



Nelson Yacht Club Sailing School Registration Terms & Conditions

These terms and conditions supersede and replace any previous terms and conditions relating to previous participation in activities with the club.

All courses, tuition and hire must be paid for in advance unless advised otherwise.

An online registration form must be completed for all participants.

Spaces in groups are not secured until both a complete registration form and payment are received.

Club Profile & Log-In

Once you have completed registration, you will have a Club Profile and Log-In that you can use to manage your interactions with the club. You can see invoices, and make any further registrations - either adding extra children or registering for further courses/programmes.

Medical Conditions & First Aid

You must advise us on this registration form of any illness, injury, medical condition or disability that may affect your/the participant's ability to take part in the chosen activity.

For example;

- ☐ any allergy;
- ☐ any condition or medication that may affect balance or level of consciousness;
- ☐ any history of concussion;
- ☐ any condition triggered by exercise or cold;
- ☐ any visual or aural impairment;
- ☐ any condition that means you/the participant may need assistance;
- ☐ any significant fear that may be triggered by sailing/water;
- ☐ any history of substance abuse;
- ☐ any heart condition;
- ☐ any difficulty following verbal instructions.

If in doubt, please note it down. Whilst it may not necessarily prevent you/the participant from taking part in the course/activity, Nelson Yacht Club needs to know this information in order to keep you/the participant safe.

By completing this registration and by participating in club activities, you consent to the delivery of appropriate First Aid to you/the participant as necessary. All activities will be supervised by staff with basic First Aid qualifications.

Water Confidence/Swimming Ability

You/the participant should be confident in the water and able to swim at least 50m in a Buoyancy Vest (PFD).



Risk Statement

There are serious risks involved with sailing which could lead to injury or death. The sources of these risks include environmental conditions (leading to, for example, hypothermia or heatstroke); water (drowning and other immersion injuries); sailing boats / equipment (cuts, bruises, head injuries); powerboats (impact, propellor strike); a steep boatramp (slips, falls, trailer impact); other vessels (collision injury).

Nelson Yacht Club has a robust safety management process, and is committed to the safety of participants, volunteers, staff, and the public.

<https://www.nelsonyachtclub.org.nz/health-and-safety/>

Cancellation/Postponement by NYC

Nelson Yacht Club reserves the right to cancel a course/booking at any time if viable numbers are not achieved or if weather conditions are not suitable. Where we have to cancel a course, another set of dates will be arranged asap, at mutual convenience. If suitable dates are not found, you will be entitled to a full refund.

Cancellation by member/client

Any course cancellation may be charged a \$50 admin fee. If notice of cancellation is given less than 14 days before the start of the course, 100% of the course fee is retained. Any course/hire booked is valid for a maximum of 12 months from the date of booking. Courses/hire not taken within 12 months will be forfeited.

Privacy Policy

Nelson Yacht Club is committed to protecting your privacy and complying with our obligations under New Zealand privacy laws. We will protect your privacy and only collect, use, disclose and store your Personal Information in accordance with our Privacy Policy and the applicable privacy laws.

Our full privacy policy can be found here: <https://www.nelsonyachtclub.org.nz/privacy-policy/>

Key points:

By completing the registration form you consent to receiving communications from us in connection to your registrations, and with information about future courses and programmes. By completing registration for, and participating in, the club activities you consent to the free use of your/the participant's image/likeness in photographs and or videos taken by staff/members for the purposes of promotional material and publication in club e-newsletters, news media, funding application documents, on the NYC website and social media channels.

Fire / Earthquake / Tsunami Evacuation

The normal Assembly Area will be the club Car Park to the North of the launching ramp.



In the event of a LONG or STRONG earthquake or subsequent to receiving a Civil Defense Tsunami alert, all persons will be evacuated to higher ground. This will most likely be via Poynter's Crescent and the steps up to Albert Rd / Fifeshire Crescent.