



Sail Buzzards Bay

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Charter Application 2012

Name			
Address			
City, State Zip			
Home Phone ()		E-Mail	
Mobile Phone ()		Work Phone ()	

Please inform us of your sailing experience as outlined below. Skippering a bareboat charter requires experience and practical knowledge. Your ability as a well-qualified skipper keeps you, your crew/guests and the boat safe.

Sail Buzzards Bay LLC reserves the right to require an on-the-water check-out or to place a skipper aboard at the charterer's expense, if we feel the situation warrants it.

General Sailing Experience

1. Size and type of boats you have handled in the last 5 years.

Size and type boat	When	Skipper	Crew

2. Size and type of boats you have handled in the past.

Size and type boat	When	Skipper	Crew

3. How many days a year are you typically sailing/boating? _____
 Racing? _____ Cruising? _____

4. Do you own a boat now or have you owned one in the past?

Size and type of boat owned	When

5. Have you had any professional or formal training? _____



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Seamanship (use separate sheets if needed)

6. What is your cruising and navigation experience? Please use separate sheet.
7. Do you know how to plan a trip from point A to point B, requiring navigation skills, escape routes, weather forecast interpretation, decision making, anchoring, mooring and/or docking under sail and power? _____

8. How many times have you anchored and in which conditions: single bow anchor, double bow anchor, Mediterranean mooring, etc. _____

9. What is your experience level with reading nautical charts, plotting, dead reckoning, using a GPS?

10. Do you have any experience in heavy weather sailing? _____

11. Do you have any experience in emergency procedures, i.e. Man Over Board retrieval, distress calls, etc. _____
12. Have you sailed on the ocean or other large bodies of water such as Long Island Sound, Chesapeake Bay, Florida Keys, San Francisco Bay, Great Lakes etc.? _____
13. Who is the crew that will be your party? Are they knowledgeable boaters who will be actively participating in sailing the boat? Can you rely on them to help you in the regular chores or in the event of an emergency, or will they be passive guests? _____

14. Are you familiar with the area you are going to charter in? _____