

Draycote Water is the Midlands' premier sailing venue, offering excellent sailing on 650 acres of water. The reservoir is open for sailing every day of the year except Christmas Day, providing full safety cover during daylight hours

Should you need further help to choose your course, please contact us:

Draycote Water Sailing Club  
Kites Hardwick  
Rugby  
Warwickshire  
CV23 8AB

Tel 01788 811153  
E-mail [office@draycotewater.co.uk](mailto:office@draycotewater.co.uk)  
[www.draycotewater.co.uk](http://www.draycotewater.co.uk)

All major credit cards accepted, cheques should be made payable to Draycote Water Sailing Club Ltd.

## Draycote Water Sailing Club Training 2010



### IT'S BIG AND IT'S THE BEST IT'S OPEN, IT'S SAFE, IT'S FUN

#### FULL RANGE OF COURSES FOR ADULTS AND JUNIORS

- Taster sessions for those who want to experience the thrill and enjoyment of sailing
- Beginners learn to sail safely and grasp the basic skills
- Intermediate, advanced and specialist courses to progress and refine your skills
- Over 20 proven programmes plus additional modules and individual tuition
- RYA Instructor Training

#### RYA APPROVED TRAINING CENTRE FOR DINGHY SAILING

- Fully qualified enthusiastic instructors chosen for their experience, temperament and skills
  - Teaching methods include videos, theory and simulation onshore and on-water teaching
  - Full time safety and rescue facilities and buoyancy aids provided – safety is paramount



Confirm on  
029 2075 5715



**T**raining at Draycote is available to members to help them improve their sailing ability and to learn new skills.

Training is also available to non-members by offering them temporary membership for a limited period. A temporary membership fee is included in the course cost and will be deducted from the membership fee for those joining the Club within one year of completing the course.

Tuition is given by RYA trained and qualified instructors. Beginners are able to learn the basics of dinghy sailing in a safe, friendly and enjoyable environment. Draycote Water Sailing Club is an RYA Recognised Training Centre and is registered with The Adventure Activities Licensing Service as licensed to provide Sailing (Confirm on 029 2075 5715).

### Adult courses

Taster Sessions

RYA Start Sailing / Basic Skills Level 1 & 2.

RYA Better Sailing

RYA Seamanship Skills

RYA Sailing with Spinnakers

RYA Start Racing

RYA Performance Sailing

### Youth & Junior courses

RYA Stage 1

RYA Stage 2

RYA Stage 3

RYA Stage 4

RYA Better Sailing

RYA Seamanship Skills

RYA Sailing with Spinnakers

RYA Performance Sailing

### Youth Club

Beginners and Recreational Sailing and Junior Race Training including:

RYA Start Racing

RYA Intermediate Racing

### Specialist courses

RYA Powerboat Level 2

RYA Safety Boat

RYA Small Craft First Aid .

RYA Day Skipper – shorebased

Marine VHF – SRC certificate

### Instructor Training

RYA Dinghy Instructor Courses – available to experienced sailors only

### Windsurfing

Please contact Max Thurlow on 01788 814418 or

info@onboardsurfandsail.co.uk

**Times** (unless otherwise stated)

Day courses run from 9.30am to 5.00pm

Evening sessions run from 6.30pm to 9.00pm

### Cancellation

Refunds will only be given if cancellation is made 14 days before the start of the course.

If DWSC cancels a course for any reason, a full refund will be given.

DWSC cannot accept responsibility for courses disrupted by the weather, but may re-arrange them where possible.

### Liability

Sailing is an action sport and whilst DWSC takes every precaution to ensure safety it cannot accept responsibility for accidental loss or injury howsoever caused.

### Clothing

We provide wetsuits, spray tops and buoyancy aids for all courses. You will need to bring footwear (old trainers or wetsuit boots), something to wear under the wetsuit (swimming costume and t-shirt) and a warm (fleece) top. Hats are always useful, to protect from the cold or the sun. If the sun is shining on the day of your course, then don't forget sun-cream, sunglasses and maybe even a pair of shorts!

### Important Notes

A packed lunch may also be appropriate.

Cheques should be made payable to Draycote Water Sailing Club Ltd.

All major credit cards accepted.

### Special Offers

Early Booking – 5% off for those who complete their booking 6 weeks or more before the course begins.

Group Booking – 5% off for groups of 3 or more booking onto the same course.

Taster - £20 off a Start Sailing/Basic Skills course for those who have done a Taster session with us.

Should you need further help to choose your course, please contact us:

**Draycote Water Sailing Club Ltd**

**Kites Hardwick**

**Rugby**

**Warwickshire**

**CV23 8AB**

**Tel: 01788 811153**

**E-mail: office@draycotewater.co.uk**

**www.draycotewater.co.uk**

## BOATS AND OTHER KIT

**Topaz XENON** – Fast, fun and forgiving, this new addition to our fleet in 2006 is used on Start Sailing / Basic Skills courses as well as Sailing with Spinnakers and Performance Sailing. The Xenon is a double-hander that carries an asymmetric spinnaker and is the boat used for the Champion of Champions trophy, the Endeavour.

