



TASS TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF SOCIAL SAILORS

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Crew Equipment and Check List

Often, we are asked by new members or first-time sailing guest what should you bring or how should you prepare for a sail with TASS. Below are “SUGGESTIONS” which will help you prepare and make your sail a more comfortable experience.

- Comfortable clothing, and soft soled, non-marking shoes
- Sun protection (hat, sunglasses, sunscreen)
 - Some prefer a light long sleeve shirt for sun protection
 - Good idea to have a “crokie” for your sun glasses and a “hat keeper” to attach your hat to your shirt
 - #1 & 2 most lost overboard items – hats and sunglasses
- Light jacket in case of rain
- Sailing gear that you already may own (e.g. gloves). No need to buy any though, if you don't already own them.
- Small SOFT SIDED cooler – easy to stow on the boat and does not damage the boat
- Hydration is important any day on the water so a sufficient amount to water or sports drink
- **Life jackets etc. will be on the boat** – feel free to bring your own, not necessary to buy one
- Typically, the crew will bring snacks to share; chips, dip, finger food, fruit etc.
 - This can be discussed with the skipper of your sail
- Spare change of clothes & towel/toiletries:
 - If you would like to take a shower after the sail, you are welcome to do so, the marina has nice clean showers

Remember, you must be registered online and paid in full to sail. Non-members of TASS are always welcome to join our sails. Should you have any questions, you can contact any member of our Board of Directors listed on our web. When you register you will be asked for your emergency contact, be sure to give a name and phone number that can be reached should need be.

The day before your sail you will be contacted by your Skipper in Command for the sail.

He/She will confirm the meeting time, location, and answer any of your questions.



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