



Club Boat and equipment Guidance

Before using a club boat a club boat policy agreement must have been completed by the user.

The boats log book must be filled in with every use and checked by committee member.

A contribution to costs of £5 a day to club funds for use of a Club Boat to be put in an envelope and placed in the honesty box.

A contribution to costs of £2.50 to Club Funds for use of club equipment to be put in an envelope and placed in the honesty box.

No contribution need be made by anyone using a boat to participate in club activities on Sundays.

Club Boats and Equipment Available

One Wayfarer Dinghy

One Canadian Canoe

Three Topper Dinghies

Three RS Feva Dinghies

One Lazer Pico Dinghy

One Force Five Dinghy

One Scimitar Keelboat

Challenger Trimaran

Sunbird Dinghy

Buoyancy Aids

Charges from Jan 2017

Sailing Craft £5 per day

Paddling Craft £5 per day

Other Equipment £2.50 per person per day



Guidance on use of Staylittle Outdoor Centre

Boats and Equipment

by CSC Members

All equipment must be inspected by a committee member before use and again on return.

All use of equipment must be either by a suitably trained / experienced person or supervised by a suitably qualified person.

SOC equipment may only be used by members of CSC [membership as defined in the club constitution – life / family / individual / canoe / cadet].

Equipment may not be used by non-members or day members.

All use of equipment must be accompanied by payment of the approved fee to cover maintenance and replacement of equipment.

All damaged / faulty equipment is to be clearly marked with red & white hazard tape and not used until repaired / rectified.



Staylitttle Outdoor Centre boats and Equipment

Available to CSC Members under this agreement.

- 12 x Opibat training dinghies
- 8 x Laser Funboat dinghies
- 1 x Laser Startos dinghy
- 6 x Laser Pico dinghies
- 6 x Topper dinghies
- 1 x Valiant Safety RIB
- 1 x Wheelie boat accessible support boat
- 1 x Jeanneau Safety Boat
- 2 x 303 access dinghies
- 8 x VHF radios
- 4 x Crewsaver training marks
- Helmets
- Buoyancy aids
- Wetsuits
- Spray jackets
- 10 x Open Canoes
- 6 x Open canoes + dedicated trailer
- 30 x Kayak
- 8 x White Water Kayak + dedicated trailer
- Canoe paddles
- Kayak paddles

Charges from Jan 2017

Sailing Craft £5 per day

Paddling Craft £5 per day

Powerboat £20 per day

Equipment from wetsuit shed £2.50 per person

Equipment going offsite £ POA

Fee to placed in an envelope in the SOC Honesty Box Located in the SOC wetsuit shed.



Agreement to Policy for use of Club boats and Equipment

Club boats and equipment are provided for the use and benefit of the members of the club in order to help enable members to participate fully in the Club and Club Activities.

Club boats are intended for short term use or occasional use where for some reason a member is without a suitable boat or for training and not as a long term alternative to members owning their own boat.

Whilst every effort is made to maintain Club boats or equipment in satisfactory condition;

Members use boats or equipment at their own risk and should satisfy themselves that it is satisfactory condition, suitable, and fit for purpose before use.

Members are responsible for ensuring their own safety and that of their own children, guests or others that they may be responsible for, this includes making judgments about the safety and use of club boats and equipment.

Members are expected to treat Club Boats and equipment with care and consideration.

Members are expected to share club boats and equipment fairly with one another.

Use of Club Boats for commercial or similar profitable ventures by Club Members is prohibited.

Club boats may only be used by members with the relevant qualifications in conditions consistent with the user's ability.

If you are a complete beginner you may only use club boats under training conditions with appropriate levels of supervision.

For sailing dinghies acceptable qualifications are RYA Level 1, RYA Level 2, RYA Level 3 or equivalent to use club sailing dinghies in appropriate conditions.

If you do not hold any of these you may make a declaration of competence to whichever level reflects your ability to use Club Sailing dinghies in appropriate conditions.

Club Keel boats or Club Multihull boats may only be used if you have a relevant qualification with a Keelboat or Multihull endorsement; or an equivalent which is considered appropriate by the committee on an individual basis.



You must hold RYA Power Boat Level 2 to use Powered club boats under all circumstances.

Members must also satisfy current Club requirements as set out in separate guidance to use a Powered Club Boat.

All users must have agreed to this policy before using a Club Boat.

Use of club boats will be recorded in the Log books in the club house.

Specific guidance for each club boat will be found with the log books.

A note should be made in the Log Book and the club should be informed immediately by email of any problems with any of club boats or equipment.

The boats are covered by club insurance but the user is responsible for the costs of any minor repairs up to the level of the Insurance excess and any other uninsured losses.

Boats should be checked before and after use by a committee member.

Please State RYA Qualifications held and / or make a declaration of competence.

Sign

Parent /Guardian Sign

Name

Name

Committee Member Sign

Name

