



## JSA of LIS Junior Program Activity Survey

### 1. Intro

**Please take 20 minutes to complete this annual JSA Junior Program Survey about your recent summer program activities, including curriculum and organization, counts of sailors and boat types, and other information useful for next season (statistics about staffing and salaries are in a separate survey .**

**Designate one person from your program to respond to the survey. Then we will distribute summarized results for use by the clubs that have participated. Please give us the most complete information you can and you will share in the feedback. Your specific responses are kept confidential and only summarized results will be published, with no identification of the source.**

**If you don't have this summer's data right now, please come back and complete this survey after you have the data ready at hand. If you have that data now, let's get started. You may also save a partial survey, then return to continue it until completed (use the same computer and browser, with cookies active, so the survey system recognizes you).**



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### 2. Your program information

\* 1. (Required) Your contact info so we may email the results to you when the survey is tabulated.

Program:

Name:

Email:

\* 2. (Required) What is your role?

- Program Chair or Co-Chair
- Program Committee
- Program or Sailing Director
- Head Instructor
- Other (please specify)

3. If you are a Program Chair or Co-Chair, please answer these questions about your junior program leadership structure:

How many years is the term of Jr. Committee Chair?

How many years have you served as Chair or Co-Chair?

Do you have a co-chair to assist with transition at end of your term?

Do you have a junior activity committee that oversees the sailing program?

If so, how many committee members and how often do they meet?

What are some of the committee member roles (parent of day, registration, awards, big boat, etc)?

4. Is your program open to non-members?

- Yes
- No

If Yes, how does your program benefit from accepting non-members? What is the percentage of non-members?

5. How many sailors did you have in each age grouping, and in total?

7 years old or younger

8 to 10 years old

11 to 13 years old

14 to 18 years old

Total sailors

6. How was your enrollment this year compared to last year?

Up

About the same

Down

Please describe why you think that change occurred or how enrollment was maintained at same level.

7. How was your program modified this year by the need to minimize COVID-19 infection?

8. Did you develop new procedures during this summer that you'll want to retain in the future? Or did certain of the new procedures prove unsatisfactory?

9. If you are running extended Fall Season Programs for the public, or members-only, how is that being structured?

10. Please describe the basic fees for your 8-week program. If you had sessions under 8-weeks, please list each session-length and fee separately.

Number of weeks or sessions sailors are active

Fee for member with own boat

Fee for member using program boat

Fee for non-member with own boat

Fee for non-member using program boat

11. Additional comment about above program fees:

- What is included and what is excluded? Examples are fees for regattas, lockers, dock space, dues for JSA, US Sailing and boat class associations, etc., and give the amount.



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3. Fleet and Program Questions - 2

12. How many sailors did you have sailing in the following boat classes? If a sailor sailed in more than one type of boat, please count them for each boat class.

Optimist

O'pen Skiff (BIC)

Feva

Laser, all rigs

Club 420

Ideal 18

Windsurfer

Catamaran

Paddleboard

Kayak

Blue Jay

Pixel

Other

13. If you used "Other" boats, which types were they? This description also applies to the next two questions.

14. How many program-owned or -chartered boats did your program provide to users who did not have their own boat?

Optimist

O'pen Skiff (BIC)

Feva

Laser, all rigs

Club 420

Ideal 18

Windsurfer

Catamaran

Paddleboard

Kayak

Blue Jay

Feva

Other

15. How many privately-owned boats were used in your program?

Optimist

O'pen Skiff (BIC)

Feva

Laser, all rigs

Club 420

Windsurfer

Catamaran

Paddleboard

Kayak

Blue Jay

Pixel

Other

16. Questions about the boats provided by the program:

Do you own these boats or do you charter them for the summer?

Do you charge a boat rental fee in addition to the above program fee?

Do you allow the program boats to go away to regattas?

17. If you had under-8-week sessions, did you provide the boats for those shorter sessions?

What classes of boats were available for the shorter sessions?

Did short-session sailors participate in regattas?



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4. Fleet and Program Questions - 3

18. Please describe how you encourage non-racing sailors to be involved. Do you have special programs, such as adventure sailing, windsurfing, kayaking, paddleboarding, etc.? Did you teach knot tying and marlinspike seamanship?

19. How did you encourage your sailors to learn about marine science and ecology? Did you use any external resources such as those from Sailors for the Sea, Waterfront Center, Save the Sound or US Sailing REACH?

20. Did you have a junior big boat sailing program? Is your JBBS program open to teen sailors who are not in your dinghy programs? Does your JBBS program include seamanship and cruising, as well as racing? Were you able to use any of the JBBS program materials published by US Sailing?



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### 5. Fleet and Program Questions - 4

21. Do you have a junior program handbook for sailors and parents? Describe how you encourage adherence to your code of conduct for your program's parents and sailors. Did you have any conduct issues with sailors or instructors onsite at your club or while they were away at regattas?



22. How do you update parents about program happenings during summer? Do you use printed newsletter, email or social media groups? How often did you publish? What were the typical topics reported? Who authored the stories?

23. Coach boats:

- Type used (RIB or Boston Whaler style) and number of each type.
- Is your club's name prominently displayed on the boat?
- Did you install outboard motor propeller guards? If so what type?
- How did you assure the outboard motor kill switch was used?
- Did you have any injuries caused by motorboat operation?
- Did you have damage to hull or motor caused by improper operation?
- Did you sponsor onsite Safe Powerboat Handling training or testing for your staff?

Please describe details about these questions.

24. Safety:

- Please describe your program's capsize and recovery training and on-water supervision, including that provided to sailors who are transitioning to double handed boats with spinnaker and trapeze.
- How many junior boats is each of your coach boats responsible for during practice? and at a regatta?
- Do you have an Emergency Action plan for immediate action during an emergency? Do you have a Crisis Communications plan for post-emergency coordination? How did you train staff to implement those plans?
- Did you use masthead flotation during practices to reduce inversion of a boat after capsize?
- Did you have any significant injuries to sailors or instructors onsite at your club or while they were away at regattas?

Please describe details about these questions.

25. Physical asset protection:

- What precautions do you take ahead of severe storms specifically for your junior sailing facility (relocating or securing junior office equipment/records, boats, sails, rigging and other gear, etc.) over and above the general prep by your club?



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### 6. JSA Questions

**Please also give us your thoughts about the JSA of LIS program in general.**

26. Online registration:

Did you download family/sailor data from the JSA online roster database to assist with registration for your program in spring?

Did you use another online service to assist your spring program registration (e.g., LeagueAthletics, TeamSnap, TheClubspot or similar)?

27. What dates did you start and end your program this year?

What dates are you expecting to start and end your program next year?

Are there changes you would like to see in the JSA of LIS event schedule?

28. Are there any other comments or suggestions you would like to make?



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### 7. Survey is Complete

**The survey is finished. Thanks for responding.**

**You may return later to update your answers, assuming you use the same computer and browser with cookies enabled that is recognized by this survey website.**

**After tabulation, JSA will email the summarized results to the email address you provided.**