

Flying 15 Race Team: now accepting applications to join the team!



September 2024 marks the beginning of the Flying 15 Race Team! Thanks to SISC's Junior Race Team Coach John Hillier for offering to commit to coach the fledgling Flying 15 Race Team. We are thrilled to invite applications to this new opportunity.

Apply by emailing flyingfifteen@saltspringsailing.ca by September 10th.

Interested in joining the Flying 15 Race Team?

Are you...

1. an avid sailor who loves racing in a friendly, cooperative, fun, competitive environment?
2. crazy about sailing and keen to sail with women who share your passion?
3. interested in helping establish the F15 Race Team by sharing your excellent sailing and racing skills with less experienced sailors on board F15s at SISC Sunday races?
4. keen to have fun on the water playing the game of racing?
5. someone who has a cruising sailboat and is looking for an awesome "one design" boat to race in?

Members of the F15 Race Team have the following...

1. Pleasure Craft Operator Card
2. Experience racing sail boats, or experience in John Hillier's Flying15 Gals on the Water Coaching program
3. Know how to swim
4. Strong "Safety First" philosophy
5. Excellent sportsmanship and team building skills
6. Share the goal to have fun on the water and refine or build your sailing skills in a friendly, competitive, supportive atmosphere
7. Commitment to attending F15 Race Team Friday practises from 10:00 to 14:00 hours(unless waived by Coach John), and following up with 'home work' assigned by Coach John in preparation for the following Friday practise
8. Commitment to sailing an F15 in SISC's bi-weekly Sunday races, September to December.

F15 Race Team members may...

1. be from SISC as well as nearby sailing clubs, eg Maple Bay/Sidney. (Note: transportation from the ferry terminal and billeting are available.)
2. be singles, couples, youth-senior pairs, all women pairs, and other diverse combinations are welcome to apply.

Interested in finding out more or applying? Email the team at flyingfifteen@saltspringsailing.ca by September 10th. We are excited to hear from you.