

# Rudyard Lake Sailing Club

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## New Member APPLICATION Form 2010.

Adult Members - Title ..... Surname ..... Forenames .....

Address.....  
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 Post Code.....  
 Tele.....  
 'e' mail.....

**If Family Membership.**

**Partners**  
 Title..... Name.....  
**Child/Junior names under 18 yrs - Date of birth**  
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Entrance fee*	£100.00	.....
Family (has voting rights)*	£214.00	.....
Single (has voting rights)*	£169.00	.....
Crew / Training Associate**	£ 71.00	.....
Junior/Student Associate	£ 48.00	.....
County Associate	£ 85.00	.....
Social Associate	£ 46.00	.....
Boat Fee (each)	£ 43.00	.....

**\*Note:**

**For Family and Single membership you need to pay the Entrance fee only in the 1<sup>st</sup> year. You are Full Members and entitled to vote.**

**Associate members are not full members, you do not pay an entrance fee, activities at the club are restricted and you are not entitled to vote.**

\* See note. **Total Due**

\*\* Temporary membership for those taking RYA Training course

<b>Boat Details.</b>			
Class	Boat Number	Boat Name	Helm (if known).
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*Rudyard Lake Sailing Club is run by the members for the benefit of the members. It is therefore vital that all members contribute in some way to the efficient running of the club to ease the burden on the main committee members. In addition to carrying out a number of race duties each year you are asked to indicate in what area(s) you might be able to assist in the running of the club. You may be called upon only occasionally but you may prefer to become more involved by sitting on one of the committees or taking on one of the club officer roles*

Please indicate where you feel you can help run your club :-

- Galley  Facilities team  Jybaz (juniors)  Club Bookings  Social events  Bar  Training   
 Fleet captain / rep.  Race officer  Press publicity  Communications  Newsletter editing

**Declarations**

- I wish to apply for Club Membership for myself and those named above. I/we agree to comply with the rules of the club and agree to undertake any duties allocated to us by the Sailing Committee.
- I/we consent to the personal information recorded above being held on computers used for and on behalf of the Club. Under the Data Protection Act this is a private Club.
- I declare that all boats owned by any of the above and launched at Rudyard Lake shall be insured against Third Party Liability to a minimum sum insured of £2,000,000.

**Junior Members.** (The following to be completed by the parent, guardian or nominee of any person(s) under 18yrs of age including family membership).

- I agree to the above named becoming a member and I indemnify the Club against all responsibility as required under Rule 19.  
**Note: Parents of children are required to accept absolute responsibility for their conduct and safety at all times.**
- I consent to photographs of my child/children taken whilst participating in club activities being used for legitimate club purposes including publicity.
- Your child/children are able to attend the club with another **ADULT MEMBER** please complete the following :  
 I/we name.....to act in loco parentis when I am not at the club.  
Signature of nominated person.....

**Signed by Member or Parent/Guardian/Nominee for Juniors** ..... **Date** .....

Family/Single membership need to be Proposed ..... & Seconded .....

**Payment made payable to R.L.S.C.– Please send your cheque with this form to :- RLSC Membership Secretary,  
 Peter Tyers, The Gig House, Stanton, Ashbourne, Derbyshire, DE6 2DA.**



# *Rudyard Lake Sailing Club*

## **WHY DO I NEED TO JOIN RLSC?**

RLSC is a private members Club and to conform with the RLSC's insurance policy.

## **WHICH MEMBERSHIP TYPE SUITS ME?**

To get the most out of the sport you need a membership which allows you to sail at the Club. In most instances for individuals a crew membership is the best option there are other relevant types dependant upon you and families circumstances and requirements.

## **RLSC MEMBERSHIP DEFINITIONS**

(Excerpts from the RLSC Yearbook). Memberships highlighted with a \* are recommended for those wishing to attend our RYA courses.

**FULL MEMBERS** who shall have voting rights may be admitted at the discretion of the Committee of Management in the following categories:

**SINGLE MEMBERS** who shall have attained the age of eighteen years at the date of election and shall be, or intend to be, boat owners.

**\*FAMILY MEMBERS** who shall include one or two adults (as may be) who each shall be full members, together with their children or wards (if any) who shall not have reached the age of eighteen at the date when subscriptions fall due or who are in full time education and not in full time employment and who shall have the status of junior members. Family members shall be, or intend to be, boat owners.

**EMERITUS MEMBERS** who shall be over 18 years old on election and shall have been a Family Member, an Adult Member, a Race Officer or Coxswain but shall not be entitled to race for points as helm.

**ASSOCIATES** who shall not have voting rights, may be admitted at the discretion of the Committee of Management in the following categories.

**\*TRAINING ASSOCIATE** will be granted to people who undertake RYA certified dinghy sailing courses at the Club for the year in which the first such training is undertaken only. Such members will be able to sail and race at the Club as helms and keep a boat at the Club after payment of the boat fee.

