

Association of Sail Training Organisations Members' Information

The Guide to Who, Where, How, When?



KEY TO FACILITIES

<u> </u>	Bermudan rigged vessels. A modern rig providing good sailing performance
	Classic or Gaff rigged vessels. These rigs are very powerful and tend not to have winches or other aids for operating them.
-	Square rigged ships . For many people, these represent the ultimate challenge.
先出	Group bookings accepted.
*	Individual bookings accepted
Α	Adult only voyages available
The state of the s	Special needs , including some physical special needs, can be catered for. Contact organisations directly for more information
ક	Wheelchair friendly vessels
ĎĚ	Duke of Edinburgh gold residential courses available
9*	Indicates minimum age
$ au_{\mathcal{S}_{R}}$	Indicates participates in Tall Ships Races

FULL MEMBERS

ADVENTURES OFFSHORE

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Tolken The Lane West Mersea Essex **CO5 8NT**







Southern North Sea

Ocean Scout 15m Bermudan ketch **Offshore Scout**

15m Bermudan ketch

As part of the Scouting movement and delivering Sail Training since 1964, we believe that everybody, irrespective of background, should be able to experience the opportunity to participate in this activity that, among other things, inspires self-confidence and personal responsibility. From our home port of Ipswich we operate two identical boats and visit ports around the southern North Sea, Europe, the Baltic and Norway. We offer voyages from 3 to 7 days for up to 11 trainees.

CAROLINA HOUSE TRUST

Telephone: **01382 817279** mailto:info@carolina.org.uk www.carolina.org.uk/

Dunsinane Ave Carolina **Dunsinane Industrial Estate DD2 30N**

E and W coasts of Scotland

Carolina 1815 of Dundee 12.2m Laurent Giles sloop

Carolina House Trust specialises in working with vulnerable groups and especially those looked after by local authorities. Young people and potential volunteers are offered training and adventure in a wide variety of settings tailored to meet their interests and abilities. Sailing on both the east and west coasts of Scotland we offer voyages from 1 to 14 days for up to 5 trainees. CHT is a registered RYA recognised training centre. Our vessel is also available for skippered charter and corporate events. CHT is regulated by the Care Commission, OSCR, and SOA.

CAT ZERO

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2-3 Humber Dock Street Hull HU1 1TB

CATZERO

UK / Cross Channel

One Hull

22m Bermudan Cutter

CatZero are currently running a number of youth development programmes, working with unemployed 18-24 year olds within Hull, Grimsby and Immingham. partnership with JobCentre Plus through the Flexible Support Funds, programmes have been developed to help move the term unemployed into employment. CatZero have also recently joined forces with a number of local companies to both develop programmes to help young people establish their own business and fund further programmes to help others into work. Each programme runs for a minimum of ten weeks; the Sail Training aspect is intended as an alternative learning environment designed to be motivational and to bring about attitudinal change.

CIRDAN SAILING TRUST

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Bradwell Marina Waterside Bradwell-on-Sea

Essex CM0 7RB

UK E and S coasts/ Cross Channel

Queen Galadriel

32m Baltic trader gaff ketch

Faramir

22m Bermudan ketch

Duet

22m Edwardian gaff yawl

Cirdan offers young people a chance to develop life skills through the challenge and adventure of life at sea). Everyone on board takes a full and active part in sailing and running the vessels. Voyages, from 2 to 7 days, aim to encourage the development of personal and social skills and can be tailored to meet the specific needs of a group. Voyages are also available for individuals undertaking their Duke of Edinburgh Gold residential award To ensure this valuable experience is available to as many young people as possible, Cirdan can provide financial assistance through a Voyage bursary.

