



RSYC Member Annual Agreement for the Usage of Club Equipment

Upon completion of this agreement, Members of RSYC may use the Club equipment which includes various boats and kayaks. This is a self-service member benefit as set out below.

All boats are serviceable and ready to sail. The Pico and Topper sails are on their masts and are kept in the container. The Laser sails are in bags in the container, as are the masts. The Laser sails are not rigged on the masts because the masts differ for the chosen rig. The masts are in the container. The sails for the Wanderer and Gull are bent on and are ready for hoisting.

The Club also owns 3 single-handed kayaks and 1 double-handed. For security reasons, the paddles for these are kept in the gear store.

There are also a range of helmets, buoyancy aids and wetsuits which may be used by Members. The wetsuits and buoyancy aids come in varying shapes and sizes but there are very few adult sizes.

CONDITIONS OF USE

- All users must have sufficient proficiency to inspect equipment prior to use, rig, launch and recover without assistance.
- The Club equipment is available for use whenever the Club is open with prior booking.
- Users must accept full responsibility for their own safety and should not assume that the Bosun/Club dory will act as a safety boat.
- Cadet members are welcome to use the dinghies and kayaks. Whilst using these items, they are the responsibility of a parent/guardian who must remain on Club premises throughout.
- RSYC is not liable for any loss, damage or injury to the user or any third party however caused.
- Users of the equipment are responsible for any loss, damage or injury including to third parties.

PROCEDURE TO BE FOLLOWED TO BORROW CLUB DINGHIES AND KAYAKS

- The booking sheet is on the wall in the gear store, please book in advance to avoid disappointment.
- Complete the Signing in/out sheet on the wall in the gear store.

- Launch from the slipway, or when the tide does not serve, from the up-river end of the Club pontoon.
- Buoyancy aids must be worn when afloat.
- All items of equipment must be washed down, packed away and placed back in the designated place.
- It is essential that equipment is signed back in and any issues recorded on the sheet.

SAFETY BOAT

The Club owns a safety boat with an outboard. Should several members wish to group together then it may be possible, subject to prior arrangement, for them to use the safety boat provided they have a powerboat level 2 qualification.

I agree to the terms set out above:

Sign:

Print Name

Date: