

Because sponsors have definite responsibilities to the applicant(s), they should be considered carefully. Applicants should ask themselves if:

1. they have known their sponsor for a period of at least a year;
2. their sponsor has reviewed the Club Bylaws and Rules with them as well as the member's financial obligations; and
3. they feel comfortable having their sponsors support them in social and volunteer activities, thereby mentoring them.

Please check the volunteer activity(ies) you are willing to undertake as a member.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Audit | <input type="checkbox"/> Floats (remove/install) | <input type="checkbox"/> Social |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Board of Directors | <input type="checkbox"/> Membership | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Buildings & Grounds | <input type="checkbox"/> Mooring Management | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Finance | <input type="checkbox"/> Sailing School | |

After completion of the sponsor forms on the reverse side of this application, mail the form and a check made payable to the Orr's-Bailey Yacht Club for the non-refundable application fee of \$200 for each Regular membership. After receipt and review by the Membership Committee, you will be notified of the status of your application.

By signing this application, you hereby agree to be bound by the Bylaws and Rules of the Orr's-Bailey Yacht Club.

Applicant's Signature

Spouse's Signature

Date

Note: Applications are not considered complete unless both sponsors complete the sponsorship form (see reverse side), as well as receipt of the appropriate non-refundable application fee.

APPLICANTS: Please tell us something about your background (employment, hobbies/interests, etc.). Attach additional sheet if necessary.

FOR SPONSORS

Sponsorship is a serious responsibility and requires the following considerations, in addition to the completion of the recommendation below.

- Have you been a member of OBYC for at least one year?
- Have you known the applicant(s) for at least one year?
- Are you willing to review the Club Bylaws and Rules as well as financial obligations with the applicant(s), stressing the importance of the volunteering aspect of membership?
- Are you comfortable becoming involved with the applicant(s) in social and volunteer activities, thereby mentoring them during their first year?
- Are you willing to complete this recommendation form?

SPONSOR 1: Please give a brief summary of your acquaintance with the applicant(s) and tell us why you feel the applicant(s) will make a good club member.

Sponsor's Signature

Date

SPONSOR 2: Please give a brief summary of your acquaintance with the applicant(s) and tell us why you feel the applicant(s) will make a good club member.

Sponsor's Signature

Date