

April 16, 2008

Hello Swiftsure Volunteers,

The excitement is starting to rise as we get closer to the 65th Swiftsure International Yacht Race!

This letter is to encourage you to sign up to be a volunteer once again. You can do this by going to the Swiftsure website at www.swiftsure.org. To register on-line, go to Volunteers and click on Volunteer Registration. Under the heading of On-line, there will be two options:

1. If you already have an account login here
2. If you do not have an account, you can create a Swiftsure member account.

Choose the appropriate option and then fill out the volunteer form.

Under Volunteers, there is the Volunteer Placement Criteria where it describes all of the different and exciting areas to volunteer.

Here are the dates for training nights here at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club:

May 5 or 6 - Volunteer Orientation for All Volunteers:

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm in the Main Lounge

***Meet coordinators and pick up t-shirt*

May 13 - Race Management Training for Finish Line Volunteers:

7:00 pm in Meeting Room #1

May 13 - Race Management Training for Inspections and Data Entry volunteers:

8:00 pm in Meeting Room #1

May 15 - Race Management Training for Start Line Volunteers:

7:00 pm in Meeting Room #2

May 20 - Tech Training Night for the NUTS and Swiftsure Centre Volunteers:

7:00 pm in Meeting Room #1

***Information regarding the Race Tracker Program will be reviewed at this training night*

You can also view these important dates on-line under "Volunteers - Important Dates".

As we do appreciate all the hard work that volunteers provide for the event and the many that have given so much for Swiftsure in the past, we will be holding a Volunteer and Sponsor Appreciation Party after the event on May 27, 2008 at 6:00 pm at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club to recognize your efforts.

I look forward to your response,

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