



RYA Junior Windsurfing Competition

The Pathway to Success

If you are enjoying the challenge of windsurfing course-racing competition and wish to progress further, then you need to know the training, event and equipment options open to you, which will help you achieve your goal.

Using the chart below, identify which level of sailor you are currently, then make every effort to attend the training events in the green box; if you can, also attend those listed in the orange box. Always look ahead to the next level so you know what will be expected of you in the near future.

Level of Sailor:	Current RYA National Junior Squad
Level of Sailor: Current RYA Zone Squad Not likely to make/not aspiring for RYA National Junior Squad (this year)	Level of Sailor: Current RYA National Junior Squad
Level of Sailor: Aspirant RYA Zone Squad	Level of Sailor: Aspirant RYA National Junior Squad
Level of Sailor: Current T15 Club Member	Level of Sailor: Current RYA National Junior Squad
ATTEND? Most definitely	ATTEND? Most definitely
ATTEND? Encouraged	ATTEND? Encouraged
ATTEND? Not really	ATTEND? Not really
RECOMMENDED KIT: Techno 293 OD if using 6.8m sail or attending Zone Squad Indicators. Otherwise, any board with daggerboard (ideally 320cm length or less if using small sails).	REQUIRED KIT: Techno 293 OD with Bic 6.8 (U15) or Bic 7.8 (U17) OD rig, depending on age and size.

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Still confused?

If you require greater explanation about any of the training, event or equipment options highlighted for your level of ability, then you need to speak with your RYA Zone High Performance Manager (HPM).

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 Zone: **East/South East** HPM: *Paul Wren* - mobile: 07909 994642
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HPM email addresses can be obtained from www.rya.org.uk/racing/youthjunior/Pages/whoswhosyourtracing.aspx
 Information on UKWA events can be obtained from [Bob Ingram: racing-09@ukwindsurfing.com](mailto:Bob.Ingram:racing-09@ukwindsurfing.com)



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