

Dana West Youth Sailing Camp Information

Location: See map. The drop off will be in the parking lot of the Dana West Yacht Club located at 24601 Dana Harbor Drive, Dana Point.

Schedule: 9:00 to 3:30, M-F

Parking: Parking is free in the lot for 30 minutes. Take a ticket upon entry and leave within 30 minutes and you won't have to pay.

Day 1 Check in: Look for the "Check In" sign in the parking lot. There will be a table set up and coaches ready to check in your campers and get your t-shirts. This is also picture day.

Drop off: Please drop off your campers at the meeting location indicated on the map by 9:00 am

Pick up: Pick up is at 3:30. The coaches will have a list of authorized adults and only those adults will be allowed to pick up your camper.

Swim test: There will be a swim test in the marina on the first day of camp. Campers will get wet. 😊

Campers should arrive in bathing suits/board shorts and should bring:

- Coast Guard approved lifejacket (required)
- Sunblock
- Hat, Extra shirt, close-toed shoes (no flip flops), Sunglasses
- Reusable water bottle
- Backpack or plastic bag to stow the items. There will be a location onsite for campers to stow their backpacks but pack light. There isn't a lot of space

What not to bring:

- Phones, iPods, iPads, Game Boys, etc. - any electronics or valuables that do not float or can be lost or stolen.
- Much of the day is spent on the water; cellphones have a habit of falling overboard, so if one is needed, it will stay in their backpack on land.

Lunch: Lunch will be provided (pizza) on Friday but campers must bring lunch Monday-Thursday

Wet Wednesdays: All campers from all weeks of camp are welcome to try their sailing skills with some fun races in the marina on Wednesdays from 4:00 – 7:00. For campers

enrolled in camp who want to race, they can stay with the coaches from 9:00 am to the end of racing at around 7:00 pm.

Lost & Found: All gear left at camp over the course of the week will be available until the end of camp on Friday. Items not claimed by the end of Friday will be thrown out.

If you need to contact a coach during camp, the number is (949) 315-6080