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The Club is officially full!

Over 20 new members have been welcomed into the Club already this fiscal year, about double the number in a normal full year! As a result the Club has hit its limit of 200 maximum Regular Memberships for the first time since the By Law was instituted. This is thanks to the hard work of Club Secretary Jane Armstrong and to the Membership Committee: Alan Brooke, Mike Byrne, Michael Clark, Karen Munro, Cheri Reid, Julie van Soeren and myself. Thanks is also due to the Members who stepped up to sponsor applicants who were so new to SSI that they did not know any Members. Additionally, the 150 slips in our marina are fully assigned thanks to our efficient Wharfinger Bo Curtis. Phew!! It's been pretty busy around here!

Should you be contacted by a potential new member applicant please give them the following information which will be added to the How to Join Section on SSISC Website:

Notice to Potential New Regular Member Applicants : The Salt Spring Island Club is temporarily full!

The Club is at its maximum capacity of 200 Regular Members. Additionally all 150 slips in our marina are currently assigned. This is a temporary situation only and we anticipate some normal turnover in membership and moorage will occur, especially at renewal time, October-November. In the interim Applicants for Regular Membership will be processed as Associate members and placed on a waitlist in the order in which they were received and as Regular Membership vacancies occur will be converted to Regular status. Additionally, as the Board will not meet again until after the summer break for July and August applications will not be considered by the Membership Committee until then. In the interim complete applications for Regular (and Associate) Memberships can mailed to the Club or scanned and emailed to us at: membership@saltspringsailing.ca

Please note: a complete application package consists of the Application Form, Volunteer Interest form and two signed Sponsor Forms. Please do not make any e-transfer for membership initiation fees until the application process is re-opened and you are contacted by a member of the Membership Committee.

Meanwhile, enjoy your summer and check back here to see if the status changes.

Deb McGovern,
Membership Officer.

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