**Wayfarer World** – A classic double-hander that provides a stable teaching platform. These will be used on Start Sailing / Basic Skills, Seamanship Skills and Sailing with Spinnaker (symmetric) courses.

**RS200** – A hugely popular club racer, this asymmetric double-hander will be used on Sailing with Spinnakers and Performance Sailing.

**Laser** – An Olympic single-hander with 3 rigs to match the sailor's size and weight. A performance boat that's easy to sail, but hard to sail well. When used in their 4.7 mode, these boats come fully kitted out with the XD pack.

**Laser Pico** – A versatile training boat, usually used in its single sail/single-hander mode. These boats are similar to a Laser, but less powerful and more durable, making them ideal for the beginner. The rig provides the option of a jib, to introduce juniors to double-handed sailing.

**RS Tera** – A modern single-hander suitable for junior sailors. This boat has been chosen as an ISAF class.

**RS Feva** – Double-hander. An exciting asymmetric spinnaker boat popular with Youth & Junior sailors, this class is recognised by the RYA and ISAF. You will find these boats being used on Stage 4 and Sailing with Spinnakers courses.

**Cadet** – Double-hander. Another RYA recognised class, this symmetric spinnaker double-hander is very popular at the club with regular RYA race training taking place. You will find these boats being used on Stage 4 and Sailing with Spinnakers courses.

We are continually trying to develop the training fleet at Draycote, and hope to be able to supplement the above during the 2010 season.



## Prices held to 2008 rates for all courses (continued into 2010)

### Added value to beginner sailing courses (continued into 2010)

- Temporary membership now includes free boat hire
- 2 free Supervised Sailing sessions for those completing RYA Basic Skills courses
- 2 free Youth Club sessions for those completing 4/5 day Youth & Junior courses

### Get Back Into Sailing – see page 5

A series of early season warm up sessions to help regain skills and confidence which may be a little shy after a winter's break.

### Supervised Sailing – see page 5

These Friday pm sessions, started in 09 now start at a later time – see page 9

### Can Sail Can't Race – see page 5

A 4 day course that includes the Start Racing syllabus aimed at non racing sailors. The student will participate in race training exercises and be coached around the race course. An excellent way to get into Club racing.

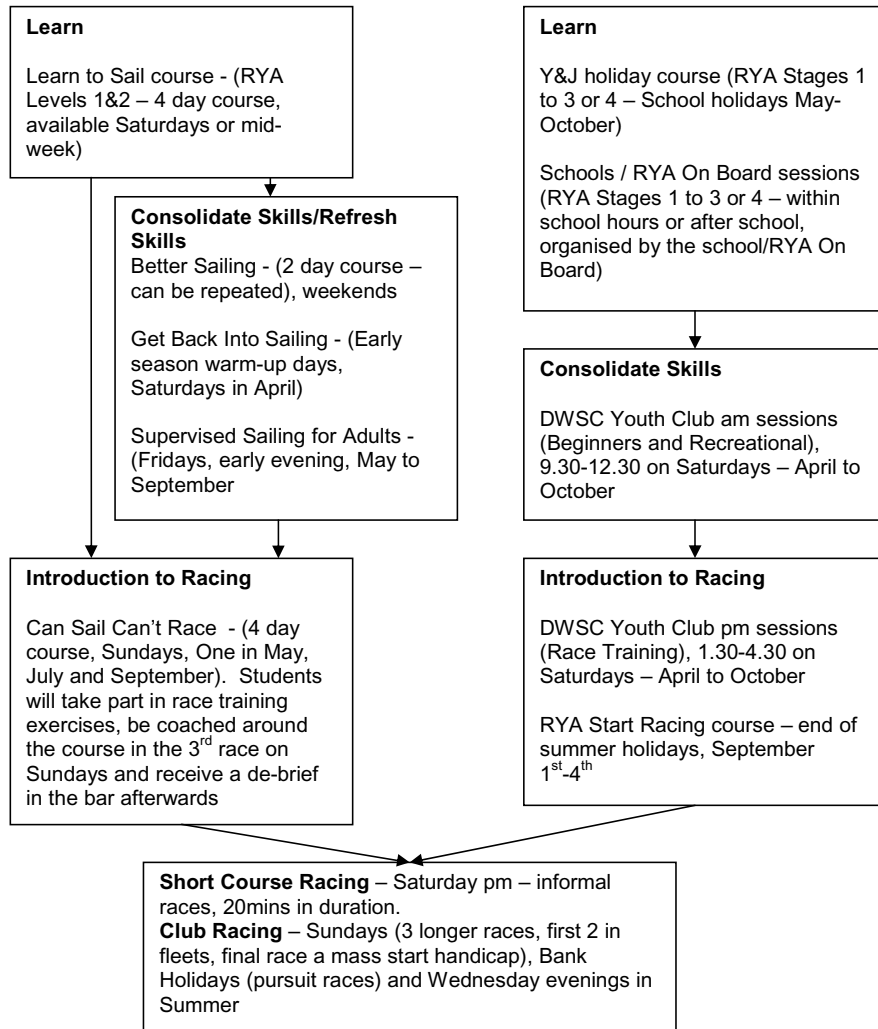
### Now a recognised RYA Shorebased Centre – see page 10

