ASA 114/105/106 Adv. Catamaran LNC

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Thank you for choosing San Juan Sailing for your sailing instruction! We hope you will find this checklist helpful for your planning.

ADVANCE PREPARATION

These following texts are required: ASA 114: Cruising Catamarans Made Easy by ASA, ASA 105: Coastal Navigation by Mike Pyzel and ASA 106: ASA Advanced Cruising & Seamanship by Bill Gladstone.

- You can order at the <u>ASA Store</u>, at Amazon, your library, or through iBooks.
- Plan to arrive having fully prepared, reviewing your text along with the course curriculum, so that you're ready for written exam.

ABOUT YOUR CLASS

- Please arrive at 8:30am for your 105 exam on the first day of your course (10:45am if you already have ASA 105). You'll start loading your gear and food. You'll make lunch together as a group, and get to know each other over sandwiches onboard, before departing.
- Sailing can be a rigorous endeavor, particularily when learning. **Be prepared to be very active while on a moving boat.** If you are sedentary, it would be a good idea to start a moderate exercise program including some upper body training.
- We provide all the food for your course. Let us know if you have any dietary constraints
- Alcoholic beverages are allowed at dock or at anchor, with a two drink per night limit for the safety of all aboard. We do not provide alcoholic beverages, but you are welcome to bring your own.
- Tipping is common, but by no means expected or required. Amounts are variable but those who choose to do so are typically in the range of \$10-\$50/day.
- Recreational marijuana is not allowed. While use is legal in Washington state, it is not legal within Coast Guard jurisdiction. Smoking or vaping is also not allowed on any of the boats.

TRAVEL

- There are several connection flights offered daily by Horizon Air, between Bellingham and SeaTac.
- The Airporter Shuttle provides van service between SeaTac and Bellingham: <u>Airporter Shuttle</u>.
- For those flying into Sea-Tac and needing a rental car, you can use the code XZ45A22 for a 5% discount off your Enterpirse or National car rental.
- Both Uber and Lyft are available in Bellingham, for transport between the airport or hotel and our office.
- See our Getting Here link on our website for travel details and hotels that offer a discount when you mention San Juan Sailing: <u>Getting Here</u>

PACKING LIST

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RETURN FORMS

Complete the following forms (all are attached to your registration email) and please return by email to school@sanjuansailing.com.

Registration form

- ASA Waiver
- Student Agreement
- Student Survey

QUESTIONS

We are here to help! Contact us at 360-671-8339 or <u>school@sanjuansailing.com</u>.



Directions to San Juan Sailing 2615 South Harbor Loop, Suite 1, Bellingham, WA 98225

Drive north on I-5 from Seattle. Take exit 256A "Meridian Street" once you reach Bellingham. Left onto Meridian Street. Right onto Squalicum Way immediately after driving over railroad tracks. Follow Squalicum down to waterfront. Right on Coho Way after driving over railroad tracks again. Straight down towards the water. Turn right at the 4-way stop in the parking area and you'll see our office. More details at Getting Here