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Dear Friends of Sailing,

We are sending this letter to sailing enthusiasts who have previously taken our summer sailing lessons or expressed interest in the past. This year's program will be similar to last year with classes held in Opti-prams, Sunfish, and in the 420. The eligible age group is 8-17 yrs. We plan to teach beginners of all ages in both the morning and afternoon sessions. 8 to 10 year olds will be scheduled in pram sailing classes. 11 to 14 year olds will be scheduled in the Sunfish classes. 13 to 17 yr olds are eligible for the 420 class's. Exceptions can be made to the age grouping with the senior instructor approval. Pram students should not weigh over 100 lbs. Let me know if this is a problem.

Sunfish students with prior sailing experience should be scheduled to take lessons in the afternoon sessions, when possible. All lessons will be conducted at the Fort Walton Yacht Club. The 1<sup>st</sup> session will begin on Monday June 8th at FWYC. The second session will begin on June 22rd. The third session will begin on July 6th. As in the past, the July 7th<sup>h</sup> afternoon class's will be a reserve if required. Morning sessions will be from 9:00 to 12:00 and afternoon sessions from 1:00 to 4:00PM.

For juniors entering or in High School, there will be three sessions offered in 420's. The first 420 class will be a one week only session will be held all day starting June 8th. Class hours will be from 9am to 4pm with a 1 hr break for lunch. Lunch will NOT be furnished. This session is designed for juniors who have intermediate sailing skills. The other two 420 sessions will be two week half day classes. Beginners will be accepted.

The registration fee for the class's will be \$200.00. ECSA is again offering a 10% discount to any student who enrolls a friend who did not take lessons last year.

All instructors are U.S. Sailing certified and also have current Red Cross CPR and First Aid certifications.

If you are interested in the ECSA Sailing Camp courses for 8-17 yr olds to be held this summer with the first class starting June 8th, please call George Goodall at 862-7276 or e-mail [georgeg305@cox.net](mailto:georgeg305@cox.net) for an application. Applications are also available at FWYC and Blue Water Bay Marina. As you know from your experience, class size is limited. Please let us know right away if you are interested.

We have found that "word of mouth" is our best method of advertising. Please help us spread the word about this terrific student sailing camp.

Sincerely

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