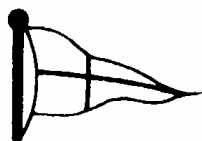


Williamstown Sailing Club

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Williamstown

Reg. No. A803

"LEARN TO SAIL" TRAINING COURSES 2009-2010

The Club conducts these courses during the sailing season and they are designed for those who wish to sail in small craft. The aim is to enable students to sail a small yacht competently and to gain confidence so that sailing is both safe and enjoyable. Preference for places in the Learn to Sail programs is given to members of Williamstown Sailing Club. Current non members are invited to join the Club prior to the Training Course, and you will then be able to undertake the training for a minimum administration fee. Williamstown Sailing Club is currently applying to become an accredited Yachting Australia Training Centre.

The course involves both classroom and on the water training covering the basics of sailing under the guidance of experienced sailing members of the Club. Sailing is conducted in Mirror and Pacer dinghies (two and three person boats) and a trailable five-person yacht - an Explorer 16. Aspects of the course include :-

- common terms used in sailing
- rig, hull and sails
- ropes and knots
- rigging and de-rigging
- safety equipment and clothing
- rowing and paddling
- launching and recovery
- sailing to all points
- right of way - rules of the road
- righting a capsized yacht
- person overboard recovery
- effects of wind and tides

There are two courses a year, each consisting of three Thursday evening sessions (7.30 to 10.00 p.m.) and five "on-the-water" sessions (weather permitting) on Sundays (9am to 1 p.m.) commencing early November, and early February.

The dates for 2009-2010 season are

Course 1: Thursday November 5, 12 and 19 and Sundays 8,15,22,29 and December 6.

Course 2: Thursdays February 11,18 and 25 and Sundays 14,21,28 and March 14 and 21.

Costs (2009- 2010)

Non-members

W.S.C. members

Adults

\$300

\$26 (covers Logbook and registration with Yachting Australia)

Juniors (min. 12 yrs - 16)

\$150

\$26 (covers Logbook and registration with Yachting Australia)

If you are interested in participating in one of these courses please complete the form below and send to the club by email or post. The club will then send you application forms for the course, this will preferably be done by email where possible. Payment for the course must be made at least 2 weeks prior to the start of the course. At this stage payment must be by cash or cheque.

We recommend a visit to the Club on any Saturday to inspect our facilities.

Enquiries - Bill Pride, 9397 5596 or Allan O'Brien, 9397 5841.

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The Training Officer
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Date:

I wish to receive and enrolment form for the "Learn to Sail" training course commencing in

NAME (please print).....(Age if under 18).....

ADDRESS:.....

..... POST CODE.....

Email:

TELEPHONE Day.....Evening.....