Guest Housing

Some members of Willamette Sailing Club have volunteered to host Lido sailors in their homes for the Class Championships, at no charge. To request housing, describe your needs: dates you'll need housing, how many people, if any of them can share a bed, whether floor space is acceptable, how many are children, special needs, etc. We cannot guarantee space, and space will be assigned based on date of request and suitability of available space.

Send this to housing coordinator, Bill Conerly, Bill@ConerlyConsulting.com

Hotels/Motels near Willamette Sailing Club

You should check out hotel reviews, because WSC members usually don't stay in hotels in Portland. But here are some options.

High-End Hotels: The hotel closest to WSC is River's Edge. It is one mile from WSC, with a walking/bicycle path directly to the club. Not to be confused with RiverPlace Hotel, also high-end, but at the edge of downtown.

Downtown Portland has a number of high-end and boutique hotels. (Check parking fees when reserving.) Downtown is a safe, happening area. Traffic downtown is frustrating, but it's still less than 15 minutes to WSC. The route is confusing at first, but you'll get used to it.

Mid-range Hotels: There are several mid-range hotels near the intersection of I-5 and Highway 217, including a Crowne Plaza, Hilton Garden Inn, Phoenix Inn, Residence Inn and Fairfield. Lots of restaurants nearby, and this area is about 15 minutes from WSC (longer during rush hour). Neighborhood is suburban office; not hip.

Inexpensive Hotels: Several less expensive hotels are located on Barbur Boulevard. The one closest to the club is the Aladdin Inn, with several others farther south on Barbur. Travel time to WSC is about 10 minutes. If you are thinking of bicycling, it's mostly uphill from WSC to the west.

Airbnb: Many listings. Tip: before your search, find WSC on a map. It's easy to use the islands in the Willamette River as a reference point. Then search Airbnb for "Willamette Park, Portland."

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