

# CORPORATE SAILING LEAGUE

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## WELCOME TO THE CORPORATE SAILING LEAGUE!

Every Thursday evening, corporate sailing teams gather at North Cove in front of Brookfield Place in Lower Manhattan. Then they head out into New York Harbor for some spirited competition.

Enter your company and begin using this great harbor for recreation! Soon you will be sailing in front of the Statue of Liberty and the skyline of Manhattan. Sailing is invigorating and gets you outside in the fresh air. Your perspective will change and you will love the city more than ever.

Corporate teams race on J/24 sailboats provided by the Manhattan Yacht Club. J/24s are fast and responsive.

They are the sailing equivalent of a sports car. Most teams race with a crew of 5 people. If you need help sailing your boat, the club can connect you with volunteer skippers and crew. You can also get a race coach to help train your sailors.

The sailing season is split into 3 series, Spring, Early Summer and Late Summer. Teams can enter one or more series. The entry fee is \$3,800 per series with a 10% discount for 2 series and a 20% discount for 3 series.

Teams arrive at the dock around 6 p.m. and the first race starts around 6:30 p.m. Races are held in New York Harbor near Ellis Island. There are multiple short course races each evening. Scores are compiled based on



average finish and trophies are awarded to winning teams each evening.

All races start and finish at the “Honorable William Wall,” the floating clubhouse in the harbor. You can invite co-workers, clients and friends out to watch the action. Spectators ride out the clubhouse on a launch. Then they can order drinks and cheer for your team as you sail by. The Honorable William Wall has been featured in The New York Times and Time Out NY as one of the most unique waterfront bars in our city.

Most teams race with a corporate spinnaker emblazoned with their logo. This builds enthusiasm and helps your spectators follow the action. You may purchase a

corporate spinnaker from any sailmaker as long as it is built to J/24 class specifications.

For more information,  
please contact Manhattan Yacht Club at  
**212-786-3323** or **lynn@myc.org**.

There are more ways your company can access the harbor. You can have your summer office party on the 157-foot mega yacht Arabella **[www.yachtarabella.com](http://www.yachtarabella.com)**. You can do corporate entertaining on the America's Cup 12 Meter “America II” **[www.nyharborsailing.com](http://www.nyharborsailing.com)**. You can arrange sailing lessons for your employees **[www.sailmanhattan.com](http://www.sailmanhattan.com)**.



## ENTER YOUR COMPANY!

Races are every Thursday evening. It's invigorating, fun and a great way to build teamwork. Enter your company in the Corporate Sailing League. It's easy to sign up and you will race on J/24 sailboats provided by Manhattan Yacht Club. In addition to your racing team, you can also have a team of spectators. You can invite many people from your company down to watch the races from the floating clubhouse in the harbor. Then when you round the windward mark and raise your corporate spinnaker, your spectators will cheer with enthusiasm.

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