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DAUNTSEYS SCHOOL Telephone: 01380 814630 maristr@dauntseys.wilts.sch.uk www.joliebrise.com West Lavington Devizes Wiltshire SN10 4HE	Varied mainly Northern Europe Jolie Brise 23m Gaff cutter	Jolie Brise is a gaff pilot cutter and was the last boat to carry the Royal Mail under sail. She is owned and run by Dauntsey's School Sailing Club and as well as offering the Sail Training opportunity to their own pupils, extends the experience to many other young people. Jolie Brise can accommodate groups of up to 9 people.
Telephone: 01489 580099 office@dsp.uk.com www.dsp.uk.com Unit 6 Universal Marina Crableck Lane Sarisbury Green Southampton SO31 7ZN	S coast UK/Cross Channel Thermopylae Clipper 17.8 Bermudan cutter Discovery DSP 13.5 Bermudan cutter Alexander Fairey 10m Bermudan sloop	DSP aims to offer to everybody, regardless of age, ability, background or status, the experience, challenge and adventure that Sail Training provides. We aim to promote the development of people and enable them to achieve their full potential. We also aim to encourage individuals or groups of people, who might not otherwise have the opportunity to experience Sail Training, through the awarding of bursaries. We participate in National and International Sail Training events with the aim of building and fostering international and inter-cultural understanding between young people. On board you will be involved in all aspects of sailing the boat, learning valuable skills for life. At DSP everyone is welcome. We also bring the sailing experience to people with hearing and visual impairment.
ELLEN MACARTHUR CANCER TRUST Telephone: 01983 297750 info@emcancertrust.org www.emcancertrust.org Venture Quays Castle Street East Cowes Isle of Wight PO32 6EZ	Solent/South coast England Moonspray 13.3m Sloop	The Ellen MacArthur Cancer Trust is a charity that takes young people recovering from cancer and leukaemia sailing, building confidence and friendships after treatment. Working with hospitals throughout the UK, the emphasis of our trips is on teamwork and fun, with sailing as the perfect catalyst. Bonding with others in recovery and helming a 42ft yacht can be extremely empowering for a young person who has spent long periods of time in hospital and missed out on school. These trips can have a big impact on restoring the confidence lost during treatment. The young people are invited back annually to continue their Sail Training, and once 18 can return as adult volunteers, providing positive role models for those sailing for the first time.
Telephone: 0845 308 2323 sailing@excelsiortrust.co.uk www.excelsiortrust.co.uk Unit 5 Page Road Sweet Briar Ind Estate Norwich, Norfolk NR3 2BX	East coast England Excelsior 22m Trawler Gaff ketch	Excelsior has the dual function of offering Sail Training and is also an active museum ship. She is fully restored and offers all 'mod cons', and accommodates groups of 12 young people and their leaders. No sailing experience is necessary although everyone is expected to assist the crew in working the ship. The aim of a voyage, which can be from 1 to 7 days, is to encourage the development of personal and social skills but all trips are tailored to meet the specific needs of the group.