**\*JUNIOR OR STUDENT ASSOCIATES** who shall not have reached the age of eighteen at the date when subscriptions fall due or who shall be in full time further or higher education and not be in full time employment. Junior members shall be allowed to race. All applications for membership by persons under the age of 18 years shall be accompanied by a form of indemnity signed by his/her parents or guardian as required by the Committee of Management.

**CREW ASSOCIATES** shall be over the age of 18 on election and shall be entitled to sail as crew only, except in those races designated as crews' races and in open regattas.

**COUNTRY ASSOCIATES** whose residence is more than 50 miles from the Club, shall be able to take part in Club racing but shall not be eligible to keep a boat on Club premises.

**SOCIAL ASSOCIATES** who shall be persons with an interest in the objects of the Club. Social members who wish to sail shall be treated as visitors for the purposes of sailing, see rule 17 below.

## **APPLICATION OF MEMBERSHIP**

Every candidate for membership shall be signed by the candidate and proposed by one and seconded by another Full Member. Applications for membership shall be in the form prescribed by the Committee of Management and shall be displayed on the notice board for at least two days prior to consideration by the Committee of Management.

## **RLSC RULE 17: ADMISSION OF VISITORS**

No visitor shall be admitted to the Clubhouse unless accompanied by a full member who must enter the name of the guest in the book kept for this purpose. No visitor shall remain on the Club premises after the member introducing him has left. The following persons cannot be admitted as visitors: those who have been refused election; those who have been expelled from the Club; those who, having been members, have left with their subscriptions or other fees and charges in arrears. No member may introduce the same guest more than five times in any one year except by special permission obtained from the Committee of Management. The Committee of Management reserves the right to limit the number of guests that any Member may introduce at any one time.

**A visitor may sail his/her own or a member's boat at the Club on payment of a fee set by the Committee of Management. Except for open meetings, visitors may not race other than as crew for a full member, A visiting boat must comply with the insurance requirements applicable to boats owned by the members. It is the duty of the member introducing the visitor to ensure compliance with Club rules.**

## **RLSC RULE 19: LIMITATION OF CLUB LIABILITY**

Members of the Club, their guests or visitors may use the Club premises, and any other facilities of the Club, entirely at their own risk and impliedly accepted that:-

- a) The Club shall not accept any liability for any damage to or loss of property belonging to Members, their guests or visitors to the Club.
- b) The Club shall not accept any liability for personal injury arising out of the use of the Club premises and any other facilities of the Club either sustained by Members, their guests or visitors or caused by the said Members, guests or visitors whether or not such damage or injury could have been attributed to or was occasioned by the neglect, default or negligence of any of them or the members of the Committee of Management or any employee of the Club.
- c) All applications for membership by persons under the age of 18 years shall be accompanied by a form of indemnity signed by their parent or guardian.

## **RUDYARD LAKE SAILING CLUB**

### **Advice on What Clothing to Wear**

You should bring with you sufficient warm clothing to sail in, bearing in mind that it is always colder on the water than on land. You will need a change of clothing in case you get wet.

#### **Basics:**

Ideally wear a wetsuit, steamer or dry-suit. If you do not possess such a garment, wear warm clothing made of wool or synthetic materials. Cotton based jeans or trousers and shirts do not provide any warmth when wet - quite the reverse. Wear trainers or flat soled sailing boots and wool socks or wetsuit boots as your feet will get wet come what may. It will be cooler out on the water and wind protection is often required. A fleece top is ideal in good weather, supplemented by a waterproof jacket in less clement weather. Wearing a hat prevents excessive heat loss and protects your head against minor cuts and bruises. In sunny weather, sunburn is a very real hazard. Water and sails reflect UV rays. Wear sunscreen, peaked hat and long sleeves and trousers as necessary. Dark glasses with a retaining cord are highly recommended to prevent glare and eye strain.

#### **Cool / Cold / Wet Weather:**

In cool / cold or wet weather supplement the basics with:

- Water proof top
- Water proof trousers
- Hat, balaclava (very good in cold wet weather)
- Sailing gloves or wool gloves with reinforced palms
- Warm inner clothing - 'wick away' items near next to the skin are ideal
- Wet suit, steamer or dry suit

A warm sailor is a safe sailor; you may get wet but you can stay warm.

#### **Warm / Sunny Weather**

In warm / sunny weather the basics are fine (remember it is always cooler on the water) consider the following as well

- Baseball cap (with covering for the back of the neck)
- Long sleeved shirt
- Sun tan cream
- Shorts
- Sun glasses
- Soft soled footwear - trainers or sailing boots

Make sure that you drink plenty of fluids in very hot conditions and take water with you if needed