

Theory Course Calendar for 2011

Here at Pacific Sailing School we offer a full range of courses.

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YA Keelboat Crew Theory & Social Evening	2 hours	P2
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YA Keelboat Spinnaker Theory & Social Evening YA Keelboat Racing Theory & Social Evening YA Keelboat Seamanship Theory & Social Evenings	2 hours	P2
YA Marine Radio MROCP	9 hours	P3
YA ISAF Safety and Sea Survival	16 Hours	P4
RYA YA Basic Navigation & Safety	16 Hours	P5
RYA YA Day Skipper	42 hours	P6
RYA YA Options - Combined or Theory & Practical Coastal Skipper/Yachtmaster Offshore	5 days Combined 10 Days	P7

If you have never sailed before, the ideal introduction is our YA **Keelboat Crew** and YA **Keelboat Helm** courses with sets of 3 hour practical lessons conducted on our International J24 yachts. You will get a better feel for sailing and learn to sail much faster than starting on our bigger yachts.

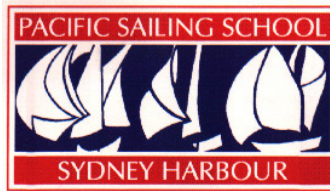
After learning to sail on our J24's we then suggest that our bigger yachts are the best next step to learn about pilotage, navigation, diesel, GPS systems and radar. Our courses generally take place over five days or over a series of weekends. Our practical courses are complemented by our navigation and other specialist shore based courses. The theory courses are essential to increase your knowledge and confidence and are the next step to gaining International qualifications recognised by maritime authorities worldwide.

We are located in the Cruising Yacht Club of Australia, Rushcutters Bay, Sydney (home of the famous Rolex Sydney to Hobart Yacht Race). The CYCA is the perfect place to continue your sailing with over 400 yachts, and has been our base for over 30 years on beautiful Sydney Harbour. You can enter our program at any level, provided that you have an adequate level of experience. It is important to be realistic when assessing your experience and abilities. If in doubt you should discuss your requirements with our training centre before booking your course.

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YA Keelboat Crew Theory & Social Evening

Jan 18, Feb 15, Mar 15, Apr 19, May 17, Jun 21, Jul 19, Aug 16, Sep 20, Oct 18, Nov 15, Dec 20.
From 6pm to 8pm in the CYCA. On arrival you will receive a Course Folder which includes Keelboat Crew, Keelboat Helm and Basic Navigation and Safety notes, NSW Maritime Authority handbook, 1m rope, pen and a 'Try Sailing' Gift Voucher. After the lesson join us for a social evening in the Sydney Hobart Bar of the Club.

YA Keelboat Helm Theory & Social Evening

Feb 22, Mar 22, Apr 26, May 24, Jun 29, Jul 26, Aug 31, Sep 27, Oct 26, Nov 22.
From 6pm to 8pm in the RANSA Club room. Bring your Keelboat Crew course folder & after the lesson join us for a social evening and barbecue.

YA Keelboat Spinnaker, Racing, Seamanship Courses Theory & Social Evening

Feb 1, Apr 12, May 31, Jul 5, Aug 23, Oct 11, Nov 29.
Join Racing Rules Judge and Umpires for some fun on tactics, rules in racing and seamanship. From 6 to 8pm in the RANSA Club room and afterwards join us for a social evening and barbecue.

* Recommended Textbooks & CDs

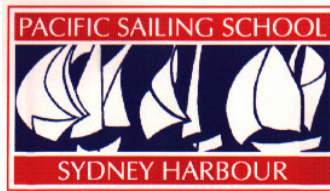
* Logbooks \$28 (included in YA Fee) YA logbook required NSW Powerboat License

	<p><i>Sailing For Dummies</i></p>	<p><i>Recently updated by our own team at PSS</i></p>	<p><i>*\$40</i></p>
	<p><i>Introductory Keelboat</i></p>	<p><i>The cover is our own J24 Blackjack with Instructor John Gardener</i></p>	<p><i>*\$30</i></p>
<p>Six multimedia CDs and a DVD</p> <p><i>Boat Handling, Safety and Emergencies, Navigation and Passage Planning, Weather craft, Skipper and Crew, Knots and The Language of the Sea</i></p> <p>http://www.pacificsailingschool.com.au/16043.htm</p>		<p><i>Includes a Free 75 minute DVD The Joys of Sailing.</i></p>	<p><i>*\$195 Purchase only on line via our website</i></p>