ORGANISATION BOAT/FACILITIES OPERATION Ocean Spirit of Moray is operated by **GORDONSTOUN SCHOOL** Gordonstoun School and is often available for Sail Training voyages for people of all Telephone: 01343 837824 Ocean Spirit also offers adult oceanspirit@gordonstoun.org.uk adventure voyages, primarily in the Western www.gordonstoun.org.uk Isles. Bursary assistance may be available for Elgin West coast Scotland those wishing to participate in youth Sail Morav Training voyages. **Ocean Spirit of Moray** Scotland 24m Bermudan ketch **IV30 5RF** Sail Training is not learning to sail, rather it THE ISLAND TRUST is using the sailing experience as a tool, giving young people from all walks of life the Telephone: 01752 823007 opportunity to develop character, build selfinfo@theislandtrust.org.uk esteem and an awareness of the needs of www.theislandtrust.org.uk others through teamwork and the shared adventure. At The Island Trust, groups of 10 Manston Terrace South Coast of England/Northern young people and their leaders are Exeter Europe encouraged to work as a team setting sails, Devon **Pegasus** steering, preparing meals and participating EX2 4HP 22m Gaff rig pilot cutter generally in life on board whether they are Moosk there for a day sail or a voyage of up to 7 days. We provide for groups of young 17.6m Gaff yawl people with all levels of ability and **Tectona** adventurous activities for individuals on our 19.5m Gaff ketch Teenage Sailing Weeks and on The Tall Ships Race. The Jubilee Sailing Trust is unique in that it **JUBILEE SAILING TRUST** owns two specially designed Tall Ships. The ships are purpose-built to enable disabled Telephone: **02380 449108** and able-bodied people to live and work info@jst.org.uk aboard. They have special facilities from www.jst.org.uk speaking compasses to specially designed UK/Canary Islands/Mediterranean/ 12 Hazel Road lifts and decks to enable wheelchair access. There are two elements to the JST's mission. Caribbean/Atlantic crossings Woolston One is to overcome prejudices and Southampton **Lord Nelson** misconceptions about disability among able-SO19 7GA 55m Barque bodies people, and the second, to enable **Tenacious** people with a disability to achieve their own 65m Barque personal goals in an environment that is designed to be inclusive. The Marine Society and Sea Cadets is a MARINE SOCIETY AND SEA △ 註 禁 火 13* voluntary youth organisation with units, **CADETS** known as Training Ships, based in most Telephone: **02392 765252** towns within the UK. Our aim is to offer offshoreoffice@ms-sc.org young people fun and adventure coupled www.ms-sc.org/ with the chance to learn life skills from cooking a meal to engineering, navigation Offshore Commander South coast UK and round Britain and the art of seamanship, and then the Fort Blockhouse **TS City Liveryman** opportunity of putting all these skills into Gosport 11m Bermudan cutter practice at sea. Hampshire **TS Vigilant** PO12 2AB 11m Bermudan cutter **TS John Jerwood** 24m power training ship **TS Jack Petchey** 24m power training ship **TS Royalist** 29m Brig

ORGANISATION

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MORNING STAR TRUST

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Crews' Quarters Offices The Historic Dockyard Chatham Kent ME4 4TZ



S and SW coasts UK/France/ Holland/ Channel Islands

Morning Star of Revelation 19m Gaff ketch

Day Spring

11m Bermudan sloop

Morning Star Trust is a Sail Training adventure sailing organisation based in Chatham Historic Dockyard on the river Medway in Kent. Our aim is to provide everyone with the opportunity to experience the challenge and fulfilment of sailing at sea. All this is done within a safe and positive environment under the watchful eye of our sailing leadership team.

Our intention is to give individuals the freedom to realise their potential and develop their characters in a unique atmosphere away from the pressures of everyday life. Whether you are a complete novice or an experienced sailor, you are welcome aboard.

OCEAN YOUTH TRUST NORTH

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Community Centre Prince Consort Way Royal Quays North Shields NE29 6XB





North East coast

James Cook

21m Bermudan ketch

In the 18th century Captain James Cook changed the world. In the 21st century, a trip on the OYT yacht James Cook could change your world. We are dedicated to giving the young people of the north east the chance to experience the thrills and challenges of hands-on sailing. All our sea staff are professional sailors.

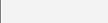
OCEAN YOUTH TRUST SCOTLAND

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Coastal Scotland

Alba Venturer 21m Bermudan ketch

Alba Explorer

20m Bermudan cutter

Alba Endeavour

20m Bermudan cutter

Almost everyone has an adventurous side and at OYT Scotland we can help you discover yours. Our adventures are exciting, challenging and action-packed, with lots of opportunities to broaden your horizons. Most of the people that join our boats have never sailed before - you don't need any sailing knowledge or special kit to take part. Life on board is very hands-on: you steer the boat, navigate, help change the sails, keep a lookout and go ashore and explore. Our voyages are not all about sailing either, they are also about people and you can learn a lot about yourself and, at the end of your voyage, take away new skills and memories that will last a lifetime.

