



TRAVEL GRANT TO AMATEUR COMPETITION

This scholarship, to promote sailing in the southern New Jersey area, may be used for travel, housing, registration, and other costs related to participating in an amateur sailing competition or acting as an unpaid volunteer coach. Applicants must be year-round or summer residents of Ocean City, New Jersey, or the surrounding southern New Jersey communities. The maximum award is \$1000 per year per individual.

If the form is printed out and completed, please use blue or black ink and print clearly. The online application may be accessed at <https://www.ocyc.org/page-1859390>. Completed applications and two letters of recommendation (see below) should be submitted together by email to

OCYCFS@OCYC.ORG or mail to:

The Ocean City Yacht Club Foundation

P.O. Box 1892

Ocean City, NJ 08226

Name:

Address:

Cell phone number and email address of applicant (parent/guardian if applicant is under 18 years of age):

Applicant's age and educational/professional status:

How did you hear of this travel grant?

If applying for a coaching grant, please describe how this grant will help promote sailing in the southern New Jersey area?

Has this travel grant been awarded to the applicant previously? _____ If so, when? _____

Competition name, date(s), location:

Amount requested and detailed total budgeted cost(answer here or attach):

Type of boat you will be sailing in this competition:



Years of experience in this boat or others:

Your yacht club or sailing club affiliation/membership (if any). Please provide contact information (email or phone number of Commodore/Club President) to confirm that you are a member in-good standing:

Please explain how participation in this competition will help you to achieve your short-term and long-term sailing goals. (300 words or less). Please attach to this application.

Recommendations: Please provide the names, title, and contact information (phone number or email) of the two individuals who are submitting a recommendation letter with this application for you. Please note that one letter should be from your sailing program director or coach.

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If your grant application is approved, our Foundation would like to share your experiences with potential donors, OCYC members, and others. This allows us to demonstrate how beneficial our grants and scholarships are for our community and helps us fundraise to support maritime education and activities.

That is why we request a written report (no more than a page) within two weeks of the completed competition from the grant recipient to the OCYC Foundation, as well as ask you to participate in photos and appearances or provide testimonials with respect to your experience. Do you agree to this commitment? Yes _____ No _____

If for any reason you do not participate in the travel competition, do you agree to promptly return the grant funds to the OCYC Foundation? Yes _____ No _____

Date by which you need a response: _____

Applicant signature

Date

If applicant is under 18, signature of parent or guardian, below:

Parent/Guardian signature

Print name clearly

Date