



Community Boating Center EnviroMentors

Environmental/Sailing Skill Levels

CBC instructors model key environmental concepts and evaluate sailing skills each session. Once confident in required skills, students are advanced to the next level. Most students require at least two sessions per level prior to advancing. Everyone receives an award to publicly share their achievement.



1 Sea Steward

Going green starts ashore. Choices we make on land ultimately affect the ocean.

SeaStewards are "green" beginners introduced to the power of the wind and basic sailing.

Sailing Skills:

- Wind Direction
- Rigging/ Knots
- Departure
- Steering/Safety
- Right of Way

STEM Skills:

- Measuring Wind
- Buoyancy
- Sail Area

Taking Action:

- Recycle Bins
- "Green" Lunch



2 Water Watcher

Water covers over 70% of our "Blue" planet. Embracing science helps protect the sea.

WaterWatchers reinforce basics, master upwind sailing, & learn "Bluewater" skills.

- Tacking/Jibing
- Points of Sail
- Capsize
- Overboard
- Upwind Sailing

- Simple Machines
- Water Quality
- Marine Debris

- Bring H2O Bottle
- Filling Station



3 Sailing Star

Global climate change affects local sailors. Our behavior affects future outcomes.

SailingStars have a bright sailing future & focus on sail trim & go-fast performance.

- Seamanship
- Nomenclature
- Wind Studies
- Current/Weather
- Navigation

- Sailing Angles
- Land/Sea Breeze

- Eco Cleaners
- Eco Bottom Paint



4 Sailing Instructor

Teaching is a rewarding way to give back to and share passion for sailing as a sport.

Instructors serve as environmental mentors & refine and explore skills and career paths.

- Sail Trim
- Boat Trim
- Roll Tacking
- Controlled Jibes
- Triangle Course

- Wind Power
- Underwater ROV
- Microscope Use
- Local Landscape
- Seafood

- Ride Your Bike
- Invite Eco Expert



5 Sailboat Racer

Racers are the ultimate sailing ambassadors for protecting the waters we sail on.

Racers embrace tactics & strategy of competitive sailing to forge a lifelong interest.

- Sportsmanship
- Starts
- Tactics
- Strategy
- Competition

- RoboSail
- Extreme Weather
- Estuaries
- Navigation
- Sailor's Impact

- Chart Eco Impact
- Host a Clean-up

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