



LIVERPOOL YACHT CLUB

CREW & BOAT AVAILABILITY

May 2008

Four lists have been prepared to help yachts find crew and crew yachts:

1. For people who are not regular crewmembers who are principally interested in racing.
2. For people who are not regular crewmembers that are principally interested in cruising / delivery trips.
3. Members who are regularly sailing but are interested in additional crewing/sailing experiences.
4. Yachts that are actively seeking additional crewmembers for either racing or cruising.

SKIPPERS – please do what you can to get these people out on the water. The future of the Club depends to a great extent on our involving more people in our sailing activities.

If anybody wishes to be added to this list then please contact me. This applies whether you are already a member of Liverpool Yacht Club or just somebody that thinks that they would like to go out on the River once to get an idea of what sailing is about. **We do expect anyone who is on this list, who is not a member, would join Liverpool Yacht Club should they become a regular crew member on an LYC boat.**

If anybody is aware that any of the people listed below are now sailing regularly on a boat, have moved away or no longer wish to be on the list, and then please let me know so that I can remove their name. The names / yachts on the list will be reviewed regularly to ensure that only persons who are currently available are on the list. If your name was on an earlier list but you have been omitted from this list and you would like it to be replaced then please let me know.

Etiquette:

- **When someone contacts you please respond a.s.a.p. as you may be preventing someone else from sailing.**
- **If you have agreed to sail and are then unable to please inform the skipper you were to sail with.**
- **As soon as you become a regular crew member let me know so that I can remove you from the list.**

For additions/deletions to these lists please contact Richard Baldwin: -

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Racing List 1 Persons who are not regular crew looking for racing opportunities:

Lucy Kay (Member)

I sailed as a child and also as crew member of a Catamaran around Venezuela ten years ago. I have sailed around Greece for four weeks, initially as part of a flotilla and eventually alone and have now completed a Day Skipper practical course. I love sailing and would like to learn racing and join any crews available! I am a lecturer living in Liverpool, so some evenings and weekends would be possible. I am 49, small but strong, with a good sense of humour and I work well as part of a team. Tel 0151 7036968
Mob: 078467 59499 email: lucykay690@btinternet.com

Sarah Braidwood (Member)

My introduction to sailing was with the Ocean Youth Club and I sailed several times on the Francis Drake. I have my level 2 dingy certificate and most of my "big" boat (Westerly Fulma Boat) sailing has been done on the West Coast of Scotland with family and friends. I am looking to get more involved in regular crewing for more experience and Liverpool is nearer to home than Scotland! I live on The Wirral and am keen and enthusiastic to learn more in either racing or cruising on different boats. Free occasional Saturdays, Sundays and the odd mid-week evening, also for the odd (if planned in advance overnight trip) Mobile 077381 54631 Home 0151 691 2604 E-Mail Sara.Braidwood@skillsforhealth.org.uk

Andy Lockwood (Member)

44ys old. Been dinghy sailing on and off since 15. Day skipper theory and practical and ICC. I race on my friend's 36 footer in Abersoch (SCYC). I'm looking for mainly round-the-cans racing opportunities or short cruises. I'm good with a winch handle! I have my own gear – just don't have a boat – yet! I live 30 mins from Liverpool. Tel: 07852 133332, email: alockwood@onetel.net.

Brenton Williams (Member)

Extensive dinghy racing and instruction experience between 1966 and 1991. Retired early so available seven days a week. Have little offshore racing or cruising experience, but very willing to learn. I have successfully completed both Day Skipper theory and practical courses. Contacts: Home: 0151 486 1198 Mob: 07765164354 email williams.B11@sky.com

Nick Welsh (New Member)

I'm newbie to sailing having only started last august. At which point I started a zero-to-hero Yachtmaster course based in Cowes and Sydney. Prior to this I had little or no experience (other than a Keelboat level 1 course). Anyway, the net result of doing the course is that I'm now a qualified Yachtmaster (I have also passed the Yachtmaster Ocean theory exam). I also attained the following qualifications: VHF and HF radio operator, RYA Diesel Engine course and various STCW95 courses (Elementary First Aid, Personal Survival Techniques, Fire Fighting and PSSR). Whilst in Australia I also managed to get a bit of racing in; as well as some round-the-cans racing I also took part in the 2007 Sydney-Hobart race on-board the Eleni, a One Design Sydney 38. I appreciate that I am inexperienced but I'm keen to sail (lock gates permitting) and eager to learn. Home: 0151 521 8191 Mob: 07812 997332
Email: nickw1@blueyonder.co.uk

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Peter Liggett:

RYA level 2 dinghy on final leg of 07/08 Clipper race. Completed part A and B training with competent crew. Will complete all sailing duties after minimal guidance and familiarisation. Particularly interested in gaining racing experience. Due to family commitments would prefer several days notice of any available berth. Not available until after the clipper race in mid July. Home 0151 428 9431 Tel: 01695 54383 Mob: 07970 318 379 email: peter.liggett@pilkington.com.