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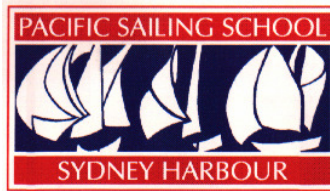
YA Marine Radio MROCP Theory Course			
Update your knowledge of Digital Select Calling and all the recent changes. We will have a practical on board our offshore yacht and theory over three evenings to obtain your MROCP license. Included is the Pacific Sailing School course folder and pen. 6pm to 9pm midweek.			
March	Tuesday 1, Thursday 3, Tuesday 8	September	Tuesday 6, Thursday 8 Tuesday 13
May	Tuesday 3, Thursday 5 Tuesday 10	November	Thursday 10, Monday 14, Tuesday 15
June	Thursday 9, Tuesday 14, Thursday 16		
Cost \$320 includes practical, MROCP exam and issue of license to successful applicants			

Private courses available for groups with 6 persons or more		
	Marine Radio Operators handbook	MF/HF and VHF radiotelephony equipment with digital selective calling (DSC), EPIRPB 406 MHz type *\$45

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ISAF Safety and Sea Survival Full Course or Safety and Sea Survival Update Course

(The Update Course dates are in **bold** below).

Over 1,500 crew including many Hobart winners and Volvo teams have completed our ISAF SSSC courses. Life raft exercises are in the heated pool at UNSW. The course includes a flare drill, the Pacific Sailing School course folder, RYA Survival at Sea handbook and a NSW Maritime Authority handbook and pen.

Private SSSC courses are available on demand for groups of 6 + \$495 per person

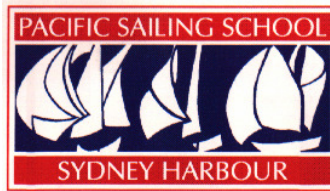
February	Saturday February 5 Sunday February 6	September	Saturday Sep 24 Sunday Sep 25
April	Saturday April 16 Sunday April 17	October	Saturday Oct 29 Sunday Oct 30
June	Saturday June 18 Sunday June 19	November	Sunday Nov 20 Sunday Nov 27
July	Saturday July 23 Sunday July 24	December	Sat Dec 10 & Sun 11 or Sat Dec 17 & Sun 18
Cost - SSSC Full Courses \$535		Cost - SSSC Update Course \$390	



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RYA YA Basic Navigation & Safety Theory Course

Essential knowledge for 'All who go to Sea'. This course has been arranged to cover the National Marine Safety Committee (NMSC) guidelines for recreational Boat Operator competencies which has been adopted by NSW Maritime Authority (NSW MA) for the theory component for the issue of the recreational Boat Driver License. It will also provide students with sufficient knowledge and skill for them to be able to demonstrate the routines and procedures associated with competent and responsible behavior as a crew person operating under close supervision on a cruising yacht.

This course is the start of your International qualifications and is completed over one weekend day and one evening and with Keelboat Crew and Keelboat Helm theory evenings completes the required 16 hours for this course. It includes a 3 hour practical on one of our large offshore yachts.

On successful completion of this course, the practical courses of YA Keelboat Crew, YA Keelboat Helm, NSW Marine Authority Power Boat Drivers course you will qualify for following :-

- ✓ The RYA YA Basic Navigation and Safety certificate issued by PSS
- ✓ The YA Competent Crew Certificate issued by PSS
- ✓ The YA Powerboat Certificate issue by PSS
- ✓ The Theory component of the NSW MA recreational Boat Driver Licence

Course Times are 8.30am to 4pm with a practical on the same day from 4 to 7pm and Tuesday evening 6 to 9pm and Thursday evening 6 – 9pm

Note: On Thursday evening please bring your laptop (if you have one).

January	Sunday Jan 23 Tuesday Jan 25 Thursday Jan 27	August	Sunday August 28 Tuesday August 30 Thursday September 01
March	Sunday March 27 Tuesday March 29 Thursday March 31	October	Sunday October 23 Tuesday October 25 Thursday October 27
June	Saturday June 25 Tuesday June 28 Thursday June 30	December	Saturday Dec 03 Tuesday Dec 06 Thursday Dec 08

Course Fee \$395, includes the RYA YA Basic Navigation and Safety Student Pack.

Note: Equipment available pencils, rubber, sharpener.