OCEAN YOUTH TRUST SOUTH

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office@oytsouth.org www.oytsouth..org

Unit 8 North Meadow Royal Clarence Yard Gosport Hampshire PO12 1BP



South coast UK/Cross Channel

John Laing 21m Bermudan ketch Whatever your background, whether you have considerable experience of sailing or none whatsoever, OYT South offers voyages which are safe, relaxed, informal and, above all, fun! Whether on a group voyage for young people with special needs or living in difficult circumstances, or a mixed voyage of individuals seeking a memorable adventure, OYT South helps to create friendships, build confidence, develop new skills and give every crew member a brilliant time which they will remember for years.

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THE PIONEER SAILING TRUST

Telephone: **01206 303373** info@pioneersailingtrust.org.uk www.pioneersailingtrust.org.uk/

Scripps Farms Goat Lodge Road Great Totham Maldon Essex CM9 8BX





East coast UK/Cross Channel

Pioneer 20.7m Gaff ketch

The Pioneer Sailing Trust is based in Brightlingsea in Essex, operating the 1864 fishing smack Pioneer for sailing adventures in the Thames Estuary and North Sea. Voyages for groups of up to 12 people run from 1 to 7 days. Pioneer works with a wide variety of young people who benefit in so many ways from the unique and challenging experience aboard.

PRINCE'S TRUST (SPIRIT OF FAIRBRIDGE)

Telephone: **0131 201 0340** mike.strang@princes-trust.org.uk www.princes-trust.org.uk

73 Ferry Road Edinburgh EH6 4AQ



West coast Scotland
Spirit of Fairbridge
28m Gaff schooner

The Prince's Trust works with young people in some of the most deprived areas of the UK, giving them the motivation, confidence and skills they need to change their lives. Spirit of Fairbridge is a 92' Gaff rigged Schooner and delivers the Prince's Trust Sail Training programme. Our aim is to give young people a chance to get away from it all, reflect on their lives, to build motivation and confidence to take the next steps towards a more positive future and towards Education, Employment, and Training/Volunteering.

RONA SAILING PROJECT

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Universal Marina Crableck Lane Sarisbury Green Southampton Hampshire SO31 7ZN



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South coast UK/Cross Channel
Rona II

21m Bermudan ketch **Merrilyn**

19m Bermudan schooner

Donald Searle

23m Bermudan ketch

Every year the RSP takes around 1000 people to sea for a week of sailing adventure. Most have little or no sailing experience but nearly all find it life-changing. We use the sea because it is an unforgiving environment that provides a sense of risk and adventure and running a large sailing vessel requires hard physical teamwork, both above and below deck. At the end of a week's Sail Training you will have an amazing sense of achievement and selfconfidence. You will have developed your teamwork and leadership skills discovered the value of co-operation over conflict. We also specialise in voyages for people with sight or hearing disabilities

SWAN TRUST

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Shetland/Orkney/Western Isles

Swan

21m Gaff ketch

The Swan operates as a Sail Training vessel and also a 'living museum'. The majority of her trips are day trips and around 1,000 people a year, of all ages, enjoy a memorable Sail Training experience on board this classic boat. All trips are individually tailored to the requirements of the group catering for all ages and special needs.

