



Ballyholme Yacht Club

Application for Assistance with Fees for RYA Courses

Name PLEASE USE BLOCK CAPITALS
 Address
 Postcode
 Mobile Tel
 Email Address
 Course Title Course Date
 Course location (if not BYC)
 Course Fee (excluding any travel, subsistence or other costs) £

To encourage members to obtain sailing-related qualifications as Dinghy Instructors, Race Officials, Judges, Mark Layers, etc., the Club may grant-aid members who obtain RYA qualifications which will be useful to the Club, to a maximum of 50% of the fee for their qualifying course, and subject to individual approval.

Not all courses are supported (eg VHF licence), and not every application in respect of a supported course will automatically be approved – ask first! Please note that the course must be taken and the qualification obtained **BEFORE** the Club will process the application for assistance. Travel costs to courses & subsistence costs at them are not supported by this programme. The Club/BYC is the preferred course provider.

In return, the qualified member agrees to provide services to the Club over the subsequent two years. In the case of qualifications which enable the applicant to charge for their services (eg Dinghy Instructor, Senior Dinghy Instructor, etc.), the applicant must provide the Club with services to the equivalent value in kind within the two years following the course ; eg, if you qualify as a Dinghy Instructor and receive £150 against a £300 course fee, in return you must formally provide the Club with £150 worth of Dinghy Instruction (priced at the Club's normal paid rates) during the next two years.

Before making a committment, it is recommended that you first speak to the Rear Commodore Sailing about the qualification you intend to obtain and how you will use it to help the Club. To proceed with the application – fill in this form, sign it and return it to the Club. If you're approved, do the course and gain your qualification! On confirmation the Club will then pay you the 50% assistance amount.

Declaration :
I wish to apply for assistance with the above course fee & understand that I must obtain the qualification before any grant is paid. On payment I agree to provide the Club with services as described above.

Signature

Date of Application

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Rec'd Approved Applicant advised..... Payment

Note re payment : While the 50% grant is normally payable to the applicant in person, the applicant may alternatively arrange for it to be paid to others (eg an outside course organiser) on receipt of formal advice that the applicant has attained a full qualification.