Draycote Water Sailing Club gained recognition to teach the following courses in 2009:

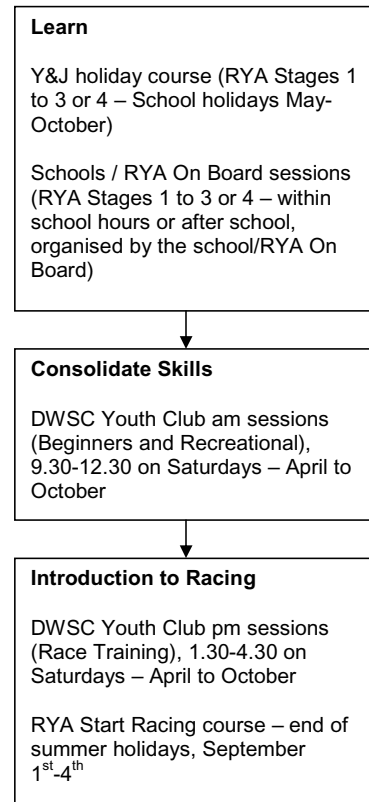
- Basic Navigation and Safety
- Day Skipper Shorebased Course
- VHF Marine Radio (SRC)



## ADULTS



## YOUTH & JUNIOR



We hope you will enjoy learning to sail at Draycote Water Sailing Club.

Once you have successfully completed your course, it is important to get some regular sailing in so that you can consolidate on your skills. Here are some of the opportunities that will be open to you at Draycote.

### Boat Hire

Hiring boats is a great way to avoid the financial commitment of owning one – especially when you are not 100% sure of what is the best boat for you. Boats are available for hire to club members who hold RYA National Sailing Scheme Level 2 (Dinghy), RYA Youth Sailing Scheme Stage 3 or above. Cost is £12.50 - £25 per half day, depending on the boat. Hiring of boats is free and unlimited to those on the Platinum Scheme.

### Temporary Membership

Those of you completing a Level 2 course have temporary membership of the club lasting 4 weeks after the end of your course. Please make full use of the Club facilities during this time. It is important that you get sailing again after the end of your course to bed in the skills learned, this is an excellent time to be hiring a boat for which there is no charge for temporary members during the 2010 season! Temporary membership can also give you money off full membership.

### Club Membership

Full details can be found on the Club website [www.draycotewater.co.uk](http://www.draycotewater.co.uk). Click on 'Joining Information' at the bottom of the home page.

### Platinum Scheme

Draycote Water Sailing Club and Onboard Surf & Sail are now offering watersports fanatics the Platinum Package. It's a great bundle of perks for those who want to be members of the club and get access to some real money-saving benefits.

#### What are the benefits of the Platinum Package scheme?

- **Club membership** – As a member taking up the Platinum Package scheme you will receive all the benefits of being a member of Draycote Sailing Club, including use of the club's facilities, rescue cover on the water, race events etc.
- **Free and unlimited hire of DWSC's training fleet equipment or Onboard's windsurfing kit.** Kit can be booked online with the new online booking system up to 10 days in advance, to ensure you have the kit to get out on the water when it suits you. (Kit is subject to availability.)
- **Free two-day RYA courses.** As a member taking up the Platinum Package scheme you can take as many two-day sailing/windsurfing courses as you wish. (Courses are subject to ability.)
- **Money off RYA courses:** If you decide to sign up to the scheme within 7 days of completing your RYA beginner's course we will refund you £50 per person for each member who took part.
- **Free use of the centre wetsuits, buoyancy aids and spray-tops during the summer.**

For Family members taking up the Platinum Package scheme, benefits also include:

- **Money off Youth & Junior courses:** £50 off 4/5 day Youth and Junior courses for under 18's.
- **Free Youth Club:** Kids under 18 can participate in the Youth Club free of charge, held on Saturdays. For sailors there is a Youth & Junior sailing session in the mornings and racing in the afternoons. For windsurfers there is a Team 15 club.

#### Apart from these benefits, why else should I join up?

- **No need to own your own kit:** The Platinum Package is ideal for those who don't own their own boats or boards. With free unlimited hire you can take advantage of kit hire when you want. (Kit hire can be booked as far ahead as 10 days and is available for up to 3 hours at a time).
- **Spread the cost with monthly payments:** As a member taking up the Platinum Package scheme, you can pay on a monthly basis
- **Club racing:** Members taking up the Platinum Package scheme can also take part in Club racing if they have suitable experience. Simply book out your boat or board on our online booking system and get involved in the racing side of your sport.

