

Crawley Mariners Yacht Club – Membership Benefits

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Club Benefits	Club Membership Category						Membership Benefits
	Under 18 (note ³)	Single / Student / Senior	Family / Senior Family	Social	Open Water Swimming	Cruising	
Open all year	★	★	★	★	★		Proud to offer access all year-round 365 days per year during daylight hours
Exclusive lake use	★	★	★	★	★		Members only use of lake and grounds that we own and maintain as a Club
Clubhouse facilities	★	★	★	★	★		Heated clubhouse with hot showers & free drinks in the galley
Training available	★	★	★			○ ¹	A complete range of courses for all as an RYA Recognised Training Centre (RTC)
Club equipment	★	★	★				Get on the water with minimal outlay as we can lend you a buoyancy aid etc.
Junior Saturdays	★		★				Junior informal training and support with or without your own boat
Adult Saturdays		★	★				Informal training and support designed for adults with or without your own boat
Use of club boats	★	★	★				Free use during certain events and longer-term loan available at minimal expense
Social events	★	★	★	★	★	★	From talks to summer parties and social events both on and off the water
Racing	★	★	★				A range of racing events to suit all levels
Coastal cruising		★	★			★	Serious fun away from the lake on the coast and Chichester Harbour
Boat Park storage	★	★	★				Have your boat at the lake where you need it
Activities for all skills	★	★	★				From beginners, to race leaders & instructors
Monthly newsletter	★	★	★	★	★	★	Our main communication channel, sent via email to keep you informed every month
Newsletter +		★	★				Add partners or young family adults to the email list to keep the whole family informed
Website	★	★	★	★	★	★	The single 'go-to' source of information about the Club
Online booking	★	★	★	★	★	★	An online system (Webcollect) to control your membership and book events
Good Health	★	★	★	★	★	★	Sailing and socialising by the water is great for mental & physical health
Confidence building	★	★	★	★	★	★	Getting involved on and off the water can help build confidence all round
Suited to all	★	★	★				We have something for the young and not so young, from "Oppie to Yachtie"
Skills development	★	★	★				A full sailing programme to build skills in addition to completing training courses
Friendly support	★	★	★	★	★	★	Crawley Mariners are known as a friendly club with members helping each other
Women on Water	★	★	★				WOW what a great opportunity, supporting and growing female participation in boating
Open water swimming	★	★	★		★		Swim safely in the company of others with regular water quality checks
Kayaking	★	★	★				See nature close-up by kayaking in company
Paddle boarding	○ ²	○ ²	○ ²				Putting life in the balance with the increasingly popular Stand Up Paddle board (SUP)
Junior helm week	★		★				An amazing opportunity for the junior members with a week of adventure
Offsite regatta's	★						We support junior skills development at races and regatta's elsewhere
Support boats	★	★	★				All our key lake and sea events have support powerboats with your safety as a priority
Flotilla holidays		★	★	★	★	★	Typically in Greece for those that enjoy some yacht sailing in good company
Duties		★	★				Everyone helps support our key events by completing duties
Volunteering	★	★	★	★	★	★	We are a Members Club run by its Members, and we encourage your support
Leadership		★	★				Eligible for election on Committee to help develop the Club and vote at an AGM

○¹ Navigation courses only, ○² Own SUP required, ○³ Temporary Membership is extended to parent(s)/guardian(s) to use the club facilities but shall not be entitled to vote at General Meetings, be elected to Committee, invite visitors or sail at the club other than as a guest.