



# SGBA News

## Junior Sailing Course

Tuesday 28th May at 6pm saw the transition from months of planning to the final team briefing before the start of the annual SGBA Junior Sailing .

Wednesday 29th May  
Course started 08.30 with

39 junior sailors  
5 Days Sail training and fun  
17 Sailing instructors  
22 Safety boat crew  
19 Shore based assistants  
29 Sail boats  
5 Safety boats  
4 Support powerboats



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Alongside the **FUN**, the Course follows the Royal Yachting Association dinghy youth sailing scheme where the children aim towards their Stage 1, 2 and 3 certificates covering practical sailing, capsizes, launching, ropework and more complex sailing manoeuvres such as recovery of man overboard.



The programme was prepared, planned and managed by Issy Hallam and Sue Mortimer with help from Chief Instructor Simon Elyatt, RYA Principal Kim Cona-beer and the course's Senior Instructors Sam Sale-Parkes and Pete Joscelyne. The planning had to be meticulous. It included not only the sail training programme for each of the four groups of

juniors, but a comprehensive set of procedures to meet Health and Safety and Child Protection standards ashore and on the water; all of which were subject to the scrutiny of an external RYA inspector during the course of the week.

The Novice and Intermediate sailors, 21 in all, sailed out of Mill Point using the SGBA Bugs and Toppers whilst the advanced group of 18 sailed out of Sandridge using the SGBA Pico's and



Quba's kindly loaned by South Devon College's Noss Marine Academy. The groups also used the SGBA Wanderer and a Wanderer loaned by Neil Millward. All 29 sailing boats



needed inspection to ensure all fittings and rig were in prime condition with a selection of spare parts, just in case! With 39 young sailors on the water 5 Safety boats needed to be deployed to meet RYA standards. Each boat was helmed by an RYA qualified Powerboat 2 or Safety Boat driver with supporting crew. A further 4 power boats and nu-

merous rowing boats were used for Instructors to keep close to their groups and to provide logistics between the two centres.

The two new SGBA Safety and Training boats, Blue Hills and Michael B, were complemented by a Rib provided and helmed by Paul Marke with two fur-



ther boats being kindly loaned by Charlie Gillmore and the Yallop's who also made their Sandridge Boat house available as the base for the advanced group of junior sailors.

But not all the learning is on the water. Each session had shore based coaching, from knot tying to trimming a sail from upwind sailing to capsize drill. And in the background the shore based team provided catering, drying and doing as parents do, providing encouragement. Out on the water the confidence was growing but unlike adults where confidence means keeping yourself and the boat dry, to the juniors it was about confidence of falling in and getting out again to fall in again! The traditional end of course BBQ was accompanied by the prize giving. Senior Dinghy Instructors Sam Sale-Parkes and Pete Joscelyne presented Royal Yachting Association dinghy sailing certificates and SGBA trophies. Trophies went to Josie Credland and Sam Marke for most improved sailors, and Katie Kies and Freddie Bate for their fantastic attitude, enthusiasm and motivation throughout the course.

## Junior sailing 2013, did they all enjoy themselves?





## A special thank you to the team- Who made it work

| Senior Instructor    | Safety Boat      | Shore Team        |
|----------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Sam Sale-Parke       | Bernie Whates    | Alex Whates       |
| Pete Joscelyne       | Dan Hallam       | Ali Howle         |
|                      | Darren Credland  | Ally Mercer       |
| Dinghy Instructor    | Howie Rawlings   | Becky Garner      |
| Sam Marney           | Ian Deakin       | Caroline Duckett  |
| Manny Austin         | Kate Oliver      | Catherine Bedford |
| Charlie Gillmore     | Ken Kies         | Emma Yunnie       |
|                      | Leah Fraser      | Ian Deakin        |
| Assistant Instructor | Liam Fraser      | Joanna Jenkins    |
| Sue Mortimer         | Mick Mercer      | Kathryn Gee       |
| Andrew Morrell       | Neil Garner      | Leah Fraser       |
| Poppy Oliver         | Paul Cashman     | Mick Mercer       |
| Tabitha Whates       | Paul Duckett     | Monique Rawlings  |
| Guy Gillmore         | Paul Marke       | Paul Bedford      |
| Rowan Halkes         | Philip Nieuwoudt | Rebecca Gillmore  |
| Eve Gadd             | Robert Jenkins   | Roz Morrell       |
| Thomas Goodall       | Roger Stobbart   | Sarah Credland    |
| Julian Spooner       | Roly Oliver      | Tiffany Nieuwoudt |
| Larissa Connabeer    | Sarah Credland   |                   |
|                      | Steve Howle      |                   |
|                      | Terry Ridge      |                   |

## Who made it fun



**And special thanks to Sue Mortimer and Issy Hallam who made it happen**



**Visit The SGBA Website for more pictures <http://www.sgba.org.uk/>**



## Notice to Members

### SGBA Security lock changes

We have had a number of unauthorised persons accessing the equipment in the Boat store. The access codes to Mill Point Boat store will be changed on the evening of Thursday 13th June. Members entitled to access i.e members with SGBA boat usage membership will be issued with the new code by Email on Sunday 10th June.