### Prices

The Platinum Package is payable yearly or on a monthly basis (minimum 12 month commitment). From April 1<sup>st</sup> 2009, the cost of the Platinum Scheme is as follows:

- Ordinary adult membership: £672 or £56 per month
- Family membership (2 adults and all dependents under 18): £972 or £81 per month

Or, if you're into both sailing AND windsurfing, you can choose the dual membership, which covers you for both sports:

- Adult ordinary dual membership: £912 or £76 per month
- Family dual membership (2 adults and all dependents under 18): £1212 or £101 per month

**RYA Dinghy Instructor**

For the experienced dinghy sailor who would like to learn the skills needed to teach others to sail. Pre-requisites to do the course:

- Pre-entry Assessment
- Hold a valid First Aid certificate
- RYA Powerboat Level 2
- 16+ years old

If you would like to discuss your suitability to do this course, then please call the office and ask to speak to Adam Pretty.

**Pre-entry Assessment**

Come on the dates listed, or book an individual session.

**RYA Assistant Instructor**

For experienced sailors who wish to go on and train as RYA Dinghy Instructors. Assistant Instructors may work, under supervision of a Senior Instructor, on courses up to the level of Basic skills Level 2 (National Sailing Scheme) or Stage 3 (Youth Sailing Scheme). The award is valid only at the centre/club where the course was taken. Candidates should hold one of the advanced modules of the National Sailing Scheme.

**RYA Advanced Instructor Endorsement**

For RYA Dinghy Instructors who wish to teach the Sailing with Spinnakers and Performance Sailing modules of the National Sailing Scheme. Candidates should have 1 years instructing experience. If you are interested in doing this course, then please call the office and ask to speak to Adam Pretty.

**RYA Racing Instructor Endorsement**

For RYA Dinghy Instructors who wish to teach the Start Racing module from the National Sailing Scheme. Candidates should have 1 years instructing experience. If you are interested in doing this course, then please call the office and ask to speak to Adam Pretty.

**RYA Senior Instructor**

RYA Dinghy Instructors wishing to take this award should be recommended by their Principal, hold RYA Safety Boat, hold a valid First Aid certificate and be 18+ years old. Candidates should have at least 1 years full-time / 2 years part-time experience of instructing.

|   |  |   |  |
|---|--|---|--|
| <b>RYA Dinghy Instructor</b>  | June 1 to 5<br>July 26 to 31<br>October 25 to 30 | Tuesday to Saturday<br>Monday to Saturday<br>Monday to Saturday | <b>Ref: DI1</b><br><b>Ref: DI2</b><br><b>Ref: DI3</b>                        |
| <b>Non-members £230.00</b>  |  | <b>Members £125.00</b>  |  |
| <b>Pre-entry Assessment</b>   | March 13<br>May 16<br>July 11<br>October 10      | Saturday<br>Sunday<br>Sunday<br>Sunday                          | <b>Ref: PRE1</b><br><b>Ref: PRE2</b><br><b>Ref: PRE3</b><br><b>Ref: PRE4</b> |
| <b>Non-members £65.00</b>   |  | <b>Members £35.00</b>   |  |
| Individual assessments, see Individual Tuition for rates.   |  |   |  |
| <b>RYA Assistant Instructor</b>   | June 1 to 5                                      | Tuesday to Friday   | <b>Ref: AI</b>   |
| <b>Members only £80.00</b>  |  |   |  |
| <b>RYA Racing Instructor Endorsement</b>  | June 13  | Sunday  | <b>Ref: RI</b>   |
| A 1-day course, usually included on the Dinghy Instructor courses for candidates with sufficient racing experience. |  |   |  |
| <b>Non-members £90.00</b>   |  | <b>Members £45.00</b>   |  |
| <b>RYA Senior Instructor</b>  | October 16 & 17<br>November 6 & 7 (DWSC)         | Saturday/Sundays  | <b>Ref: SI</b>   |
| <b>Members &amp; Non-members £125.00</b> Bookings to be made via RYA RDO – gareth.brookes@rya.org.uk                |  |   |  |

**Pre-season Warm-up End of Season Blast**

These days of coaching are aimed at instructors and potential instructors in the region to raise levels of personal sailing. See page 5 for details.

**LEARN TO SAIL**

**RYA Start Sailing & RYA Basic Skills**

Otherwise known as Level 1 & 2, a 4-day course suitable for beginners. This will take you through the basics of sailing and also deal with aspects of safety. On completion of this course, the successful sailor will be competent to sail a boat unsupervised in light conditions and eligible to hire one of the Club's training fleet.

