

## QUEBEC SAILING FEDERATION NEWSLETTER

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### THE FVQ, FINALIST AT SPORT QUEBEC GALA

Quebec Sailing is pleased to announce that the Federation is a finalist for the Sport Federation of the year 2017 at Sport Quebec's Gala, with Baseball and Judo Quebec. This award is given to a federation that has exceptionally contributed to the promotion and development of the sport, will be given at Sport Quebec Gala, on Thursday, May 10th at Sheraton Hotel in Laval. With his exceptional volunteering contribution in the sport, René Dallaire is a finalist for the Action Bénévole Nationale Dollard-Morin award. Congrats to all!

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### SAILING LESSONS, NOT MANDATORY... EXCEPT THAT!

In Canada, only the Pleasure Craft Operator Card (approved by Transport Canada) is required to navigate if your boat has a motor. Many people would say that sailing lessons aren't mandatory to learn how to sail, but they are highly recommended! Obtaining a seal will give you the necessary knowledge to not only moving the boat, but to do it safely for you, your crew and your sailboat.

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### BOAT SAFETY, A MATTER FOR EVERYONE!

Because motorboat is often associated with navigation on calm water and under the sun, we forget that being on the water could present risks at any time. When an incident occurs, we realize all the processes and reactions that should have been known before. It's precisely for this reason that in order to prepare for difficult situations the Quebec Sailing Federation offers a boat safety course. This course permits you to become familiar with the handling of the motorboat in delicate conditions. Summer is coming, get ready to go out on water safely!

[More info](#)

### 2018 QUEBEC CIRCUIT

The 6 regattas composing the 2018 Quebec Circuit are now on our website. We invite you to consult the calendar to see the dates and locations of these regattas for the 2018 season. Registrations for each stage will be made on the FVQ's website in May.

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