



Name: Jack Trigger

DOB: 10/11/1993

Grew up: Bedfordshire

Currently Living: Oxford

Occupation: Studying Engineering at Oxford university

Sailing/ Yacht Club:

Position on Boat: Bow

First sailing experience: Age 6 in a Bosun at Stewartby sailing club



Greatest sailing goal: Reach the top level of the sport and compete professionally

Greatest sailing achievement to date:

Most memorable sailing experience: First time at the front of a 100+ boat topper fleet, to look behind you and see all those sails is quite something when you're not used to it!

Meet the sailor...

Greatest strength you bring to the academy? Ability to learn fast and keep performing under pressure

Most influential person in your sailing career to date?

What do you hope to achieve from joining the Keelboat Academy? The skills, experience and contacts that would otherwise be impossible to gain, in order to take my sailing to the next level.

If you could compete in any Keelboat event what event would it be and why? Volvo Ocean Race – The biggest and the best, perhaps one of the toughest and therefore most rewarding things you can do in a lifetime.

My worst moment (sailing)? Pitch poling a 29er painfully close to the finish line..

Top 3 career sailing results:

- 1) Topper national Youth squad
- 2) Warsash spring series 4th (IRC1)
- 3) Captaining school team racing team to 2nd place at a regional event

Other notable achievements away from sailing? Winning the field gun at the British Military tournament, French Orienteering nationals, UK skydiving nationals (speed 8), getting a place at Oxford university

Other interests away from sailing? Skydiving, Rock Climbing, Kitesurfing, Snowboarding, Guitar

Any famous relatives?! My Granny is a supermodel..?!