**Weekend Courses**

|  |                         |                     |                |
|--|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| <b>Early Bird</b>  | May 1, 8, 15, 22        | Saturdays           | <b>Ref: D1</b> |
| <b>Mid Summer</b>  | June 5, 12, 19, 26      | Saturdays           | <b>Ref: D2</b> |
| <b>Sailaway</b>  | July 3, 10, 17, 24      | Saturdays           | <b>Ref: D3</b> |
| <b>Weekender</b>   | August 14, 15, 21, 22   | Saturdays & Sundays | <b>Ref: D4</b> |
| <b>Late Summer</b>   | September 4, 11, 18, 25 | Saturdays           | <b>Ref: D5</b> |
| <b>Autumn</b>  | October 2, 9, 16, 23    | Saturdays           | <b>Ref: D6</b> |
| <b>£305 Non-members</b>  |                         | <b>£265 Members</b> |                |
| Non-member price includes a £40 temporary membership fee that continues for one month after course completion, includes boat hire and can be credited on joining the Club. |                         |                     |                |

**Midweek Courses**

|  |   |                     |                   |
|--|---|---------------------|-------------------|
| <b>May</b>   | May 18 <sup>th</sup> – 21 <sup>st</sup>       | Tuesday – Friday    | <b>Ref: MW1</b>   |
| <b>June</b>  | June 15 <sup>th</sup> – 18 <sup>th</sup>      | Tuesday – Friday    | <b>Ref: MW2</b>   |
| <b>July</b>  | July 13 <sup>th</sup> – 16 <sup>th</sup>      | Tuesday – Friday    | <b>Ref: MW3</b>   |
| <b>August</b>  | August 24 <sup>th</sup> – 27 <sup>th</sup>    | Tuesday – Friday    | <b>Ref: MW4**</b> |
| <b>September</b>   | September 14 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> | Tuesday – Friday    | <b>Ref: MW5</b>   |
| <b>October</b>   | October 12 <sup>th</sup> – 15 <sup>th</sup>   | Tuesday – Friday    | <b>Ref: MW6</b>   |
| <b>£290 Non-members</b>  |   | <b>£250 Members</b> |                   |
| Non-member price includes a £40 temporary membership fee that continues for one month after course completion, includes boat hire and can be credited on joining the Club. |   |                     |                   |

**\*\* MW4 coincides with Youth & Junior course JD7 for those wishing to learn as a family.**

**Taster Sessions**

An opportunity to find out more about this family sport. Sailing is supplemented with advice from experienced instructors. 1½ hours on the water, phone the office to make your booking.

**£55 for boat and instructor, £10 per additional person, maximum 3 persons.**

**SAIL BETTER – GO FASTER!**

**Get Back Into Sailing**

3 early season Saturdays to get you back into sailing after a few months lay off during the winter. These sessions will be supervised by RYA instructors who will aim to get you back on to the water safely and efficiently, reminding you to do the things that you may have forgotten and pushing you forward once you have got going again. You may attend some or all of the sessions.

|   |                  |           |                  |
|---|------------------|-----------|------------------|
| <b>Get Back Into Sailing</b>  | April 10, 17, 24 | Saturdays | <b>Ref: GBIS</b> |
| <b>£15 per session Members    £25 per session Non-members    (RYA funded)</b> |                  |           |                  |

**Supervised Sailing**

After a long week at work, why not relax with a series of summer Friday evening sessions to help consolidate on the skills learned on a course? These sessions will be supervised by an instructor who will make sure that you get rigged correctly, get afloat smoothly and offer you other tips as necessary. Participants should pre-book their session and equipment through the office.

|   |  |  |                 |
|---|--|--|-----------------|
| <b>Supervised Sailing</b>   | May 21 – July 30,<br>August 6 -<br>September 10, | Friday evenings<br>6pm- 8.30pm.<br>Friday evenings 5pm –<br>water closing time | <b>Ref: SSA</b> |
| <b>£10 per session Members (Club boat)    £5 per session Members (own boat)<br/>£20 per session Non-members    (RYA funded)</b> |  |  |                 |

**RYA Better Sailing**

This pilot improver course seeks to bridge the gap between Basic Skills (L2) and the four advanced modules (see below) and is intended to make the transition easier for those sailors wishing to progress through the scheme, allowing them opportunity to develop their techniques and skills and also have a taster of what some of the advanced modules have to offer.

|   |                |                   |                 |
|---|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| <b>Better Sailing 1</b>                               | August 28, 29  | Saturday & Sunday | <b>Ref: BS1</b> |
| <b>Better Sailing 2</b>                               | October 30, 31 | Saturday & Sunday | <b>Ref: BS2</b> |
| <b>£20 Members    £30 Non-members    (RYA funded)</b> |                |                   |                 |

**RYA ADVANCED MODULES**

**Can Sail Can't Race including RYA Start Racing**

A 4 day (instead of the usual 2 for Start Racing) course designed to give the non-racer / Basic Skills Level 2 sailor the confidence, skills and knowledge to take part in club racing in moderate conditions. The course involves the sailor in a range of enjoyable exercises designed to build confidence and to improve skills through practice. On each afternoon of the course, you will get the opportunity to take part in Club racing followed by a de-brief from the coach in the bar.

