

Ad-hoc Bylaws Committee Amendments

Spring Membership Meeting

Saturday, May 28, 2016, 3:00pm

ARTICLE II—MEMBERSHIP

Section 2 Application

An applicant for membership must be recommended by two persons who are Regular, Senior, Intermediate, or Honorary Life members of the Club. application shall be **for membership must be** in writing and submitted to the Membership Committee for ~~consideration and recommendation~~ **evaluation** and **then** to the Board of Directors for **consideration** approval, ~~which. Applications~~ **is** are subject to any maximum membership limit or other requirements established by the Board. **Approved applicants will then enter an affirmation period after which the Board will vote on whether to reaffirm the membership in compliance with review criteria. Before the Board's reaffirmation decision, two persons who are Regular, Senior, Intermediate, Honorary Life or Honorary Service members must sign the application. Reaffirmation requires that the applicant be in good standing in compliance with Club policies.**

Section 5 Membership Category Definitions

Senior Member: a member who has reached or will reach the age of 65 before ~~May~~ **January** 1 of the current year and has been a Club member for at least 25 years.

Intermediate Member: a member who has reached or will reach the age of 21 before ~~May~~ **January** 1 of the current year and is not more than 32 years of age.

Junior Member: a member who will not reach the age of 21 before ~~May~~ **January** 1 of the current year.

Honorary Service Member: a member with a record of service to the Club on whose behalf a petition with a résumé of that person's service has been signed by three Regular or Senior Members, ~~and~~ submitted to the Board **and** approved by **two-thirds of the Board Members present**. No

application for the membership is required. **Honorary service members shall be limited to ten, exclusive of Honorary Life members. An Honorary Service member shall not be liable for initiation fees, dues or assessments.**

Honorary Life Member: **Effective MM/DD/2016**, the surviving spouse of a Commodore, Vice Commodore, or Rear Commodore ~~or of a Regular or Senior Member who has been a member for 25 consecutive years~~. No application for the membership is required. **An Honorary Life member shall not be liable for initiation fees, dues or assessments. The rights and privileges of then-existing Honorary Life members shall be maintained.**

Non-Resident Member: a member who does not have a residence within a 150 mile radius of the Club. **No further applications for this category shall be accepted after MM/DD/2016. The rights and privileges of then-existing Non-resident members shall be maintained.**

Section 7 Membership Privileges

Regular, Senior, Intermediate, **Honorary Service** and Honorary Life Members may hold elected office and vote at Club meetings, subject to the limitation of one vote per family. Regular, Senior, Intermediate, Honorary **Service**, **Honorary Life** and Junior Members have full use of the Club as stated below and in the Club Regulations. They may participate in any sailing or social event provided by the Club and will be eligible to receive trophies and other awards, may represent the Club in Inland Lake Yachting Association events or others for which Club membership may be required, may keep boats on the Club premises for a fee determined by the Board, may receive newsletters and notices, and may participate in other activities and make use of other facilities and services that may be provided by the Club. Privileges of Non-Resident and Associate Members are as stated in the Club Regulations.