

RED TAG CHECKOUT

Sailor's Name (Print)

(Sailor must satisfactorily complete all of the following)

Ashore Knowledge

- _____ Aware of suitable sailing clothing/equipment for various conditions
- _____ Aware of danger, signs and treatments of hypothermia and heat stroke
- _____ Aware of information sources for local weather
- _____ Aware of navigational hazards in the KSC sailing area
- _____ Aware of how to sign out a boat
- _____ Aware of how to report repair requirements for a boat
- _____ Able to tie a figure eight knot, reef knot and bowline

Afloat Skills

- _____ Properly rig a Hobie 16 in a manner consistent with the KSC rigging guide
- _____ Properly rig a Hobie 18 in a manner consistent with the KSC rigging guide
- _____ Describe how rigging would be different if conditions were different (i.e. difference between rigging with onshore or offshore or beam wind)
- _____ Properly load and secure Hobie to beach wheels
- _____ Safely sail away from the beach area
- _____ Sail basic triangle course as helmsman demonstrating
 - Proper sail trim as course/wind changes
 - Proper boat trim(to be performed without direction in winds 10-12 mph)
- _____ As helmsman, demonstrate proper technique to tack
- _____ As helmsman, demonstrate proper technique to gybe
- _____ As helmsman, get out of irons
- _____ As helmsman, aware of dangers of pitchpolling
- _____ As crew, demonstrate proper technique when trapeezing
 - Clip in and assume "ready position"
 - Extend out over boat
 - Adjust trapeze height
 - Return to "ready position"
 - Aware of safety precautions if boat capsizes
- _____ Pick up a "man overboard" (float may be used as substitute)
- _____ Right a capsized Hobie 16 or 18 without outside assistance
- _____ Safely return to shore
- _____ Describe how to return to shore safely in an onshore wind (if not demonstrated on the day)
- _____ De-rig and properly secure Hobie in accordance with KSC Rigging Guide; including securing to/unloading from beach wheels; folding/securing sails
- _____ Aware where to put wet sails to dry

Power Boat Skills

(to be checked if sailor does not possess a Blue Tag)

- _____ Possess a PCOC
- _____ Aware of safe fueling practices
- _____ Aware of safety equipment to be carried on board powerboats
- _____ Demonstrate attaching fuel line to o/b or tank
- _____ Demonstrate how to check crankcase oil level
- _____ Demonstrate cold starting BOTH Honda and Mercury outboards
- _____ Demonstrate how to check that water pump is functioning
- _____ Demonstrate basic powerboat operation
 - Leave the dock
 - Steering
 - Operation in forward and in reverse
 - Returning to dock
 - Towing technique
 - Picking up a man overboard (float may be used)

- _____ Demonstrate how to secure powerboat to dock whip lines
- _____ Demonstrate how to raise and lower BOTH Honda and Mercury outboards

Check out completed by:

Name

Date