#### Lake Lanier Sailing Club, Inc. – Flowery Branch, GA – Membership Application

#### Name of Applicant:

# Sponsors: 1. Signature\_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name\_\_\_\_\_ Address\_\_\_\_\_ 2. Signature

Lake Lanier Sailing Club, Inc. – Constitution Certain excerpts regarding membership:

Printed Name\_\_\_

Address\_

## ARTICLE FOUR Members

- 2. REGULAR Members shall be persons elected to Regular Membership. REGULAR Members shall be the only class of Membership which shall have the right to vote and hold office. The number of Regular Members may not exceed twohundred seventy-five (275) Members except as herein set forth....
- 6. INTERMEDIATE Members shall be persons elected to Membership who shall not have attained the age of twenty-eight (28) years.
- 7. STUDENT Members shall be those persons elected to Membership who are full-time students and who shall not have attained the age of twenty-eight (28) years.
- 8. STUDENT Members shall have the privileges of becoming Intermediate or Regular Members upon paying the additional initiation fee required of such other class of Membership, at such time when such person shall no longer qualify for Student Membership. If such privilege is not exercised the Student Member shall be dropped from the Membership of the Club. An Intermediate Member shall have the privilege of becoming a Regular Member upon paying the additional fee required of such other class of Membership at such time when such person shall no longer qualify for Intermediate Membership. If such privilege is not exercised the Intermediate Member shall be dropped from the Membership of the Club.
- 12. Membership in the Club shall be by invitation only. Two Regular Members must propose any person for Membership, which proposal shall be transmitted by the Secretary to the Membership Committee for careful examination.

  Recommendations of the Membership committee shall be made to the Board of Governors. Upon favorable action by the Board, the Secretary shall post the names of all persons recommended with the indication of the class of Membership for which such person is proposed. At the first regular meeting of the Board of Governors following fifteen (15) days after such posting, the Board may consider the applicant for Membership. Two negative votes by Members of the Board of Governors shall prevent election of such persons to Membership. The Board at its discretion may consider an application pending without the recommendation of the Membership Committee.

NOTE REGARDING MEMBER PARTICIPATION: The activities of Lake Lanier Sailing Club have traditionally been organized and carried out by its Members and their families. The Club does not have a large staff, in fact has only one full time employee (the Resident Manager). Therefore, successful operation of the Club requires Member participation. A new Member of the Club should expect to be asked to and assist with Club activities such as regatta management, race committee, social affairs and work parties.

**Member:** United States Sailing Association, Dixie Inland Yacht Racing Association, South Atlantic Yacht Racing Association.

#### **Club Use Only:**

| Date Received:      |  |
|---------------------|--|
| Type of Membership: |  |
| Date Interviewed:   |  |
| Date Posted:        |  |

- 13. After election to membership the secretary shall notify the newly elected Member of such election, furnish him with a copy of the Yearbook, Constitution and By-Laws, and upon payment of fees and dues as required, he shall be entitled to the rights of the class of membership to which elected.
- 14. Any person elected to Membership, or a Member changing from one classification to another classification not complying with the foregoing requirements within one month of notification from date of his election shall be considered as having declined the invitation and such invitation shall be terminated.
- 16. ASSOCIATE Members shall be persons elected to membership by applying for an Associate Membership and writing a letter to the Board of Governors explaining their circumstances for wanting to join LLSC as an Associate instead of joining as a Regular Member. The Associate Member must never have been a Regular, Intermediate, or Student Member of LLSC. Associate Membership will follow the process in Article 4.12. Associate Membership is subject to approval by the Board of Governors on an individual basis. The intent is to allow novice sailors, transient sailors, crew members, etc., to join LLSC at a reduced rate and reduced privileges. The Associate Member has full Club privileges and courtesies except for the following: (a) Associate Members may not vote or hold Club office, (b) Associate Members cannot keep, store, nor leave any property at LLSC, specifically any wet slips, dry slips, any campers/vehicles/trailers on club grounds while they are not present. Also, they are not allowed on any wet or dry waiting lists.

#### ARTICLE SIX

#### **Resignation and Terminations of Membership**

All resignations must be in writing and addressed to the Secretary. No member may resign until all financial obligations to the Club have been satisfied. Resignations are effective from the first day of the month following the acceptance of such resignation by the Board of Governors.

