ABYC Junior Board Application 2018-2019

*Applications are due to the ABYC main office, ABYC Jr. Director or Jennifer Golison no later than August 30th. Decisions will be made as soon as possible and selected board members need to be available for a formal picture in mid September with a blue blazer.

Name:	Your mobile phone:	
Address:		
Your Email:		
Birthday:	Grade in School (Fall 2018):	
School:		

The goal of the Junior Board is to participate in community service projects in a positive social environment to assist ABYC and the community of Long Beach. These young people will be the leaders of ABYC and Long Beach juniors in many ways and should recognize the role model responsibility that accompanies these positions.

Requirements & Responsibilities:

- Must be a junior member of ABYC in good standing or part of a family membership of ABYC.
- Must be available for a majority of the events listed below.
- Should be at least 12 years old and entering 8th-12th grades.

The usual responsibilities of the Junior Board include:

- Organizing and running the assigned regatta for the year.
- Attending & working October Commodore's Installation Dinner.
- Attending & working Opening Day ceremonies.
- Helping with junior activities at the Christmas party, Easter Brunch and Mother's Day brunch.
- Organizing, staffing and building the Christmas float for Naples Christmas Parade.
- Organize a general membership meeting presentation (usually April meeting).
- Organizing a junior program fundraiser or fundraisers.
- Organizing a good will event(s) towards the club (i.e. beach clean-up, physical improvement of the club or club assets, etc.).
- Planning and staffing junior social functions.
- Attend regular meetings with the Junior Board and its parent advisors.

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Position applying for (number preference 1st-3rd): Junior Commodore: Represent the junior membership of ABYC at selected club functions; preside over all Junior Board ("Board") meetings; and coordinate junior functions at Commodore's Installation Dinner, General Membership Meeting, and Opening Day. Junior Vice-Commodore: Fill in for Jr. Commodore when needed; coordinate the regatta for which the juniors have the fleet duty (usually Halloween Regatta). Junior Rear Commodore: Fill in for Jr. Commodore or Vice-Commodore when needed; and coordinate another assigned event to be determined. Secretary: Responsible for taking minutes at each JB meeting and distributing to each member; and coordinate junior responsibilities at Club Holiday Party and Club Easter Party. Double-Handed Fleet Captain: Represent the junior double-handed (420, FJ, CFJ, 29er) sailors at JB Meetings; and present at each JB meeting results/happenings with our double-handed sailors. Single-Handed Fleet Captain: Represent the junior single-handed (Laser) sailors at Junior Board Meetings; resent at each JB meeting results/happenings with our single-handed sailors and possibly coordinate another junior event to be determined later. Sabot Fleet Captain: Represent the Sabot A/B sailors at Junior Board Meetings; present at each JB meeting results/happenings with our Sabot A/B sailors; and work with the Junior Sailing Program Director ("Director") to encourage participation in Sabot A events. Opti Fleet Captain: Represent the Opti sailors at JB Meetings, present at each JB meeting results/happenings with our Opti sailors; and work with Director to encourage participation in Opti events. Events Coordinator: Coordinate JB and junior membership participation in club-related events such as Beach Cleanup (few times year), Charity Regatta (late September), and other relevant events; and help Junior Commodore coordinate program for April General Meeting with help from JB. Public Relations: Coordinate monthly junior-written article for Sou'Wester newsletter; publicize other junior related events such as April General Membership program, fleet duty regatta (4th of July or Halloween), and other JB events in the Sou'Wester, the ABYC and ABYC junior program websites, and the ABYC general membership and ABYC junior email news. Fundraising: Coordinate fundraising efforts for the year, which in the past have included sail recycling, bake sales, t-shirts sales, etc.

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Questions:

1.	What are some organizations you are involved with outside of sailing?
2.	What sports practices, music or other commitments do you have, and on what days, if known?
3.	What are some ideas you have for a junior program fundraising event and how would you make that happen?
4.	What are some ideas you have for organizing a Junior Social Event?
5.	Tell us why you would be a good fit for the position you listed as number 1 on the list above.