Basic Navigation and Safety Student Pack *\$75 (included with Course)

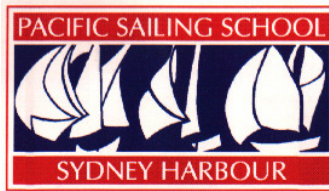
- ✓ Basic Navigation and Safety handbook
- ✓ Basic Navigation and Safety Course Exercises and information
- ✓ Training Chart 3 & 4
- ✓ BNS Certificate
- ✓ Electronic Chart Plotter including training Software and charts



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RYA YA Day Skipper Theory Course

Introduction to Seamanship & Navigation.

Part Time

Series of 3 hour evening sessions from 6 to 9pm and a weekend days from 8.30 am to 4pm.
Practical usually on a weekend day from 4 to 7pm

Full Time

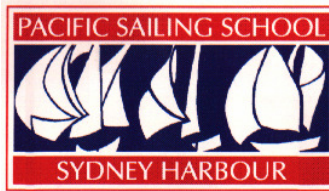
Day Time 08.30 to 4pm

January Part Time	Monday 10, Thursday 13, Saturday 15, Monday 17, Thursday 20, Saturday 22, Monday 24, Saturday 29 + practical, Monday 31, Tuesday Feb 1, Exam Thur Feb 3.
March Part Time	Monday 7, Thursday 10, Saturday 12, Monday 14, Thursday 17, Saturday 19, Monday 21, Thursday 24, Sat 26 + practical , Monday 28, Exam Monday Apr 4.
May/June Full Time	Monday May 30, Tuesday May 31, Wednesday June 1, Thursday June 2, Exam Friday June 3. (practical 4 th to 8 th June 2011)
September Part Time	Monday 5, Saturday 10, Monday 12, Thursday 15, Saturday 17, Monday 19, Thursday 22, Saturday 24 + practical, Monday 26, Thursday 29, Exam Tuesday October 4.
November Part time	Saturday 5, Monday 7, Thursday 10, Saturday 12, Monday 14, Thursday 17, Saturday 19 + practical, Monday 21, Thursday 24, Monday 28, Exam Thursday December 1.
Courses Fee	\$1,060
Included	<p>Course kit</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ 2b pencils, sharpener, marking pen, ✓ PSS Course Folder, RYA slides, tea coffee. <p>Sail</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ 3 hour practical and social sail. <p>Day Skipper Student Pack Value \$75</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Navigation book ✓ Exercises and information ✓ Training Chart 5 and 6 ✓ DSC Certificate
Not included	<p>Textbooks (please purchase if you don't have current version)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> x Navigation Handbook - \$50 x Weather Handbook - Southern Hemisphere \$42 x Training Almanac – Southern hemisphere \$18 x Collision regulations - \$15 x Plotter \$30 x Dividers \$30

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Combined Theory & Practical Course Calendar 2011

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RYA YA Coastal Skipper/Yachtmaster Offshore

Shorebased Theory Course & Practical 5 day

Includes Coastal Navigation, Pilotage, Tides, and Electronic Navigation as per the syllabus.

RYA YA Course	Course	Date	Board and disembark	Previous experience required or suggested
<u>Coastal Skipper/Yachtmaster Offshore</u> over • 1 x 10 day	April/May	Theory April 29 to May 3. Practical May 4 to 8.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Classroom 0830 to 4pm each day Practical Onboard Day 1 @ 0930 Disembark Day 5 @ 4pm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 15 days sea time, 2 days as skipper, 300nm, 8 night hours or Day Skipper 5 day or YA Keelboat Crew, YA Keelboat Helm, Bareboat Skipper, Offshore Racing Crew
	October	Theory Oct 24 to 28. Practical Oct 29 to Nov 2		
	November/December	Theory Nov 28 to Dec 2. Practical Dec 3 to 7.		
Cost	10 day combined		\$2,445 includes Coastal Skipper and Yacht master Student Pack	
Included	Meals on board, water, mooring fees, fuel, yacht,			
Boat	Cavalier 35, YA Cat 2 safety equipment, maximum 4 students			
Included Shore based course	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Coastal Skipper/Yacht master Offshore Student Pack (value \$75) ✓ Navigation Book ✓ Exercises & Information ✓ Questions and answers ✓ Training Chart 5 & 6 ✓ CSC Certificate ✓ 2b pencils, rubber, sharpeners, marking pen. ✓ PSS Course Folder, RYA Slides, tea & coffee. 			
Not included	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> x Navigation Handbook - \$50 x Manual of Seamanship - \$60 x Weather Handbook/SH - \$42 x Training Almanac/SH - \$18 x Collision Regulations - \$15 x Stability & Bouyancy - \$15 			

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