#### Membership fees

|            | <u>Regular</u> | <b>Student</b> | <b>Associate</b> | <b>Intermediate</b> |
|------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|---------------------|
| Initiation | \$800.00       | \$40.00        | \$400.00         | \$240.00            |
| Dues       | \$700.00       | \$231.00       | \$350.00         | \$420.00            |

### **Please Print or Type**

| Name in full _ |                    | Birthdate    |            |                    |             |          |  |  |  |
|----------------|--------------------|--------------|------------|--------------------|-------------|----------|--|--|--|
| Home Addres    | ss                 |              |            |                    |             | <u>.</u> |  |  |  |
| City/State     |                    | Zip code     |            |                    |             |          |  |  |  |
| Phone          |                    | E-mail       |            |                    |             |          |  |  |  |
| Business Add   | ress               |              |            |                    |             |          |  |  |  |
| City/State     |                    | Zip code     |            |                    |             |          |  |  |  |
| Phone          |                    |              |            | _ E-mail           |             |          |  |  |  |
| Mail Club cor  | respondence to:    | Home Add     | dress      | Business Address   | (Check one) |          |  |  |  |
| Memberships    | s in lodges, civic | clubs or pro | fessiona   | l organizations:   |             |          |  |  |  |
|                |                    |              |            |                    |             |          |  |  |  |
|                |                    |              |            |                    |             |          |  |  |  |
| Hobbies and    | interests other t  | han sailing: |            |                    |             |          |  |  |  |
|                |                    |              |            |                    |             |          |  |  |  |
| Who referred   | l you to LLSC?     |              |            |                    |             |          |  |  |  |
| Names of Clu   | b members you      | know         |            |                    |             |          |  |  |  |
| Type of moor   | ing needed: Dr     | y Storage    |            | Wet Mooring (slip) |             |          |  |  |  |
| Family Info    |                    |              |            |                    |             |          |  |  |  |
|                |                    |              |            | E-mail             |             |          |  |  |  |
| Children:      | <u>Name</u>        | <u>Sex</u>   | <u>Age</u> | Sailing Experience |             |          |  |  |  |
|                |                    |              |            |                    |             |          |  |  |  |
|                |                    |              |            |                    |             |          |  |  |  |
| Occupation _   |                    |              |            | Spouse             |             |          |  |  |  |
| Employer       |                    |              |            | Spouse             |             |          |  |  |  |

(continued)

## **Sailing Experience** Year began sailing: \_\_\_ Boats Owned/Dates Owned OR Boat planning to buy \_\_\_\_\_ OR Boats you're interested in \_\_\_\_\_\_ Other boats you've sailed or crewed\_\_\_\_\_ Major sailing events participated in \_\_\_\_\_\_ Race Committee Experience \_\_\_\_\_ Previous yacht club or sailing membership \_\_\_\_\_\_ Offices held National Class Associations or Memberships \_\_\_\_\_\_ Please check areas of interest in Lake Lanier Sailing Club and water-related activities in which you or your family would participate: \_\_\_\_\_Race Committee \_\_\_\_Buildings & Grounds \_\_\_\_Regatta Management \_\_\_\_Camping \_\_\_\_Fishing \_\_\_\_Sailboat Cruising \_\_\_\_Sailboat Racing \_\_\_Fleet Activities \_\_\_\_Social Activities Junior Boating \_\_\_\_Power Boating \_\_\_\_\_Water Skiing Why do you wish to join Lake Lanier Sailing Club? Any other information that might be helpful to the Membership Committee (continued)

If extended an invitation to join Lake Lanier Sailing Club, I intend to accept membership. I, also, agree to abide by the Constitution, By-Laws and Safety Rules of the Club. I certify that I have read and am familiar with the Georgia Boat Safety Act, and in particular, the Safety Provisions of the Act. I further agree to govern my conduct in such a manner that at all times the good name of Lake Lanier Sailing Club will be upheld. I understand that Club Members are expected to assist and volunteer for Club activities. Believing a mutual benefit will exist between myself and the Club, I affix my signature on this questionnaire.

| Dated | Signed |  |
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This application can be given to your sponsor or forwarded to Tammy Duran, 2009 Membership Chairman.

Tammy Duran
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Gainesville, GA 30504
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You can fax your completed form to (770) 806-6777, please include a coversheet showing it needs to be routed to Tammy Duran.