

## *Chippewa Yacht Club Rules*

1. There shall be an initiation fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00) accompanying the application for General membership. This fee shall be placed in the Escrow Account for capital expenditures.
2. Children under 10 years of age must be accompanied by a parent or guardian, must be under the control and supervision of a parent or guardian at all times and must wear an approved Coast Jacket Life Jacket when on any part of the pier or in a boat. The Club shall be held neither responsible nor liable for accidents to members or their children while on Club property.
3. Rules concerning the storage of boats and trailers on the Chippewa Yacht Club grounds with rules and administration of such storage as noted:
  - a. Members shall be permitted to bring onto the Club grounds boats of less than 22 feet in overall length and 8 feet of beam, weighing less than 1800 pounds and without fixed keel and without motor power. Boats otherwise permitted on Chippewa Lake shall be exempt from this provision at the discretion of the Officers and Trustees, except that such boats not owned or primarily used by Chippewa Yacht Club shall not be stored on Club grounds for a period of more than 48 hours.
  - b. Trailers and racks may not be stored on the Club grounds more than 48 hours unless such trailer or rack is regularly used as a storage device for a vessel, applicable space assignment has been made and other regulations complied with. Racks may be winter stored on Club grounds. Boats and trailers may not be winter stored on Club grounds.
  - c. All storage shall be south of the launching ramp, consisting of 2 parallel rows, one at the fence and one line against the shore. All boats should be placed with the bow facing toward the middle. No boats will be stored in the middle of this area. Boats racing weekly shall have precedence for being placed in the shoreline row. The upper field may be used for additional storage.
  - d. Neither the Club nor any of its officers or trustees is responsible for any damage or loss of members' personal property.
4. The Club committee boat shall be used only in connection with official Club functions or safety/rescue use and not for personal use.
5. The Commodore shall be authorized to handle the Treasurer's duties in the absence of the Treasurer.
6. The Club shall pay insurance on a policy that covers liability of the insured by the maintenance of the clubhouse, pier and committee boat.
7. Any member holding a private party with more than 15 guests must have permission from the Rear Commodore who will secure the date on the master calendar. No reservations will be accepted until after the Club's social calendar has been set.
  - a. The member will pay \$50 for 16-50 guests, \$100 for 51-100 guests, and \$150 for 100-125 guests. Parties for over 75 guests are not recommended due to the limited facilities at the Club. Parties over 125 guests are not permitted. Fifty percent of the money is non-refundable if the event is cancelled within 7 days

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prior to the event. All monies shall be paid to the Rear Commodore and accompany the request form for the reservation that lists the number of guests. This number will be posted on the Master Calendar.

- b. Clean-up of the clubhouse and grounds must be completed no later than 9:30 a.m. the following day. The member or member's spouse must, in all cases, be present at the Club with guests. Any damage to the Club facilities or properties will be the responsibility of the member.
  - c. Private parties do not exclude Club members from using the clubhouse and grounds. However, members should not intrude upon the party and should remain as unobtrusive as possible. Members should check the master calendar to see the size of the party and plan accordingly.
8. The Executive Committee will control the number of powerboats and who is to have them. In addition, powerboat operation shall be limited primarily to committee boat and crash boat activity.
9. The Vice Commodore will supervise mooring procedures. When under sail, all sailboats must carry one approved life jacket per person, a stern anchor with line, a paddle, bailing equipment, adequate bumpers and a distress flag (and comply with all ODNR rules).
10. Each member is responsible for a thorough cleaning of the clubhouse at least one week each season between Spring Pier Day and Fall Pier Day. As stated in Rule #7, members having private parties will be assigned clean-up for the week before the date of the party.
  - a. Duties start on Sunday morning with the cleaning of the dock (removal of bird droppings) and must be concluded no later than noon the following Saturday. In the event a holiday falls during the week, all cleaning duties must be completed before the holiday. Clean-up duties are included in the CYC Directory as well as posted on the bulletin board in the clubhouse kitchen. Cleaning supplies are furnished.
  - b. All members using the clubhouse facilities are responsible for the condition of it. Dishes must be washed, dried, and placed in the appropriate cabinets (not left in the drainer to air dry). Garbage must be placed in plastic and placed in containers outside. The Club refrigerators can be used for food storage for one day only. Personal items are not to be left outside of lockers, restrooms should be kept neat, and any furniture taken outdoors must be returned to the clubhouse and stored neatly.
  - c. The last member leaving the Club grounds must shut and lock windows, doors, pier gate, shed, launch ramp chain, and parking lot gate. On Sundays, the garbage cans from the storage area must be moved to the North side of the driveway for collection. (note the hauler requested that they be placed three (3) feet apart to accommodate the handling mechanism on the truck – see note on lid of trash receptacle).
11. No fishing or swimming is allowed from the pier while boats are docked or docking.
12. Swimming is permitted in the area of boat racks (not to exceed the end of the pier) provided that the parents are supervising children fourteen (14) years or younger. It is recommended that all swimmers wear protective footwear. The "life jacket" rule (#2) is waived at the

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discretion of the parents for children over 10 years old. Neither the Club nor any of its Officers or Trustees is responsible for accident or injury to any person on the Club grounds.

13. It shall be the policy of the Club to cover the expense of the framed Commodore flag and the banquet meal for outgoing Commodore and significant other to be presented at the annual Trophy Banquet.
14. Members may rent wooden and/or metal lockers from the Club at a rate set by the Rear Commodore.