|  |                       |         |                   |
|--|-----------------------|---------|-------------------|
| <b>Can Sail, Can't Race 1</b>                          | May 9, 16, 23, 30     | Sundays | <b>Ref: CSCR1</b> |
| <b>Can Sail, Can't Race 2</b>                          | July 4, 11, 18, 25    | Sundays | <b>Ref: CSCR2</b> |
| <b>Can Sail, Can't Race 3</b>                          | Sept 19, 26, Oct 3,10 | Sundays | <b>Ref: CSCR2</b> |
| <b>£60 Members    £100 Non-members    (RYA funded)</b> |                       |         |                   |

**POWERBOAT**

|  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|
| <b>RYA Powerboat Level 2</b><br><i>Learn to handle a variety of planing hulls at speeds of up to 25 knots</i>  | February 20 & 21<br>April 10 & 11<br>June 19 & 26<br>July 17 & 24<br>Sept 18 & 25<br>Dec 11 & 12 | Saturday/Sunday<br>Saturday/Sunday<br>Saturdays<br>Saturdays<br>Saturdays<br>Saturday/Sunday | <b>Ref: PB1</b><br><b>Ref: PB2</b><br><b>Ref: PB3</b><br><b>Ref: PB4</b><br><b>Ref: PB5</b><br><b>Ref: PB6</b> |
| <b>Non-members £210.00</b>   |  | <b>Members £95.00</b>  |  |
| <b>RYA Safety Boat</b><br><i>Learn the skills required to act as an escort craft, patrol boat, or coach boat</i>   | May 1 & 2<br>Nov 20 & 27   | Saturday/Sunday<br>Saturdays   | <b>Ref: SB1</b><br><b>Ref: SB2</b>   |
| <b>Non-members £210.00</b>   |  | <b>Members £95.00</b>  |  |
| <b>RYA Powerboat Level 2 / ICC Assessment</b><br><i>Practical assessment for experienced powerboat helms, Inland certificates will be awarded to successful candidates. ICC candidates must complete CEVNI test paper.</i> |  | Dates by arrangement   | <b>Ref: IPA</b>  |
| <b>Non-members £95</b>   |  | <b>Members £45</b>   |  |

**FIRST AID**

|  |                          |                      |                                    |
|--|--------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|
| <b>RYA Small Craft First Aid</b><br><i>This is a basic First Aid course of value to everyone and a requirement for all RYA Instructors. Valid for 3 years.</i> | February 13<br>October 9 | Saturday<br>Saturday | <b>Ref: FA1</b><br><b>Ref: FA2</b> |
| <b>Non-members £65</b>   |                          | <b>Members £45</b>   |                                    |
| On top of the course fee, you are required to purchase the First Aid Manual p.o.a.   |                          |                      |                                    |

**NAVIGATION & SHORE-BASED**

**RYA Basic Navigation and Safety**

This course gives a basic introduction to navigation and safety for anyone new to boating: sailors, powerboaters, sea anglers, divers and boatmasters. Also useful for experienced dinghy and keelboat sailors and inshore racers. Dates and price on application.

**RYA Day Skipper Course**

A comprehensive introduction to chartwork, navigation, meteorology and the basics of seamanship. Invaluable for learning how to start making decisions on board and if you are considering taking the Day Skipper practical course.

|   |
|---|
| <i>Wednesday evenings, excluding school holidays. 7pm - 9.30pm. September 15 – March 2011</i> |
| <b>Members £249, Non-members £299. Price includes Course Pack and Training Almanac</b>        |

**Marine Radio (SRC)**

This radio operator qualification authorises the holder to operate a VHF radio fitted with Digital Selective Calling on board any British vessel which is voluntarily fitted with radio equipment. Dates and price on application.

## YOUTH CLUB

*For Club members only*

**Saturdays 10<sup>th</sup> April – 23<sup>rd</sup> October**

**Morning Session 9.30am – 12.30pm**  
**Beginners and Recreational**

**Afternoon Session 1.30pm – 4.30pm**  
**Junior Race Training.**

**Participants are required to provide their own winter wetsuits or dry suits during the winter months (November to May inclusive).**

The morning session provides young sailors, who are club members and have done a sailing course at Draycote Water, with a chance to practise their sailing skills under supervision. The sessions will be supervised by an RYA Instructor who will offer safety cover and give some informal tuition. The aim will be consolidation of skills already learned. The progression onto new skills will remain the domain of the RYA courses already offered by the club.

Those wishing to do the Race Training should be able to sail upwind and gybe (RYA Stage 3). The sessions will teach techniques associated with racing; rules, tactics, starting, sail and rig trim, and boat handling.

All sessions must be pre-booked through the office (to avoid disappointment as places are limited). Those booking sessions for individual Saturdays must book by 2pm the preceding Thursday. Bookings may be made for both sessions of the day, however the club does not provide lunchtime supervision.

