



## LUNENBURG YACHT CLUB - LEAD WETFEET INSTRUCTOR

The Lunenburg Yacht Club is hiring coaches for the 2022 season which operates from the end of June until the end of August. LYC's Learn To Sail (LTS) junior sailing program is an exceptional program for all levels of participants. LYC is located on beautiful Mahone Bay (near the towns of Lunenburg and Mahone Bay) and provides a perfect location in which to run a Junior Sailing Program.

We are searching for an enthusiastic **Lead Wetfeet Instructor** with strong interpersonal skills, a focus on sailor safety and engagement and an ability to lead a team of Wet Feet instructors who provide a dynamic and nurturing developmental program.

Wetfeet instructors are integral to the success and growth of the LTS program at LYC. Our Wetfeet program welcomes children between the ages of 5-8 and runs in blocks of 1-2 weeks. The program is designed to introduce new young sailors and their parents to the junior program for the first time. It gives new sailors their sea legs in a game-oriented, carefully supervised environment. Each session involves up to 15 sailors, up to 3 instructors, and includes usage of our club sailboats and safety boats.

The candidate must have the CANSail 1/2 certification OR CanSail Community Instructor Certification. Completion of the Wetfeet Module is also an asset. The candidate will be registered with Sail Canada.

Ideal Candidates will also possess the following qualities and skills:

- Strong leadership abilities
- Continuous focus on sailor safety
- Previous experience instructing young children
- Excellent communication skills
- Motivated and willing to take initiative for program improvement
- Ability to act as a positive role model for all sailors and coworkers
- Care for equipment and program resources
- Enthusiasm to incorporate and create games and use their imagination and resources to keep children excited about all aspects of sailing
- Ability and eagerness to actively participate in Wetfeet games and programming
- Eagerness to want to make sure everything is done very well

### **APPLICATION DEADLINE: January 31, 2022**

To apply, please send by email a Resume and Cover letter to [lts@lyc.ns.ca](mailto:lts@lyc.ns.ca). **Please indicate "Lead Wetfeet Instructor" in the subject line of your application.** All inquiries can also be submitted to that same address.

We thank all applicants for their time, however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

All offers will be contingent upon a successful Police Background Check (Vulnerable Sector Screening).