

Youth Activities

Kudos to these members for your help with the Youth Activities: **John Ruiz, Mike Bailiff, Dwight Sickel, Steve Haynes**, and **Brian Olson**. Without your help, the youth program could not be as strong as it is!

Sunfish Sailing:

The major repairs have been whittled down to maintenance and minor issues. All three sails now have 12 inch tall H-C-Y-C letters on both sides. At the time of writing this, we only have two working tiller/rudder units. When you use the Sunfish equipment, be sure to report any issues with to me as soon as possible so the issues may be resolved promptly. Sunfish may be signed out and / or reserved in the club house. Look on the youth bulletin board for the sign up sheet.

June Post-view:

Saturday, June 12th:

Youth Sunfish Sailing was held from 1 to 5. HCYC kids were introduced to the Sunfish and to the HCYC Summer Sailing Program. The summer sailing program will provide our youth with basic sailboat instruction and practice. Skills also included in the program are tying sailing knots, boating right of way rules, capsizing recovery, equipment care, and safe navigating. The following youth participated: **Viktoria Haynes, Veronika Haynes, Jaden Wiser** and her cousin **Devon, Taylor & Courtney Bailiff**, and **Brandon Cuzzard**. Special thanks are given to my youth instructors, **Stacy Moore** and **Chris Hawkins**.

July Pre-view:

Saturday, July 10th: *Youth Destination Sail*. Originally this was scheduled as a sailing activity such as we did in May. I would like to change the focus to be a power oriented event. I'd like the kids to learn a bit about power boats, safety and fun use. Please contact me if you can help.

Saturday, July 17th:

Youth Sunfish Sailing, 1 to 5 PM. Meet in the HCYC clubhouse.

Saturday, July 24th:

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department Boater Education class will be held in the upstairs meeting room of the Lucky Sailor Oyster Bar from 9 am to 4 pm. Youth age 12 ½ to age 18 are encouraged to take this course. Completing the one day course will allow youth ages 13 up to 18 to be certified with TPWD to operate

- Any vessel over 10 horsepower
- Wind-blown vessel over 14 feet, and
- All personal watercraft (jet ski)

This course is open to the public. Anyone age 12 ½ and older may attend. Please contact me, Randle Moore at 210-286-4392 to pre-register. The cost for the course is \$13.

August Pre-view:

Saturday, August 21st :

Youth Sunfish Sailing, 1 to 5 PM. Meet in the HCYC clubhouse.

Until next time,

Randle Moore