OPERATION ORGANISATION BOAT/FACILITIES Aboard the Trust's 200ft Tall Ship, Stavros **TALL SHIPS YOUTH TRUST** Niarchos, fleet of four 72ft Challenger yachts and 62ft Catamaran, everyone gets involved in Telephone: 02392 832055 the sailing. You will be a member of the crew info@tallships.org that operates the vessel. It's a 24 hour job www.tallships.org and you'll learn how to set sails, man the 2A The Hard ropes, take the helm, keep a proper look-out S coast UK/Europe/Canary and be involved in all the varied tasks that Islands/Atlantic/Caribbean Portsmouth keep a vessel sailing. Through this Sail Hampshire Stavros S Niarchos Training experience you could find new PO1 3PT 60m Bria confidence and increased self-esteem; you'll Challengers 1, 2, 3 and 4 certainly find new friends and take home 22m Cutters memories and skills that will last a lifetime. **Tall Ships Cat** 19m catamaran Sail Training is much more than learning to TRINITY SAILING FOUNDATION sail. It is about helping young people to discover more about themselves, and begin to Telephone: **01803 883355** take steps to improve their future. It is an team@trinitysailing.org adventure, but each voyage is carefully www.trinitysailing.org structured to change attitudes, raise expectations and motivate. For may it is a The Sail Loft S West Coast UK rewarding and exciting opportunity to get Pump Street Leader away from it all. For some it is genuinely life Brixham 24m Gaff ketch changing **TO5 8ED** Provident 21m Gaff ketch **Golden Vanity** 12m Gaff ketch **Spirit of Britannia** 21m Gaff Westward Quest aims to provide Sail Training **WESTWARD QUEST** and personal development to all kinds of people of all ages, faiths and backgrounds, Telephone: 01852 300379 teaching acceptance of all people and rob@westwardquest.co.uk encouraging everyone to achieve their www.westwardguest.co.uk objectives, however large or small. We also 10 Balfearn aim to offer a compatible environment for Coastal Scotland westward youth, church and Christian groups. What this Drive Weaver means is that we will try very hard to Quest Eaglesham 12.8m Ketch understand what you want to achieve and aim Glasgow Alcuin

11.5m Sloop

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to provide the best possible experience in a

beautiful environment while having fun!

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS Challenge Wales enables young people aged △ 👯 🛠 A 🔏 12 **CHALLENGE WALES** 12-25 years to develop their personal, social skills and future employability through Sail Telephone: 02920 220 266 Training and learning about teamwork, communication, responsibility, decisionreservations@challengewales.org www.challengewales.org making, planning and being empowered. This Penarth Marina Wales/Ireland, Scottish West is achieved through sailing the 72ft round-the-Vale of Glamorgan Coast/Isle of Man/South coast world yacht Challenge Wales. Challenge Wales **CF64 1TN** England/Northern France/C Isles is also an RYA Training Centre and an Approved Activity provider for Gold Residential **Challenge Wales** activity for the Duke of Edinburgh's Award. 22m Bermudan Cutter Thalatta, having provided Five-Day cruises for **EAST COAST SAIL TRUST** young people since 1967 has resumed her LIMITED work this year following a major refurbishment. Come and experience the Telephone: **01621 854181** East Coast, Thames Estuary, excitement of sailing a historic vessel exploring info@thalatta.org.uk Orford Ness to North Foreland the East Coast. Anchoring overnight in a quiet www.thalatta.org.uk **Thalatta** backwater, fishing and crabbing, all in a fun 6 Wellington Road 28m Spritsail barge and safe environment. Developing principles of Maldon discipline, loyalty and good citizenship through Essex Sail Training and seamanship. Sail Training CM9 6HL "One step to Adulthood" - Hammond Innes. Established in 1995 the Gwennili Trust **GWENNILI TRUST** specialises in the charter of wheelchair accessible vessels from the Army Sailing Telephone: 01980 849417 Association, the Ro-Ro project and RYA cruises@gwennili.org.uk Sailability, to bring the sailing experience and www.gwennili.org.uk all its benefits to disabled people, and in Wingham House Solent/South coast UK particular, ex-service men, women and young **Bishops Waltham** The number of berths available people. **Charter as Required** ranges from 4 to 10 and each vessel is run by Hampshire an experienced skipper and one other qualified SO32 1BZ crew member. Gwennili Trust offer voyages from 1 to 7 days duration. IYWAC is an RYA Training Centre offering RYA **ISLAND YOUTH WATER** cruising courses of 2 - 5 days. For a Duke of **ACTIVITIES CENTRE (IYWAC)** Edinburgh Gold Residential Experience join one of our 5-day cruises. We also offer a 10-Telephone: **01983 293073** day Duke of Edinburgh Gold Open Expedition info@iywac.org.uk which includes training, practice and qualifying www.iywac.org.uk expeditions. IYWAC has a long history of Whitegates introducing young people to yacht racing. Each Solent/S coast/Cross Channel year "Paddiywack" enters local yacht club evening race series, Round the Island Race, Arctic Road **Paddiywack** Cowes 9.5m Bermudan sloop Cowes Week, Cross-Channel Races and ASTO Isle of Wight Small Ships Races. PO31 7PG Little Brig Sailing Trust operates Bob Allen and LITTLE BRIG SAILING TRUST Caroline Allen - the World's smallest Tall Ships. Each brig is 30 foot long, has 100 ropes, ten Telephone: 07876 345968 sails and takes 5 young sailors (aged 10+) for info@littlebrig.com approx 2-3 hours at a time - their first trip on www.littlebrig.com a Tall Ship. Our vessels work in exactly the same way as the big ones - except the loads Bywater Lodge Solent/S coast are lighter, the ropes are smaller and everyone Undershore Road **Bob Allen** gets to do every job - helming, bracing, Lymington 10m Miniature Brig sheeting in and setting or handing sail - all Hants **Caroline Allen** from the safety of the cockpit. We welcome all

