

# **PYC** at a glance

*Renovated clubhouse*

*Moorings*

*Docks with 30 & 50 amp service*

*Service well with 25 ton travel lift*

*Gas & diesel fuel for members*

*Great sunsets*



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## Poughkeepsie Yacht Club



*“Membership in the Poughkeepsie Yacht Club is something Special”*

Website at <http://www.PoughkeepsieYachtClub.org>

## Welcome to PYC



The Poughkeepsie Yacht Club, founded by a group of boating enthusiasts in 1892, is one of the oldest yacht clubs on the Hudson River. Unlike a commercial marina, our club is run by and for the members. As a club we are a community, and as such

we help each other and enjoy each other's company. This community of boaters is not out to make a profit, but instead to provide the best possible facilities and service at the lowest cost, which we do by having our members contribute their labor. This working club's ambiance along the "Mighty Hudson" and its enthusiasm for boating has been created by its diversified membership. This group comes from all walks of life but they all have the common love of boating. Membership in the Poughkeepsie Yacht Club may become a way of life and friendships made in this club can last forever.

### Membership types

There are several membership categories that can be selected when joining the PYC. **Single or Joint Active Membership** entitles the member to all the privileges the club affords. This membership allows dock and mooring privileges, boat hauling and storage, full use of the clubhouse and participation in all social activities. This membership requires "hours" which allows the club to sustain reasonable rates. The participation program encourages the members to become acquainted with the facilities and its membership. This contribution of time comes in many forms: building docks, helping with social functions, maintaining the clubhouse, and committee service. The required time goes quickly and is cumulative.

If you don't own a boat but are interested in joining our club, you should consider becoming a **Social Member** which entitles you to enjoy the facilities at a reduced cost. Social members may stop by the bar for a drink, enjoy the magnificent sunsets on the deck, and come to all the club parties and social functions. Social members receive reduced initiation fees and can become active members at any time.

PYC also offers a **Junior Membership** for the "young boater" which allows them many club privileges in addition to enabling them to become active members at a later date for a reduced fee.

Active and Social members may reserve the club for private use for family and boating functions.



### Social Activities

The club has a very active social calendar. The functions range from formal to casual, catered to pot luck, planned to impromptu. Some of the Club sponsored events include: a Super Bowl party, an Irish Night with traditional fare, the celebration of the beginning of the boating season with an Anchors Aweigh Ball, a Family Picnic with the blessing of the fleet, raising money at the 25 Week Club barbeque, thanking our officers at the Commodore's Ball, celebrating the holidays with two parties the trim-a-tree party and the Milie Brown's Children's Christmas party. These social functions enhance the camaraderie of the club and financially assist in keeping the costs of membership down.



To join: Go to the membership section on the PYC website  
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