

Membership Rules

Membership in NOTS is open to all persons interested in boating and includes the immediate family.

The membership application process is determined by the Board. The application includes: 1) Membership Application form, 2) Initiation fee of \$100, and 3) Annual Member Dues as defined in sections 5 and 8 below."

The application shall be verified by Membership and submitted to the Board for acceptance. Upon approval the new members shall be introduced at a general meeting or club function and presented with their burgee, name tags, roster and By-Laws.

A member may resign from NOTS at anytime by notification to and verification of the Board and thereby forfeit any dues already paid. Membership may be terminated by the Board for nonpayment of dues. Termination does not release the member from paying unpaid dues.

Annual dues -- payable by October 1st of the prior year -- are \$145 in 2014 and increase by \$10 per year to a \$200 cap in 2020."

Members who have not paid their dues will not be in good standing after December 31st and be considered delinquent after February 1st unless the board has been contacted and other arrangements made. Members in good standing are entitled to all amenities and voting privileges.

Members joining after August 1st receive the following year's membership.

A member sixty-five (65) and older who has been a member in good standing for five (5) years or more shall pay \$75 with boat, \$50 without boat, per year.

Former members who were in good standing may rejoin within three (3) years by paying the current year's dues. They are responsible for purchasing their burgee, name tags, and roster, if needed.

Former members seeking to rejoin after three (3) years are required to reapply and pay the membership fee.

Conduct unbecoming a club member may be brought forward by any club member to the executive directors to investigate and determine appropriate action.