



Beacon Sloop Club Sailing Class

Instructors: Woody Guthrie Captains, Tome LaBarr, James Malchow, Ben Mazer, Steve Schwartz, and former Clearwater Captain Betsy Garthwaite

Organizer/Facilitator: Mary Arnold, marykonizarnold@optonline.net

When: Wednesdays 7:00 – 9:00 pm

Where: The Beacon Sloop Club, 2 Red Flynn Dr., Beacon, NY 12508

The building with tree growing through the roof on Beacon Harbor

Course Outline

Apr. 12 Introduction, Registration, Knots, Gear, Clothing, Basic safety, Introduction to the Sloop Club and Sloop *Woody Guthrie:* **James Malchow**

Apr. 19 Upwind Sailing: **Steve Schwartz**

Apr. 26 Downwind Sailing **Tom LaBarr**

May 3 Rules of the Road, Aids to Navigation and Charts: **Ben Mazer**

May 10 Anchoring, Mooring and Docking: **Tom LaBar**

May 17 Safety and Emergency **Betsy Garthwaite, Steve Schwartz**

May 24 Weather, Tides and Currents **Steve Schwartz**

May 31 Overall Review (test, awards/certificates, community resources,) **James Malchow**

Tuition: \$50 per person, including textbook. Discount for household sharing texts.

Payment: Credit Card / Paypal, Cash, Check

Textbook: *Learn to Sail Right*, from U.S. Sailing

Registration: [Online](#), or email marykonizarnold@optonline.net