



Advanced Notice for RYA Shore-based Courses in Autumn 2010

Here's something worthwhile to keep the mind on sailing after the clocks go back.

Following the popularity of last winter's trial to run shore-based courses over a series of evenings, the Slipper training team plans to offer more. The timing is designed to miss the school Autumn half-term and complete before Christmas parties take over.

RYA First Aid

Target attendees: This is normally a one-day course as a new qualification or as a refresher. It is open to all members but the timing is specifically targeted to benefit aspiring DI's so as to give them more options around achieving pre-qual, DI course, Powerboat L2 and 1st Aid.

Dates: Tuesdays 2, 9 and 16 November at 7 p.m.

Short Range Certificate (VHF)

Target attendees: As part of our commitment to standards, Slipper is very keen to encourage all members who might need to operate club radios to become fully qualified, including those involved with dinghy racing and training. The qualification is a legal requirement to operate a VHF transmitter on general maritime frequencies and an essential pre-requisite for a Yachtmaster qualification.

Dates: Tuesdays 23, 30 November and 7 December at 7 p.m.

It is essential to attend all three sessions of a course otherwise the qualification cannot be awarded.

To avoid disappointment, reserve these dates in your diary and remember, always plan ahead.

d. Bids for places will open later, possibly on-line. Watch the website.

Any Q's - do get in touch.

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