Club boats will be available. Those wishing to use their own boats may do so, providing they are in a suitable condition.

|  |
|--|
| <b>£9.00 per session using Club boat, £4.00 per session using own boat ***</b>   |
| <b>£48 for block of 6 pre-booked sessions (Club boat), £20 using own boat***</b> |

\*\*\* Boats must be in a seaworthy condition and of a suitable class

**Look out on [www.draycotewater.co.uk](http://www.draycotewater.co.uk) for details of class training days in the 29er, Feva , Tera and Laser from RYA Racing coaches. Also on the website, look out for details of Short Course and Asymmetric racing.**

## SAIL BETTER – GO FASTER!

### RYA Seamanship Skills

This 2-day course progresses the boat handling skills learned on the Basic Skills to a higher level, enabling the successful sailor to manoeuvre the dinghy in a seamanlike manner and make seamanlike decisions in moderate conditions. Skills taught on this course include heaving to, reefing afloat, sailing backwards, recovering a person overboard, anchoring and sailing without a rudder/centreboard. This course is excellent preparation for potential instructors wishing to take the Pre-entry Assessment.

|   |            |                         |                 |
|---|------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| <b>Seamanship Skills 1</b>  | May 29, 30 | Saturday & Sunday       | <b>Ref: SS1</b> |
| <b>£95 Members</b>  |            | <b>£160 Non-members</b> |                 |
| Non-member price includes £20 temporary membership fee that can be credited on joining the club |            |                         |                 |

### RYA Sailing with Spinnakers

This 2-day course teaches the sailor how to handle a boat rigged with either an asymmetric or symmetric spinnaker (a large sail used for sailing downwind), learning how to hoist, drop, gybe and trim the sail and how to sail the best course downwind. The sailor should have already mastered the skills required for Basic Skills Level 2 before taking this course. The successful sailor will be eligible to hire one of the Club's training boats complete with spinnaker kit on completion of this course.

|   |             |                         |                  |
|---|-------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| <b>Sailing with Spinnakers 1</b>  | June 26, 27 | Saturday & Sunday       | <b>Ref: SWS1</b> |
| <b>£95 Members</b>  |             | <b>£160 Non-members</b> |                  |
| Non-member price includes £20 temporary membership fee that can be credited on joining the club |             |                         |                  |

*All of the above courses (apart from Start Racing) are also available as individual tuition.*

### End of Season Blast

This weekend of coaching is aimed at instructors and potential instructors from the Midlands, in order to lift their level of personal sailing.

### Seamanship Skills – As above

### Sailing with Spinnakers – As above

### RYA Performance Sailing

A 2-day course aimed at the Basic Skills Level 2 who has consolidated their skills with at least a full season's sailing (preferably having completed a Sailing with Spinnakers course). On completion of this course, the successful candidate will understand how to sail performance dinghies in a variety of wind conditions, sailing the boat to best advantage at all times. The course will be run in two-person spinnaker boats.

|                                    |                 |                   |                       |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Seamanship Skills ESB</b>       | November 13,14  | Saturday & Sunday | <b>Ref: ESB - SS</b>  |
| <b>Sailing with Spinnakers ESB</b> | November 13, 14 | Saturday & Sunday | <b>Ref: ESB - SWS</b> |
| <b>Performance Sailing ESB</b>     | November 13, 14 | Saturday & Sunday | <b>Ref: ESB - PS</b>  |
| <b>£20</b>                         |                 |                   |                       |

### Pre Season Warm Up

This day of coaching is aimed at instructors and potential instructors from the Midlands, in order to lift their level of personal sailing. There are clinics on Performance Sailing, Seamanship Skills and Windsurfing on offer.

|                                 |          |          |                       |
|---------------------------------|----------|----------|-----------------------|
| <b>Seamanship Skills PSWU</b>   | March 27 | Saturday | <b>Ref: PSWU - SS</b> |
| <b>Performance Sailing PSWU</b> | March 27 | Saturday | <b>Ref: PSWU - PS</b> |
| <b>Windsurfing PSWU</b>         | March 27 | Saturday | <b>Ref: PSWU - W</b>  |
| <b>£10</b>                      |          |          |                       |

**SAIL BETTER – GO FASTER!**

The Adult Courses shown indicate our basic programme. However, for those who find these dates unsuitable, individual tuition is available by arrangement. Please call the office and ask to speak to Adam Pretty.

