

# Boating Made Easy

HAVE YOU EVER LOOKED out at the river on a beautiful summer day and seen families or couples cruising by with the engine just a notch above idle and without a care in the world? If they appear blissful, it's because they are. Boating on the St. Croix is popular because it is unbelievably fun and refreshing, like a week's vacation packed into a single outing.

Perhaps you know boat owners who, lured by the river's siren song, made a substantial investment in acquiring a new boat and then proceeded to spend more time paying for/cleaning/maintaining their boat than they spent time out on the water.

Stillwater Boat Club addresses that precise conundrum with a hassle-free, timeshare approach to boating: no maintenance, no waiting in line to launch, no cleaning, no service bills, and no slip fees. Instead, boat club members pay one fee for the season and are then entitled to unlimited use of a beautiful fleet of perfectly maintained boats.

**The variety of craft ensures that Stillwater Boat Club members will have access to the perfect boat for the occasion:**

- taking out a large group of 12? Book a deluxe pontoon.
- Overnight cruise to Red Wing? Book a 26' Sea Ray Sundancer cabin cruiser.
- Going fishing? Try the 22' Castmaster pontoon.
- Taking the kids out tubing? A powerful 22' Sea Ray Sundeck is just the ticket.

All this for just \$4,960.00 plus tax.

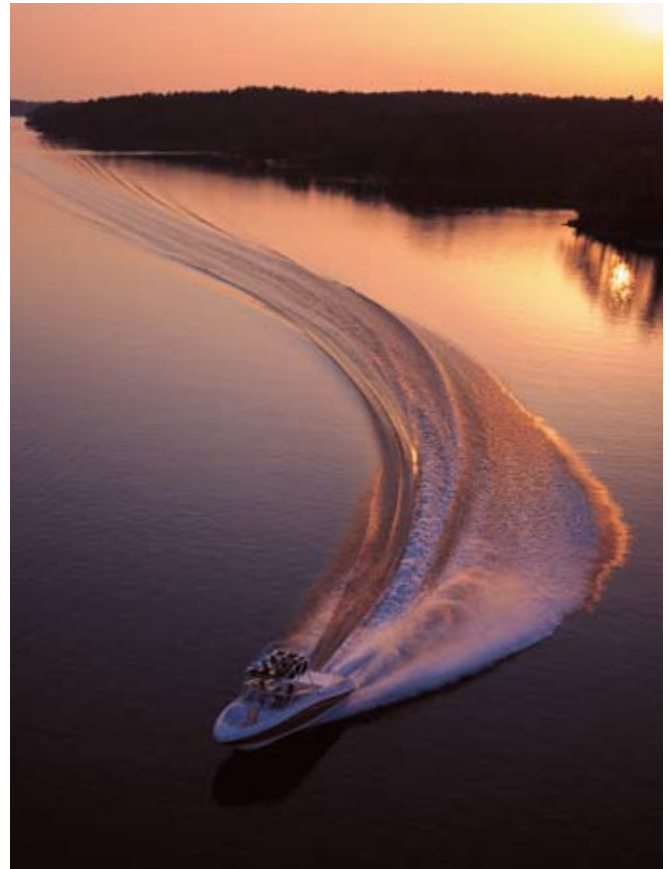


## Platinum Club Membership

Enjoy all the benefits of regular boat club membership, plus exclusive use of the luxurious 330 Sea Ray Sundancer.

The Stillwater Boat Club is now taking reservations for its 2009 Platinum Club. This is for the person who is looking for luxurious accommodations for guests or for those that would like more cabin amenities for overnight adventures.

For more details please call 651-439-9000, ext 1.



**Here's how it works:** members reserve boats ahead of time with a handy online calendar—a couple of clicks and you're done. (Days are divided into two blocks: 9:00-3:00 and 4:00-9:00. Members can schedule an overnight by reserving a boat on 4:00-9:00 one day and then 9:00-3:00 the next day.) Just show up at the time you reserved and the boat will be tied up to the gas dock, fueled, clean, and ready to go. Load the cooler, friends, and family and you're off in five minutes. When it's time to return the boat, simply pull up to the dock and the deckhands will clean it, fuel it and park it for you.

And if you've never been out on the river, much less piloted a boat, this is a great way to learn the ways of the water. Stillwater Boat Club makes a point of taking a ride with any new club member offering instruction to help them learn exactly how to operate these boats, to navigate the river and, most importantly have a safe and enjoyable boating experience.

If you're ready for a little river therapy this spring, summer and fall, you're ready for Stillwater Boat Club.

To join or for further information, visit them on the web at [www.stillwaterboatclub.com](http://www.stillwaterboatclub.com) or contact Andy directly at **651-439-9000, ext. 1.** ◀

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