

WESTWIND SAILING JUNIOR PROGRAMS: SAFETY RULES – LAKE MISSION VIEJO

1. There are no makeups for students missing classes.
2. If you are in doubt that a class will proceed due to adverse weather conditions, please call or show up. LMV rec office: (949) 770-7049, Westwind Sailing: (949) 492-3035
3. The boats being used in these programs are not toys. We expect each student to be respectful of our equipment as well as their own and other students' personal safety while using the equipment. If we feel that a particular student is disrespectful or conducting himself / herself in a way that is harmful or detrimental to the program, we will send the student home. If we feel that the student has not improved his / her conduct during the program and continues to be a hindrance, we reserve the right to dismiss the student for the remainder of the program.
4. Snacks are allowed. Glass containers are not allowed.
5. Students must safety check their boats before sailing. Students will learn how to safety check their boats in class.
6. If you are late to class and the instructor is already on the water, you may not rig your own boat to join the class. Your instructor must be present to check your rigging and help you launch.
7. Refunds will only be issued in extreme cases where a student cannot continue the class or camp because of a medical or other emergency. A medical note may be required to issue a refund.
8. Students will wear a life jacket at all times he or she is on the dock or in a boat. Life jackets will be provided.
9. Plan to get wet. Always wear clothes you are not concerned about getting wet, including watches and jewelry. Bring a change of clothes and a towel everyday. Bring a second pair of shoes and sunscreen, too. Do not bring personal valuables to class.
10. Shoes must be worn at all times. Thongs and aqua sox are acceptable.
11. Students must be checked in and checked out of camp or class every day by a parent or guardian. A parent or legal guardian may sign a waiver allowing the student to check himself or herself in and out daily for programs aged 10 and up. There are no exceptions for programs where the ages are 10 years and younger.
12. No running or horse play allowed on the docks at any time.
13. You may not stand in your boat while sailing.
14. You must stay in your boat while sailing.
15. Negligent students may be held liable for damage inflicted upon their own boat, other students' boats, private boats or property. The instructor will determine negligence.
16. Students are expected to listen and pay attention to additional rules delegated by the instructors.
17. Guests may visit the class or camp but will not be allowed in the boats.
18. All boats must stay 15' away from any private dock at all times.