

Spinnaker Youth Training



2018 Season begins here!

- Spinnaker Youth Training is a pathway programme run by Spinnaker's Training Centre for the Club, and is run adjacently to but is not an RYA course.
- Aim to accommodate all abilities and see progression from beginner to racing with a view to see some of our sailors compete in Zone/Traveller series.

Winter Sailors' Achievements

- **Spinnaker Team Racers**, a handful of junior SYT sailors who've sailed through the levels last year attended the ET's team racing event at Oxford ran by the RYA and were also sponsored by Marine Guard for the event. (see notice board)
- **Kieran Young**, Optimist worlds in Thailand with a small number of other GB sailors.
- **Adele Young** and **Daniel Burns** who both started sailing at Spinnaker on Sunday mornings and have qualified for the 420 World's and European Championships, since then they've sailed in this event and have carried on to compete at the high GB level with in the squad.

Who's who?

- CHIEF INSTRUCTOR
Tim Murdoch
- YOUTH CO-ORDINATOR
Sarah Andersen
- TRAINING CENTRE PRINCIPAL
John Clarke
- OPTIMIST CLASS CAPTAIN
Peter Chambers
• SYT OPTIMIST POC
Rowena Staples
- TOPPER CLASS CAPTAIN
Request new Topper Captain
- LASER CLASS CAPTAIN
Joe Gallivan (soon to change)
- COACHES
Rorie Overy
Pippa Radford (returning 3rd June)
Adele Young
Dom Pottinger
Chloe Barrett
Rui Simpson

This year SYT will be in 3 Blocks:

Block 1: 5th May to the 9th June

Block 2: 17th June to the 22nd July (booking open 03/06/2018)

Block 3: 9th September to the 14th October (bookings open 24/08/2018)

09:30

Rigged and Ready!

Group briefing by Lead Instructor

10:00

approx.

All groups on the water

11:40

Race, Topper & Lasers off the water

11:45

Race briefing by Race Hut – Sign In

12:00

Junior Race starts & Beg. off the water

12:30

approx.

Session end

2018 Format

Group Progression

Beginners to Lowers	Tack – using correct technique Gybe – using correct technique Have basic understanding of wind direction
Lowers to Uppers	Understands and can demonstrate knowledge of Points of Sail Can sail a Triangle with little to no instruction. Has basic understanding of 5 Essentials and can demonstrate them some of the time Can tack/gybe confidently using the correct technique
Uppers to Race	Can sail upwind using the 5 essentials Can sail downwind and gybe from a run Knows the starting procedure Basic knowledge on how to start a race

Junior Race Series

- Racers to register at the race hut with PRO
- All results will be with the main series results and removed for junior series at the end.
- We're not "forcing" every child to race, only encouraging.
- Upper inters wishing to participate, are welcome to, though must inform their coach
- Groups participating in the race are: Race, Topper and Lasers
- This years starts: Lasers with handicap start, Topper and Race Optimists together on separate start.

Team Racing

TEAM SPINNAKER



- Successful winter training 2017/18 with 10-12 sailors in Fevas and Fireflies once a month.
- **RS Feva Nationals** – May 26th-29th Weymouth – 3 boats entered. Not team racing but a great opportunity to hone boat handling skills in pairs
- **Junior Twisted Tube** – Sept 8/9th New event to be hosted at Spinnaker for Junior Team Racing (Feva – 2 boat racing)
- **Eric Twiname October 2018** - Team Spinnaker will again be entering the ET Team Racing Championships – possibly in both Firefly and Feva classes.
- Team Racing Training will take place during SYT – on the last two Sundays of the 6 week block.
- Looking to expand SYT Feva training to more sailors of intermediate standard and above. If interested, let us know.



No SYT block
in the summer
due to:

OPPI CAMP

20/08/2018

Parent Volunteers

- Please, please, please, parents we need your help to be able to run SYT, so please get involved.
- This year, besides beginners, we will require one parent in each boat (if your child is in a group, please don't volunteer for that group).

Junior//Youth Supervision

- All U16s must be under the supervision of an adult club member at all times during SYT.
- If you need to pass responsibility to an alternative adult member during the session please ensure you sign the form which will be located in the SYT registration folder.
- Form looks like this:

Date	Child's Name	Responsible Adult	Designated Adult Proxy	Signed



- As stated in the Club's T&C's: "**7. Images:** *From time to time authorised parties may carry out photography and/or video recording. You agree that we may use such images in promotional advertising or publicity material in any format whatsoever. You further agree that copyright rests with such authorised parties.*"
- The Club are looking at revamping the website and increasing our profile on social media. To do this we need up to date photos of activities, to include SYT as it's the biggest Club event.
- There is a drone to be filming on 7th May to create a promotional video for club.
- If you do not wish your child to be photographed/filmed please inform us.



RS
Feva

Any questions?