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SAFETY COURSES



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YACHTING IS ONE OF THE SAFEST LEISURE ACTIVITIES AND HOPEFULLY YOU WILL NEVER HAVE TO DEAL WITH A SERIOUS EMERGENCY SITUATION. HOWEVER IT IS A WELL PROVEN FACT THAT IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY AT SEA, PEOPLE WHO HAVE RECEIVED TRAINING ARE MORE LIKELY TO SURVIVE. CLIPPER TRAINING RUNS A NUMBER OF SHORE-BASED COURSES TO TOP UP YOUR SAFETY KNOWLEDGE.



## RYA BASIC SEA SURVIVAL

Prepare yourself for a variety of rare emergency situations with this one day course. You will learn what to do, for example, in the unlikely event that you are washed overboard or you have to evacuate to a life raft.

During a practical session in a swimming pool, you will gain first-hand experience of the problems of entering or assisting colleagues on to an inflated and uncooperative life raft whilst fully kitted out. You will also gain hands on experience of the benefits and limitations of different types of safety equipment.

Successful candidates will be awarded the RYA Basic Sea Survival certificate. This qualification is a prerequisite if you wish to obtain a commercial endorsement on your Coastal Skipper and Yachtmaster qualification.

## BASIC FIRST AID

During a medical emergency at sea, a little first aid knowledge and immediate action can save lives. Clipper Training has developed this one day course to teach you the basics of First Aid for the offshore environment.

This course is designed to provide you with a practical knowledge of first aid, which is invaluable whether you are day sailing in the Solent or taking part in the Clipper Round the World Race.

The course covers all aspects of marine first aid including drowning, resuscitation, clinical shock, fractures, bleeding and wound management. All training is delivered by experienced paramedics and Ambulance Service approved trainers who will teach you how to work within the restrictions of a yacht at sea.

## MARINE RADIO SHORT RANGE CERTIFICATE (SRC)

In any kind of maritime emergency the VHF radio is an essential piece of safety equipment and an integral part of the Global Maritime Distress and Safety System (GMDSS).

The SRC radio course teaches all you need to know to operate a marine band VHF radio fitted with a Global Maritime Distress and Safety System (GMDSS) DSC controller.

As well as learning how to use of VHF radio for normal voice communications, you will develop a knowledge of emergency operating procedures for the use of VHF radio DSC controllers, Emergency Position Indicating Radio Beacons (EPIRB's) and Search and Rescue Transponders (SARTs).

By the end of this course you will be confident in the use of VHF radios and following successful completion of the GMDSS Short Range Certificate examination, taken at the end of the day, you will be qualified to operate any type of VHF Radio.

**DURATION: 1 DAY EACH**

**NUMBER OF STUDENTS TO INSTRUCTOR: 12:1**

**PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE REQUIRED: NONE**

**LOCATION: GOSPORT**



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