### Damage to SGBA Kayaks and Canoes

The Red and Blue sit-in kayaks have been holed by users dragging them over the rough stones to the beach. Plastic may be tough but it is not tolerant of abrasion. Both boats need major plastic welding repairs before they can return to service. We are yet to find a repairer, if any member can assist please contact the Quartermaster. The same risk of damage applies to canoes.

**ALWAYS CARRY OR TRAILER KAYAKS AND CANOES . DO NOT DRAG THEM**

### SGBA Security locks—Forgotten the code?

Please help to keep SGBA boats and equipment and that of other members safe. Codes should only be provided by the Membership Secretary who has access to the list of members. Members are responsible for ensuring they have the codes before they arrive at the club. E.g. store them on your Mobile phone. If you have lost your code Email to the Membership Secretary.

### USE OF KILL CORD – SAFETY BULLETIN ISSUED

1. The Marine Accident Investigation Branch (MAIB), have requested that the attached Safety Bulletin is circulated to all Members with the further request that, the content of the Bulletin is disseminated to all boat users in Dart Harbour.
2. The following links are available to those with access to the internet:
  - a. RYA guidance on Killcord best practice, at <http://www.rya.org.uk/go/killcord>
  - b. The MAIB Safety Bulletin, at [http://www.maib.gov.uk/publications/safety\\_bulletins/safety\\_bulletin\\_2013/safety\\_bulletin\\_1\\_2013.cfm](http://www.maib.gov.uk/publications/safety_bulletins/safety_bulletin_2013/safety_bulletin_1_2013.cfm)
3. The text of the safety bulletin is attached to this LNTM. The MAIB have taken the unusual step of issuing the bulletin whilst the investigation is still ongoing. All river users are to read and heed the safety lessons identified in the report, to keep

## Sales and Wanted

**For sale - The SGBA Shetland dory 'Dolphin'**, 3.2m x 1.47, 3 buoyancy chambers, 2001 Tohatsu 8hp 2 stroke (2001), tiller steered, remote fuel tank. Robust and quick workboat/tender. £650 ono . Contact SGBA Quartermaster



**For Sale—The SGBA Orkney 424 Y-Knot.** 4.24 m x 1.8, wheel steering, remote fuel tank, 9.9hp Yamaha 2 stroke (1998) outboard recently serviced. Solid, clean, tidy and sound condition. Very stable work or pleasure boat. £1400ono Contact SGBA Quartermaster



## SGBA Events

| 2013 Dates        | SGBA Event                         | Start | OOD/contact       | Safety Helm   | Safety Crew     |
|-------------------|------------------------------------|-------|-------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Thurs 6 June      | Summer evening sailing             | 1800  | n/a               | n/a           | n/a             |
| Sunday 16 June    | Club Sailing                       | 1000  | John Bedford      | River Lovejoy | RL to arrange   |
| Fri 21 June       | Summer evening sailing             | 1800  | n/a               | n/a           | n/a             |
| Sunday 30 June    | Club Sailing                       | 1000  | Issy Hallam       | Kerry Lord    | Julian Williams |
| Fri 5 July        | Summer evening sailing             | 1800  | n/a               | n/a           | n/a             |
| Tues 23 July      | Summer evening sailing             | 1800  | n/a               | n/a           | n/a             |
| Sunday 28 July    | Millpool Challenge                 |       | Tiffany Nieuwoudt | n/a           | n/a             |
| Sunday 4 August   | Club Sailing                       | 1430  | Liam Fraser       | River Lovejoy | RL to arrange   |
| Thurs 8 Aug       | Summer evening sailing             | 1800  | n/a               | n/a           | n/a             |
| Sunday 11 August  | Blackpool Sands, meet Warfleet     | 1030  | John Bradbury     | n/a           | n/a             |
| Sunday 18 August  | Club Sailing                       | 1400  | Charlie Gillmore  |               |                 |
| Thurs 22 Aug      | Summer evening sailing             | 1800  | n/a               | n/a           | n/a             |
| Sunday 1 Sept     | Club Sailing                       | 1400  | John Bradbury     |               |                 |
| Thurs 5 Sept      | Summer evening sailing             | 1800  | n/a               | n/a           | n/a             |
| Thurs 19 Sept     | Summer evening sailing             | 1730  | n/a               | n/a           | n/a             |
| Sunday 22 Sept    | Cricket v Dittisham on Middle Back | 1330  | John Bradbury     | n/a           | n/a             |
| Sunday 29 Sept    | Club Sailing                       | 1200  | Julian Williams   |               |                 |
| Sunday 13 October | Club Sailing                       | 1100  | Roger Astley      |               |                 |
| Sunday 27 October | Club Sailing & Lay Up              | 900   |                   | n/a           | n/a             |

**Volunteers needed for events highlighted in Red. If you can help please contact the OOD or Roger Astley**

## Your Committee - contact details

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