Antique Boat Museum Job Description

Title: **Sailing Instructor**
Part-Time, Seasonal/Based on less than 35 hrs. per week from Mid-June through Mid-August
Hourly Non-Exempt

Department: **Education**

Job Description

Reporting directly to the Museum Educator, this seasonal position is responsible for teaching sailing skills and assisting students with launching, rigging, and storing boats, and providing instruction for Optimists, C420s, and Sunfish.

Responsibilities

- Instruction for Optimists, C420s, and Sunfish
- Work with youth, teens, and adults
- Physically assist students in launching, rigging, and lifting boats
- Be a responsible, reliable, enthusiastic presence with good judgment and leadership
- Take responsibility for ensuring a safe, organized, and educational waterfront and fleet
- Perform seamanship skills to include keeping boats, equipment, and storage facility clean and neat
- Ensure preparation and planning as well as daily review and documentation of the program
- Communicate relevant history of the Thousand Islands Region to ABM students.
- Instruct, evaluate, and document improvement in the sailing skills of all ABM students
- Evening and weekend availability required
- Other duties and responsibilities deemed necessary to meet the objectives of the sailing school and education department

Qualifications

- Strong background and experience in sailing
- Knowledge of Optimist and Sunfish rigging and sailing
- Work well with people of all ages
- US Sailing Level I Instructor Certification or willingness to obtain
- Pass a Pre-employment drug screening
- Current First Aid and CPR certifications or willingness to obtain
- USCG or equivalent Safe Boating Certification or willingness to obtain
- Previous experience in coaching, teaching or otherwise supervising children
- Self-motivated team player
- Good communication skills