



Sailing Academy

June 29 - July 3, 2020

Our Sailing Academy is where it's at. We take pride in its **New** sailing summer camp. Beginning sailors learn a huge volume in a very short time. Students' progress from never having seen a sailboat, to sailing it by themselves by week's end. Join this classic water sport at any level; and if you put your mind and effort to it, you can become a skipper, too. Give it a try, take the tiller in your hand and helm the boat. What better place to learn than at a camp on the water? The Academy will include Small Boat Sailing, Windsurfing, and introduction to Keelboat Sailing. You will build great friendships, participate in fun after-sail activities and become a real "Sea Dog".

The 2019 Sailing Academy will be held @ the Abilene Sailing Association on Lake Ft. Phantom Hill, North of Abilene Texas.

However, you set your goals for this exciting water sport, you will be encouraged to push the envelope as you build confidence in your skills and judgment as well as respect for the forces of wind and water.



TEXAS TRAILS COUNCIL
 3811 N. 1st St.
 Abilene, Texas 79603
 (325) 677-2688

Waterfront location with many activities

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- **Small Boat Sailing**
- **Windsurfing**
- **Keelboat Sailing**
- **US Sailing Certification**
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Meals, Lodging and ALL Activities Included

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Great Food & Scout Spirit

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A Fantastic Outdoor Sailing Adventure

ABOUT SAIL CAMP

Sailors can progress through **14 Small Boat Sailing General Skills**; Wind, Rigging, Knots/Lines, Rules of the Road, Departure/Landing, Steering, Safety Position, Tacking, Points of Sail, Jibing, Capsize Recovery, Overboard Recovery, Getting Out of Irons, Upwind Sailing.

Sailors learn **5 intermediate Skills** and theoretical knowledge in Seamanship, Nomenclature, Understanding Wind, Current, weather and Land effects, Navigation and Emergency procedures.

Sailors learn **7 intermediate Boat Handling Skills**. Proper sail and trim, Proper boat trim, Roll tacking, Jibing, Sailing a Windward leg, Sailing a reach, Sailing Downwind.

All sailors will have the opportunity to Sail the Big Day Sailors and try their hand at windsurfing

Our Sail Academy has a diverse fleet of sailboats: Five Capri 14.2 sloops, One Hunter 14.5 Sloop, Five Sunfish, Three 22' Sloop Rig Day Sailors. We also have Windsurf Boards, Paddle Boards and other water craft at your disposal.

Campers work towards the US Sailing, Small Boat Sailors certification "The Little Red Book" by demonstrating many of the above skills in either light and/or heavy wind. If you are a Sea Scout you will progress through many advancement sections of the Apprentice and Ordinary rank. **Scouts BSA Merit Badges include** Small Boat Sailing, Motor Boating, Fishing & Astronomy.

Be a part of Our Sailing Academy Camp for the Summer of 2020!



How do I sign up for Camp?

Cost. \$310.00 Youth

Sign up @ [Texasrtailsbsa.com](https://texasrtailsbsa.com) or Come to the Scout Service Center.

Class ABC Health Form required. (https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-001_ABC.pdf)

Adult leadership will be provided (Adults that want to attend the week contact Mark Conrad 325-370-7192)

Only 30 Spots are Available!!!!

*For more information about Sail Camp, please fill out and return to:
Texas Trails Council, BSA, 3811 North First St., Abilene, Texas 79603*

TELL ME MORE ABOUT SEA SCOUTS SAIL CAMP FOR 2020

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIPCODE: _____

EMAIL: _____

PHONE: _____