

Team Building Yacht Sailing Activity Days & Events



Why Yacht Sailing for Team-Building?

A corporate yacht sailing team building day or event

is a unique team building activity or event for companies. The effective bonding experience of learning to sail a yacht from our sailing event base on the UK South Coast from the River Hamble close to Southampton, will help develop team work and lasting bonds.

An effective team building activity improves your teams performance and communication. which is at the heart of every business. There is no better way to do this than to learn to yacht sail with us on a team building sailing day. We can take personnel of all levels and give each member of your team an opportunity to experience every aspect required to make a sailing boat competitive. Once we have completed the initial training with your team we run a mini yacht regatta with other yachts in our fleet, or we run timed runs around buoys, to put those skills and communication to the test. To succeed, your staff will have to co-operate and communicate.

The benefits from the team enhancing properties of bonding your work force in these team-building activities are enormous. Helped and aided with the sailing of the yacht by the professional Skipper long lasting bonds are forged in this sailing environment. No previous sailing experience is required.

OUR LOCATION

Our river Hamble Mercury Yacht Harbour sailing event base is located close to the picturesque riverside village of Hamble situated just 1hr 30 from London by a combination of rail and taxi ride. Being on the edge of the central Solent means quick access to the sailing areas close to Cowes and Beaulieu which make for excellent lunch stops. We are 5 minutes from the M27 by car, 15 minutes from Southampton Airport Parkway train station with connections to London Waterloo (only 1 hr 3 mins). The marina has fantastic facilities with large amounts of on-site free parking right next to the pier heads, chandlery and water-side bar and restaurant with great views overlooking the river from the outside balcony seating area.

EVENT SERVICES

Making your team building sailing activity a success is an absolute priority. We ensure that we maintain close contact with your designated co-coordinator within your business and take the strain out of the organisation this team building yacht sailing event on your behalf. You may want to eat ashore or on the boat whether you want a small scale event and just one yacht or multiple sailing yachts, we offer all the below so that you can relax and concentrate on taking part in your event.

- Pre Event Coordinator
- Meet & Greet Service
- Drinks and Snacks Aboard
- Wet Weather Clothing

For further information please call us and discuss your requirements: 02380 016450 or email: info@yachtforce.co.uk www.yachtforce.co.uk





CATERING

Catering is not included in the base price below as there are many different options available. We can organise restaurants ashore at Cowes for lunch or if you do not wish to eat ashore we can supply deli bags aboard to maximise your time afloat. Soft drinks, tea, coffee and snacks are included. Please discuss catering requirements with your co-ordinator. If you wish - please feel free to organise your own catering or bring your own provisions aboard.

BRANDING/TROPHIES

If you want to order additional services such as forestay flags, clothing or branding please discuss this with your event co-ordinator.

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One Day Event

Meet our staff at our designated 'meet and greet area'. We introduce the skippers and issue wet weather clothing as required.

We allocate yachts and give a comprehensive safety brief before slipping moorings and you can enjoy the beauty of the river Hamble slipping quickly into Southampton Water past Calshot Spit into the middle of the Solent opposite Cowes on the Isle of Wight. There is a fantastic amount and array of interesting sights to see in addition to the task of learning to sail.

We then teach you to sail starting as soon as we leave the dock, giving all on board the chance to take a full and active role in all aspects of sailing the yacht including helming, sail trimming and navigation. Depending upon your catering requirements we may stop for lunch ashore at Cowes or have lunch onboard in a picturesque bay, river or harbour.

The day culminates with a mini regatta or some boat on boat competition. For individual boats we used timed runs around the buoys and certain timed tasks to provide that competitive edge. We will keep you 'fed and watered' onboard with snacks and drinks throughout the day.

0900 - Meet & Greet 0910 - Issue Wet Weather Gear

0950 - Slip Moorings

1020 - Sail Training Team Building Activity

1100 - Beverages / Snacks Aboard

1245 - Lunch Afloat / Ashore

1400 - Sail Training Team Building Practice

1500 - Yacht Sailing Team Building Event Races

1700 - Moor Up / Guests Depart / Adjourn to Bar

Two Day Event

Add in an overnight experience aboard your yacht staying at Cowes or Yarmouth on the Isle of Wight and continue your sailing experience the next day. Have a cockpit party before venturing out for a relaxing meal. We will take the Skippers off the boat and accommodate them ashore so that you have more space aboard the yachts for sleeping. If you wish to extend your time aboard please discuss this with your co-ordinator.

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PRICE GUIDE

ONE DAY EVENT PRICING GUIDE From £125pp (£875 + VAT - example price for 7 clients on an 8 berth yacht)

TWO DAY EVENT PRICING GUIDE From £295pp (£2,065 + VAT - example price for 7 clients on an 8 berth yacht)

TESTIMONIAL

Company: Surefoot Solutions Ltd

Event: Company Team Building 3 Day Event June 2015 **Client: Amy Palmer,** Senior Account Manager, said:

"We sailed with Yachtforce as part of our annual team building trip and had a fantastic time. The trip gave us a good mix of tuition and relaxing, with our Skipper & First Mate incredibly flexible and willing to tweak the trip to suit our group. 6 of us stayed aboard. We learned a lot, and laughed an awful lot. Would definitely recommend to anyone who is looking to bring a team together, or some fun as part of a group. I am sure we will be back again!

CONTACT US

If you have specific requirements please let us know and we will do our utmost to make sure that your aims and objectives of your event are met.

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