



Chicago Sailboat Charters

Thanks for choosing to cruise with us. Please read ****everything**** below to make sure you have an enjoyable cruise.

Please be certain that the phone number you provided to us is for a cell phone which you will have with you on the day of your sail.

FAQ:

Many questions are spelled out on our *FAQ* (such as what kind of shoes are best to wear, what to bring, etc.).

- Food – we suggest simple food such as sandwiches or wraps while on a boat.
- Yes, we have a bathroom on board.
- Hats may be a good idea for sun protection (we have sunscreen)
- Long sleeve shirts or light jacket might be good for a night sail or after a swim.
- If swimming, please bring towels.
- We have bottled water, ice, cups, plates, napkins, forks, etc.
- Food and beverage are BYO (please drink responsibly). Drink packages are available upon request
- Yes, our boats have stereos as well as hookups for your ipod/mp3s/bluetooth etc.

More can be found at: www.chicagosailboatcharters.com/faq

If you have not already done so:

- *Please respond with the ages of all children that will be on board (if any).*
- *If there are any individuals with special needs, please contact us to discuss it as in some cases it may not be possible due to the nature of boating and our vessels.*

Arrival:

Please arrive at least 20 minutes before the sail, so you don't spend part of your charter waiting on the dock (we suggest even longer for large groups as we notice there are always stragglers) and wait near the **meeting point, which is detailed in the second document attached to this email.** When you arrive, please call your captain to let them know that you have arrived. Please do not approach the boat while other guests are de-boarding, and while the crew is busy resetting the boat for your group. Once the boat is readied for boarding, your captain and crew will board you. There are many USCG requirements that must be met prior to boarding, included required and logged breaks, so please allow them to complete their duties so they can get your party started as soon as possible.

Your Captain:

The captain will text you with their name and cell number 90 minutes before your cruise. (Please call the office for any questions prior to arrival)

Please try to avoid:

****Red wine (or other dark staining liquids), **Glass of any kind above deck (white wine, champagne, beer bottles are kept below and poured into stemware/cups), **hard soled, dark soled, or **marking shoes (your captain will figure it out if you don't have boat friendly shoes), **illegal substances.**

Terms and Conditions:

Please read the [Terms](#) and pay specific attention to rain, weather, and waves and seasickness sections.

Should you have any questions prior to your sail, please [email](#) or call the office at (773) 236-7242

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