



Basic course sailing, large yacht

Sailstar arranges basic courses in a 50 ft Beneteau 50 in Stockholm archipelago.

Learn to sail on a large sailboat in Stockholm archipelago. Four-day courses starting in May ending in September. The courses are Thursday-Sunday. We can also arrange events and tailor-made courses.

You will learn sailing, sailing in theory and practice, terms, give-way rules, man-over-board, part of navigation, knots, manoeuvres and more on a large sailing boat. The sailing takes place onboard a Beneteau 50, a 15 meter sailboat with 5 cabins, 10 berths for up to 10 people (max 8, usually 6, participants)

Our instructors have Yachtsman's master diploma class VIII and are used to sailing, boats and archipelago.

We live aboard, there are eight bunks for participants divided into four cabins. One evening we have dinner at one of Stockholm's restaurants. The course offers not only education but also fantastic days in the Stockholm archipelago.



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We teach sailing

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About Sailstars sailing courses

Sailstar arranges sailing courses in both keel boats (large boats), mid-sized sailboats and dinghies. The big boat courses are four days from Viggbyholm. We sail around the Stockholm archipelago and anchoring in nature harbours as well as marinas.

Equipment

Bring clothes for outdoor use. Leisure shoes type sailing shoes or sports shoes, boots may be good to have. Some warmer sweater, fleece sweater / jacket and swimwear. On the boat there are sailing gears, life vests, survival suits. There are bed linen, towel and bath towels on the boat.

Requirement

You should be able to swim at least 200 meters. This is the only requirement for our basic courses. For the advanced courses, you have passed a basic course or equivalent.

Instructors

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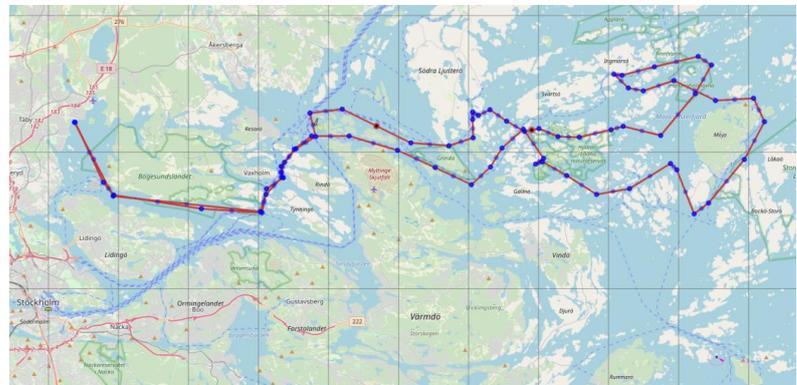
Language

The courses are held both primary in Swedish and primary in English. Look at the booking page for further information.

The boat

The boat is a Beneteau 50 of the 1996 model. The dimensions are 15.48 x 4.48 m. Displacement 15.5 tons, sail area 110 m². She is equipped with life raft, dinghy, EPIRB, two different sets of navigation, sail vests and life jackets for all on board. She has 4 cabins with double bunks, two bunks in the lounge and a crew cabin with two bunks. Her name is Operah.

General route for the basic course in Stockholm archipelago. The route varies depending on the weather.



Theory and practice

The courses contain theory and we use our own book "Seglingens grunder 2.0". (An English new version is produced now). We learn the basics of the sailing – sailing terms, knots, wind, upwind and downwind sailing, tacks, gybes, wind eye, trim and safety. Manoeuvring, give-way rules, anchorage, navigation (light). You are allowed to get a Sailing Certificate 1 after the course (additional fee 300: - + 50 for the Blue book).

Booking and reservation fee

The price is SEK 6.450- for a four-day basic course. The price includes the basic course, accommodation on the boat for 3 nights, fuel and port charges. Meals on board (breakfast, lunch, dinner) at self cost price 400: - is payable on site. One afternoon we eat at one of Stockholm's nice archipelago restaurants, it is not included.

When booking, registration fee is SK 2.000- and remaining fee is paid 28 days before the start of the course. If you can register, you have got a seat on the course, at some courses there are reserve places which you will be notified at the time of registration. In case of cancellation no later than 28 days, the course fee will be refunded in addition to the registration fee. The registration or booking fee is not refundable. Should a cancellation be cancelled later than 28 days before the start of the course, the full course fee will be Sailstar. If the course does not take place, the registration fee will also be refunded.