**Individual Tuition**

|  |                                 |  |
|--|---------------------------------|--|
| <b>RYA Start Sailing Level 1</b><br><b>RYA Basic Skills Level 2</b><br>Two trainees per boat   | Four days<br>or eight half-days | <b>Non-members £320.00</b><br><b>Members £280.00</b> |
| <b>RYA Start Sailing Level 1</b><br><b>RYA Basic Skills Level 2</b><br>One trainee per boat  | Four days<br>or eight half-days | <b>Non-members £430.00</b><br><b>Members £390.00</b> |
| Non-member price includes a £40 temporary membership fee that continues for one month after course completion, includes boat hire and can be credited on joining the Club. |                                 |  |

**Special Individual Tuition**

|   |                          |   |
|---|--------------------------|---|
| Tuition is available for all aspects of dinghy sailing        | Day(s) and times to suit | Per session per boat<br><b>Club boat £85.00</b><br><b>Own boat £75.00</b> |
| Non-members to pay an additional £10 temporary membership fee |                          |   |

**Boat Hire**

When not in use for training, the club boats may be hired by experienced members. Adults are required to hold RYA Level 2 Juniors RYA Stage 3 (Pico & Tera) / RYA Stage 4 (Cadet & Feva).

|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>Boat Hire</b><br>Wayfarer, Xenon<br>Feva<br>Cadet, Laser, Pico<br>Tera | Per half day or evening<br><b>£25.00</b><br><b>£20.00</b><br><b>£15.00</b><br><b>£12.50</b> |
|---|---|

**Equipment Hire**

|  |   |
|--|---|
| <b>Equipment</b><br>Wetsuit<br>Buoyancy Aid<br>Trapeze Harness | Per half day or evening<br><b>£3.00</b><br><b>£3.00</b><br><b>£3.00</b> |
|--|---|

**RYA Stage 1**

This is an introductory course giving a basic understanding of how a boat sails, and some experience of steering and handling the boat. Stages 2 and 3 will complete the introduction to the sport in easy stages.

**RYA Stage 2**

By the end of this course, the young sailor will have a range of sailing skills and background knowledge, and be well on the way to being a confident small boat sailor.

**RYA Stage 3**

Having completed Stage 3, the young sailor will be able to sail in any direction and rig and launch their boat. The young sailor will now possess the skills and knowledge to regard themselves as a sailor and not a beginner. Stage 3 sailors are eligible to hire one of the Club's single-handed training boats.

**RYA Stage 4**

Successful completion of this course gives the sailor the skills to sail a double-handed boat as crew or helm, and solve a variety of problems afloat. Passing this course is the natural entry point for the advanced courses in the RYA National Sailing Scheme and also makes you eligible to hire one of the Club's Feva or Cadet sailing dinghies.

**RYA Advanced Courses**

RYA Seamanship Skills, RYA Sailing with Spinnakers, RYA Performance Sailing, and RYA Start Racing. For detail of the content of these courses, please see the Sail Better – Go Faster pages of this brochure (pgs 4-5). This year, we are putting on specific courses on specific dates. Sailors should hold RYA Stage 4 or be of equivalent ability before signing up.

|  |                         |                   |                           |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>RYA Stages 3&amp;4, RYA Seamanship Skills</b>           | April 6 - 9             | Tuesday to Friday | <b>Ref: JD1 &amp; SS*</b> |
| <b>RYA Stages 1,2,3&amp;4, RYA Sailing with Spinnakers</b> | June 1 - 4              | Tuesday to Friday | <b>Ref: JD2 &amp; SWS</b> |
| <b>RYA Stages 1,2,3&amp;4</b>                              | July 26-30              | Monday to Friday  | <b>Ref: JD3</b>           |
| <b>RYA Stages 1,2,3&amp;4, RYA Seamanship Skills</b>       | August 2 - 6            | Monday to Friday  | <b>Ref: JD4 &amp; SS</b>  |
| <b>RYA Stages 1,2,3&amp;4, RYA Sailing with Spinnakers</b> | August 9 - 13           | Monday to Friday  | <b>Ref: JD5 &amp; SWS</b> |
| <b>RYA Stages 1,2,3&amp;4, RYA Performance Sailing</b>     | August 16 - 20          | Monday to Friday  | <b>Ref: JD6 &amp; PS</b>  |
| <b>RYA Stages 1,2,3&amp;4 – coincides with MW4 see P3</b>  | August 23 - 27          | Monday to Friday  | <b>Ref: JD7</b>           |
| <b>RYA Stages 1,2,3&amp;4, RYA Start Racing</b>            | August 31 – September 3 | Tuesday to Friday | <b>Ref: JD8 &amp; SR</b>  |
| <b>RYA Stages 3&amp;4</b>                                  | October 25 - 29         | Monday to Friday  | <b>Ref: JD9*</b>          |

|                                  |                                    |                     |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Monday to Friday Courses</b>  | <b>Club boat: £250 Non-members</b> | <b>£220 Members</b> |
|                                  | <b>Own boat: £225 Non-members</b>  | <b>£195 Members</b> |
| <b>Tuesday to Friday Courses</b> | <b>Club boat: £210 Non-members</b> | <b>£180 Members</b> |
|                                  | <b>Own boat: £185 Non-members</b>  | <b>£155 Members</b> |

Those booking the course as a non-member will receive a £30 reduction on membership taken out before October 31<sup>st</sup> 2010. Membership is required to participate in the Youth Club.

\* Participants to provide their own 'full' wetsuit / dry suit for these courses and must be able to sail to RYA Stage 2 standard.