



Youth Sailing Courses 2009 to 2010

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Adventure, fun and challenge combined with learning new skills make our activity courses for young people unbeatable. We've got the perfect location for outdoor adventure with the sheltered waters of Wykeham. Our highly skilled and qualified instructors make sure you enjoy a fun-filled and safe learning experience, with the emphasis on plenty of practical activity.

The minimum age for any of our youth courses is 8 years old.

All our action-packed courses are based on governing body guidelines and programmes and many of them lead to nationally recognised awards.

RYA Youth Stage 1 & 2

(8-16 yrs)

Picos, Topaz and Lasers dinghies provide a great start for single-handed sailing. On this learn-to-sail course for 8-16 year olds, you'll be helming your boat for the whole time - you'll be amazed at how quickly you progress. After learning to rig and complete some land drills for tacking and gybing, the next stage is to get on the water and learn to control your boat. Soon you'll be sailing around a short course and as the week progresses we will introduce you to racing on the Lake and help you develop your skills, by the end of the week, you'll be in total control of your boat!

Course Duration : 5 Days

Course Dates: TBC

Qualification: RYA Stage 1 & 2

Price: £225.00

Youth learn to sail weekend

On this two day course you will gain a basic understanding of a sailing boat, with some experience of steering and handling the boat. On the course you will cover; launching and recovery, steering, parts of the boat and basic sailing skills. By the end of the course you will be able to steer and understand the basic principles of sailing.

Course Duration : 2 Days

Course Dates: 6th & 7th Feb 2010

Qualification: RYA Stage 1

3rd & 4th April 2010

Price: £110.00

15th & 16th May 2010

10th & 11th July 2010

18th & 19th Sept 2010

6th & 7th Oct 2010

27th & 28th Nov 2010

Youth sailing stage 2

On this course you will learn a range of sailing skills and knowledge to help you in becoming a confident sailor. The course covers; basic sailing skills, rope work and collision avoidance. Once you come to the end of the course you will be able to: tack, control boat speed and understand the basic principals of maneuvering you boat.

Course Duration : 2 Days

Qualification: RYA stage 2

Price: £1100.00

Course Dates: 13th & 14th Feb 2010

10th & 11th April 2010

22nd & 23rd May 2010

17th & 18th July 2010

9th & 10th Oct 2010

Youth sailing Stage 3

This course teaches you rigging, launching and recovery, sailing techniques, capsized recovery and sailing theory. Once you have completed the course you will be able to sail around a triangle course covering all points of sail in moderate conditions. This course is the equivalent to the RYA level 2 in the National sailing scheme.

Course Duration : 2 Days

Qualification: RYA stage 3

Price: £110.00

Course Dates: 17th & 18th April 2010

5th & 6th June 2010

24th & 25th July 2010

16th & 17th Oct 2010