Graeme Calvert

I'm a Day Skipper with yachtmaster theory. I've been race crewing regularly from Port Edgar in the Firth of Forth, Scotland for the past 12 months and also have some racing experience from the Solent. I'm now looking to find a club to crew regularly at now I'm back in the North West. I've done 1500 miles most of it in the Solent and Firth of Forth but I've also skippered charters in Greece, Hebrides and North Wales and have raced from Edinburgh to Inverness. Available from June.
Contact details are graeme_calvert@hotmail.com and 07764 946276

Alan Duncan

I am based on South Cheshire and very keen on sailing (racing and cruising) off the N Wales coast/Liverpool area. I have sailed dinghy up to 46ft - dinghies when I was a teenager (about 25 years ago) and cruisers over the last 5 years or so. I am qualified to Day Skipper with VHF Cert and 600hrs logged (20 at night). Most recently I have been sailing in the Solent/Channel with work colleagues simply because that's where they live/sail but I'd much prefer the less congested areas around N Wales/Liverpool. I have no racing experience but keen to learn and I would be very pleased to take on any crew role including "ballast". Available from mid June phone number is 07747 614412 and email: alan_duncan@onetel.com

Dan Needham

I first learned to sail upon joining university in 2003 since then I have primarily sailed dinghies ranging from toppers to Laser 1&2, Laser Pico to Hobbie Cat, starting off crewing then progressing on to Helm then teaching others to crew for me, in 2005 I entered a tall ship voyage from Gibraltar to the Balearic Islands where I undertook my competent crew and experienced some night sailing. As for Yachting, it has always been my aim to progress up from dingies to yachts but as of yet have not had the opportunity to do so. I should be available most weekends after moving to Liverpool at the beginning of June. Mob: 07828160131 email: dan_needham@admworld.com

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List 2. Cruising List. Persons who are not regular crew looking for cruising / delivery opportunities:

Rob Taylor (Member)

Been a member for 3 years. Shore based Yacht Master and completed a Cruising Skipper practical plus bareboat cruising. Mainly interested in cruising or moving boats. With adequate notice can do longer trips. Available for day sailing and passages, especially mid week. Aged 54. 0151 426 7804; 0773 6966123 e-mail: taylor16@merseymail.com

Russell Cummings (Member.)

Retired RYA/DTI Yachtmaster, boat owner, boatbuilding skills. Many years experience cruising Scotland, and other areas. Interested in joining sound boat for enjoyable cruising, sharing expenses. Home: 01244 661 306, Mobile: 0780 829 7963. e-mail: russell.cummings@tesco.net

Brenton Williams (Member)

Details in list 1 Contact Home: 0151 486 1198 Mob: 07765164354 email notnerb6@aol.com

Lucy Kay (Member)

Details in list 1. Tel 0151 729 0596 Mob: 077902 79703 email: lucyjane@bigstring.com

Andy Trowler

I have 25 yrs sailing experience and my YM ticket. Mostly sailed W. Coast UK and E. Coast Ireland. I am between boats at the moment, last boat was a 32' Beneteau, kept at Conwy. Interested in sailing on deliveries mostly or at least passages beyond the Mersey. Also, I would like to sail with new boat owners who may want someone aboard with a reasonable knowledge of the area. I do not want to race. Regularly available including midweek. e-mail: andytrowler@yahoo.co.uk Mob 07855 748413

List 3 Members who are sailing regularly but are looking for additional sailing experience etc.

List 4 Member's Yachts that are actively looking for crew.

Bare Necessity

I now feel fairly competent at sailing up and down the Mersey - despite the odd mishap, and would like to advertise for crew. Somebody experienced, retired or not, who could get out in the week would be ideal, but I am happy to take on anybody who is willing to learn, would like to sail and can make themselves available for the odd weekend cruise. I do not race but am prepared to get involved, if I find somebody who has experience and can show me the ropes. Contact John Blackall 0151 475 9090 Mob:07729 554252 email: john@jblackall5.wanadoo.co.uk

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