

2023 CLYC RULES OF OPERATION AND USE

1. Department:

- A. Members are responsible for their own acts or conduct, as well as those of their family and guests. Reasonable conduct and language must be displayed at all times.
- B. The person in charge of the bar, any member of the Board of Directors, or designated Manager on Duty (MOD) shall have the right to expel anyone from the premises. A written report to the full House Committee shall be made by the person who orders anyone off the premises.

2. Guest Privileges:

- A. Non-members may be guests at the Club no more than (8) times a year. This applies to all Club sanctioned events, including club racing events and regattas.
- B. Guests must be accompanied by a member in good standing. The members accompanying such guests will be held responsible and will be billed for all charges made by their guests.
- C. Guests are not permitted to use or visit CLYC facilities/grounds without a host Member present. Per Rule #3 Section B, Members are not permitted to share Club access codes with guests.
- D. Guest equipment (boats, jet skis, etc) are not permitted to be used on CLYC facilities. This includes launching on the Sailing School ramp, docking on CLYC pier, and docking/storing on boat hoists placed at CLYC pier/slips.
- E. US Sailing Privileges. Members of yacht clubs belonging to US Sailing have reciprocal club privileges with the Cedar Lake Yacht Club, except that no credit shall be extended to them unless special arrangements have been made in advance.
- F. All guests are required to sign into the CLYC Guest Book.

3. Responsibility of Membership:

- A. As the CLYC is a volunteer organization, it is the responsibility of all members to contribute and support the CLYC via volunteering for social events, sailing events, general House upkeep, general Buildings & Grounds upkeep, etc.
- B. All Club facilities are to be kept locked when not in use or unattended, even when a member is out sailing. Members are responsible for turning off Club appliances (lights, fans, televisions, etc). In addition, Members are responsible for putting away any used Club equipment (chairs, tables, etc) used both inside the Clubhouse and outside on the porch or grounds.

- B. Members who have Clubhouse access codes are not permitted to distribute their code or other members' codes to other members (outside of the individuals included on their Membership) or guests of members. In addition, Members are not permitted to use any access codes other than their Club assigned access code without direct consent from the Board of Directors.

4. Compliance: The Cedar Lake Yacht Club shall be operated in full compliance with the Local and State Laws of Indiana.

5. Club and Sailing School Property:

- A. There is no running allowed on the piers (main or fingers), boat ramp, or breakwalls. This is to minimize risk of injury to CLYC membership, adults and children. As safety of membership is of highest importance at the CLYC, any infractions will promptly be addressed and reviewed by the Board of Directors.
- B. No alterations/repairs/improvements shall be made to the Cedar Lake Yacht Club facilities/grounds/buildings without written approval from the Board of Directors. This includes, but is not limited to: interior and exterior decorations, electrical/mechanical/structural related projects, and any items placed on or removed from the property (clubhouse, grounds/piers, or storage barn). Any member or group of members in good standing, wishing to make a change, must do so in writing (email acceptable); whereupon the Board of Directors will review for approval.
- C. Members will be held fully responsible for any damage done by themselves or their guest(s) to club and/or sailing school property and/or equipment. It is also the Member's responsibility to communicate damages to the Board of Directors. Any repairs/replacements required will be coordinated by the CLYC with charges/expenses associated extended to the responsible Member.
- D. It is the responsibility of every member to ensure that the Clubhouse is left in a generally neat and tidy condition at the end of every day. Prior to closing, all debris and garbage should be removed from the building / put into the dumpster, Clubhouse doors and windows should be locked, and lights should be turned off (with the exception of safety and security lights).
- E. No individuals [Member(s) or Guest(s)] are permitted to operate any Cranes onsite without expressed permission by the Board of Directors. Crane operation approval requires specific crane safety and operation training.
- F. The onsite boat ramp is for the Southlake Sailing School and launching of

small sailboats and small watercraft only, unless otherwise approved by the Board of Directors on a case by case basis. It is not for launching motorboats (ski/wakeboard, pontoons, fishing, runabouts, etc) on trailers. Jet skis and sailboats are only permitted to use the ramp IF they are stored onsite in the back lot. Members are not permitted to use the ramp to launch small watercraft stored offsite.

G. Vehicles on CLYC Grounds

a. Vehicle Parking

- i. Parking on CLYC grounds is restricted to the gravel lots to the North of the Storage barn and down the street (W. 137th Ave along the rope fence) to the lake. A designated, marked grass parking section is along the Southeast fence line for parking overflow, weathering permitting. Parking on the lawn outside of designated areas is not permitted outside special events (i.e. parties, regattas, etc), as to be approved by the Board of Directors.

b. Vehicles Driving on Lawn

- i. Vehicles are permitted to drive on grass sections only to move trailers/boats around the grounds. Vehicles and Recreational Vehicles (UTVs, ATVs, and Golf Carts) are not permitted to drive or park on grass sections for convenience of unloading items near the water.

H. Pets: No pets (DOGS, CATS, etc.) are permitted on Club grounds or in the clubhouse.

7. Alcoholic Beverages:

- A. Members and guests are not permitted to bring to, or dispense alcoholic beverages of any kind on the Club grounds, buildings, or facility. All such beverages must be dispensed from the Club bar by a licensed Bartender. This is in coordination with Indiana State law, see Rule #4.
- B. Regarding Guest service, Guests are not permitted behind the bar nor are they allowed to purchase alcohol. All alcoholic purchases must go on a Member's account. This is in coordination with Indiana State Law, see Rule #4.

8. Bar Prices: Prices for all items served at the bar shall be determined by the Board of Directors.

9. Payment at the Bar: All items served at the bar will be charged to the member's account. Cash is not an accepted method of payment.

10. Charge Privileges: Non-members do not have charge privileges. Only those members who are in good standing shall have charge privileges.

11. Credit: Credit is extended to Regular, Social/Boater, Associate, Honorary, Life and Service members of the Club on the following basis:

- A. Member(s) are billed for charges made by them once per month, with payment due in 30 days of billing date.
- B. Charges may not be contested after the first 30 days from the original statement date.
- C. Member(s) who do not pay such bill in 60 days shall be considered to have delinquent accounts, lose their entry code and accordingly, not only may the Board post these names, but further, names will be kept on file with the bartenders to deny any and all charge privileges to these member(s).
- D. Member(s) who have not paid their bills in 90 days and have made no attempt to settle their indebtedness to the Club may have their membership terminated at the discretion of the Board of Directors.

12. Children at the Bar: No one under the age of 21 is allowed at the upstairs bar of the Club House. Any members' children under the age of 21 in the upstairs seating areas (excluding the bar) must be accompanied by their parent/guardian. If the children are under 21 and guests, they must also be accompanied by their host member. This is in compliance with Indiana State Law. See Rule # 4.

13. The Club House, Porches, and Pole Building are NON-Smoking. Smoking is permitted on the grounds please dispense with the butts accordingly, not on the grounds.