



When completed please return this form to [membership@halifaxesailingclub.org.uk](mailto:membership@halifaxesailingclub.org.uk)  
(Ideally electronically, e.g. scanned in Notes, or completed in Adobe)

Or by post to:- Mark Little, HxSWC Membership Secretary, 3 Carr Terrace, Luddenden, Halifax HX2 6QS

**I wish to apply for membership of Halifax Sailing & Watersports Club.**

Title ..... First name..... Family Name .....

Address .....  
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..... Postcode .....

Email ..... Home Tel No .....

Mobile Tel No .....

Membership type being applied for (see appendix for full details) please circle

- Full £175
- Windsurfing £145
- Small Watercraft £55
- Family +£25 on membership types above
- Associate £50 (can use the water but cannot be a craft owner)
- Student (16 – 18 yrs.) £40 Number of students .....
- Junior (Up to 15 yrs.) £25 Number of children .....
- Social £45

Payment should be made by bank transfer to: **Halifax Sailing and Watersports Club**  
Sort code **20-35-84** Account number: **40444030** Example reference: **J Smith New** (initial & family name + New)

If absolutely necessary, cheques can be sent to the membership secretary.

Full members are allowed to store a craft at the club. If you wish to do this, please specify the type and sail number:

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Family members are entitled to bring family members to the club. Please specify names of those family members and ages if under 18:

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Please specify the names and ages of all Junior members:

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**Emergency information.**

Please supply contact details of someone you would like us to contact in case of emergency:

Name..... Phone number .....

Do you have any medical conditions or physical conditions that we should be aware of?

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Do you consent to photographs and videos of you for training purposes and publishing on our website/Facebook, etc: Yes / No

Please read the following and sign below to give your consent:-

Sailing is by its nature unpredictable and therefore inherently involves an element of risk. By attending Halifax Sailing & Watersports Club, I agree and acknowledge that:

- I am aware of the inherent element of risk involved in the sport and accept responsibility for the exposure of myself, any family members and craft to such inherent risk whilst at the club, afloat or ashore
- I accept responsibility for any injury, damage or loss to the extent caused by my own or family members’ actions or omissions
- If I suffer, or have suffered, from any serious medical ailment, I will take the advice of my doctor before taking up dinghy sailing, windsurfing or other activities at the club.
- My craft is in good order and myself and family members are fit to participate
- The Club only provides safety boat cover during organised racing and training sessions. This provision is limited to such assistance, particularly in extreme weather conditions, as can be practically provided in the circumstances and does not relieve myself and family members of our own responsibilities

In addition:

- Dinghy sailors: My craft is insured, with cover of at least £2,000,000 against third party claims
- Other water-using members: I have taken out personal insurance, with cover of at least £2,000,000 against third party claims
- I undertake to comply with the rules and bye-laws of the Club \*\* (see below)
- I undertake to fulfill my obligations to participate in the Duty Rota for safety boat coxes and race officers as required by the Club
- I consent to my contact details being made available to other Club members via the password protected page of the Club’s website.
- I consent to my Emergency contacts details to be held securely on the club premises.

Consent:

I have checked the details the club holds for myself, made my subscription payment as indicated and have read the above, acknowledging the stated risks and agreeing to the terms of club membership.

Signed..... Date .....

To be signed by the parent if Junior membership applies and the person is under 18 years old.

\*\* A copy of the Club Rules, including Bye-Laws, can be downloaded from the Members’ Section of the club website.

## Membership application appendix

### MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

**FULL MEMBERS** will be over the age of 18 and owners or part owners of one or more boats or other craft. Full members may keep one boat or craft and may apply to the Committee to keep more at the Club. Full Members will be required to do duties.

**WINDSURFING MEMBERS** will be over the age of 18 years and owners of Windsurfers. Windsurfer members may apply to the Committee for the right to keep one or more windsurfers at the Club. Members of their family may use the club on shore only. They will not be required to do duties but may volunteer.

**SMALL WATERCRAFT MEMBERS** will be over the age of 18 years and owners of a small watercraft which will not be kept at the Club. Members of their family may use the club on shore only. They will not be required to do duties but may volunteer.

**FAMILY MEMBERSHIP** is available to one member of a family who meets the requirements of FULL, WINDSURFING or SMALL WATERCRAFT membership types. People in the family must live at the same address or be in full time education and will enjoy the same rights as the corresponding membership type. Members of their family have the right to use the Club ashore and afloat. The family member will be required to do duties, if duties are required for the corresponding membership type, other members of the family may volunteer for duties.

**ASSOCIATE MEMBERS** will be over the age of 18 years and will have the right to use the Club afloat and ashore. They may not bring or keep a boat or other craft to the Club. Members of their family may use the club on shore only. They will be required to do duties.

**STUDENT MEMBERS** are 16 or 17 years old or in full time education when elected. The Committee may grant Student members the right to keep a boat or craft at the Club. Student membership will finish on the 31st of December after the Student Member has reached the age of 18 or has left full time education. They may volunteer for duties.

**JUNIOR MEMBERS** are children up to 15 years old when elected. The Committee may grant Junior Members the right to keep a boat at the Club. A junior Member must always be accompanied by a member of the Club who is their: parent, guardian or a nominated person acting "in loco parentis". They will not be required to do duties.

**TRAINING MEMBERSHIP** may be granted to a person by using a Trainee membership application form. They may apply to keep a boat or windsurfer at the Club and have the right to use the Club ashore and afloat. Training membership will cease on expiration of the period as determined by the Committee. The Committee may terminate the Training Membership of any person at any time. TRAINING MEMBERS may be accompanied by members of their family on shore. They may volunteer to do duties.

**SOCIAL MEMBERS** will be over the age of 18 years and will have the right to use the Club ashore. They may

### PART YEAR DISCOUNT

For persons applying to join the club part way through the year, other than Trainees, the following discounts are applied.

Month	Percentage discount
June	20
July	35
August	50
September	65
October & November	80