10m Miniature Brig

abilities - in fact anyone who is prepared to give us three hours of their time to try Tall

Ship sailing.

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MAYBE SAILING Telephone: 0113 2501133 info@maybe-sailing.com www.maybe-sailing.com Woodleigh Hall Farm Rawdon Leeds LS19 6JT	East Coast, West Coast Scotland, Tall Ships Races Maybe 22m Gaff Rig Ketch	'Maybe' can take up to 16 crew members in beautifully furbished cabins and living areas and for added comfort in the colder climes, central heating is fitted throughout. All members on board will share the daily chores: cooking, cleaning etc, as well as learning plentiful skills about sailing a classic ketch. When you join the crew of Maybe you are not just another trainee, you are part of the family.
Telephone: 01234 826079 bedscouts@btinternet.com www.sail-od1.org.uk	Solent/S coast/Cross Channel O.D.1 12.4m Bermudan sloop	"Every child has the right to an adventure" has become a slogan for the Scout Association — and what better Adventure than Offshore Sailing? O.D.1 is operated as a Sail Training Vessel for Scouts and Explorer Scouts, to introduce them to this great adventure. On board, there is a strong scouting ethos—everybody takes a turn at all of the tasks involved in running the boat, from setting sails and steering to keeping a lookout and the domestic chores! There is no room for passengers aboard an offshore cruising yacht.
SEA-CHANGE SAILING TRUST Telephone: 01621 744196 info@seachangesailingtrust.org.uk www.seachangesailingtrust.org.uk 11 Butt Lane Maldon Essex CM9 5HD	East Coast, Thames Estuary Reminder 26.8m Thames Sailing Barge	Sea-Change Sailing Trust provides residential opportunities to young people and vulnerable adults by offering an alternative approach to learning in a structured, safe yet challenging environment. By living and working together aboard a traditional sailing vessel they participate in a wide range of life skills and are encouraged to take increasing responsibility for their contribution and group decisions. Sea-Change is a RYA Training Centre with Sailability Foundation Status.
UKSA Telephone: 01983 203023 www.uksa.org Arctic Road West Cowes Isle of Wight PO31 7PQ	Solent/S coast Gipsy Moth IV 18m Ketch	UKSA provides exceptional opportunities for all, through maritime training and water-based experiences. The charity has enhanced the lives of many young people and, as a globally recognised professional training establishment, helps turn leisure pursuits into careers. Their yachts range from 35-65ft, providing Sail Training opportunities for a wide variety of groups. See the website or contact UKSA to discuss your requirements.



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