

ROYAL PORT PIRIE YACHT CLUB INC.

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Welcome to the Royal Port Pirie Yacht Club Junior Sail Training Program.



What you need to wear and bring:

- Swimming costume
- Hat or cap
- Rashie or long sleeved shirt to keep the sun off
- Shoes that can get wet (not thongs)
- Water bottle
- Towel
- Clothes to change into after the lesson

We will provide

- Sunscreen
- Lifejackets

Lesson times

- Sail training will be held each Saturday morning from 9.30am to 12.00pm, followed by a sausage sizzle lunch
- \$2 per sausage and \$2 per drink

Lesson content

- Each session will include some theory and practice in the clubhouse and foreshore, and some on-water activity weather permitting.
- Session materials will be provided where necessary.

Boats

- Our sail training program will be conducted in our Pacer dinghies. These dinghies are used by many clubs and schools for sail training. There are also sailing races and competitions with other clubs sailing this type of dinghy if you get interested in racing later on.
- Each dingly can comfortably hold 3 children and an adult instructor or assistant instructor. It can also be sailed comfortably by only 2 adults or children.
- A safety boat and attendant will be on the water at all times.

Sailing area

On-water activities will usually commence in front of the clubhouse and be held in the harbour basin. Depending on conditions and skills, we may take the dinghies around to sail near the beach opposite Nyrstar.

Weather policy

Excessive heat, lack of wind or too much wind may mean that there is no on-water activity in a lesson. The decision to cancel on water activity rests solely with the Instructor. Where there is no on-water activity, land and club house based lessons may go ahead. A substitute day for missed on-water activities may be scheduled at the discretion of the instructor, if it appears that a key component of the course will be missed.

Sailing is so much fun. We hope you have lots of fun learning to sail with us

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