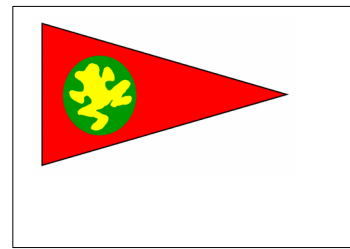




**DALE YACHT CLUB  
2021 Season  
Declaration for Club Sailing Events  
For JUNIOR Sailors**



This form **must** be fully completed by all competitors under 18 years of age

Name of competitor	
Class of Boat and Sail Number	

**Rule 4 of the Racing Rules of Sailing states "The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone"**

**Risk Statement**

Sailing is by its nature an unpredictable sport and therefore inherently involves an element of risk.

I understand that taking part in sailing events, I must agree and acknowledge that

- a) I am aware of the inherent element of risk involved in the sport and accept responsibility for exposing my child to such inherent risks;
- b) I have satisfied myself that my child has the necessary skill and knowledge to take part in DYC Dinghy Racing and to deal with conditions that may arise in the course of a race;
- c) I will not allow my child to participate in DYC Dinghy Racing whilst under the undue influence of alcohol, drugs or whilst otherwise unfit to participate;
- d) I am responsible for ensuring that the boat is in good order, equipped and insured (including third party insurance of at least £3 million) to take part in DYC Dinghy Racing;
- e) I am responsible for my child's property whether afloat or ashore;
- f) I accept responsibility for any injury, damage or loss to the extent caused by my own actions or omissions or actions or omissions of my child;
- g) the provision of a race management team, safety boats and other officials and volunteers does not relieve me of my parental/guardianship responsibilities or my child of his/her responsibilities;
- h) the provision of safety boat cover is limited to such assistance, particularly in extreme weather conditions, as can be practically provided in the circumstances;
- i) my child is bound by the Sailing Instructions and Racing Rules of Sailing.
- j) COVID - By signing this form I acknowledge my responsibility to members and volunteers of Dale Yacht Club and to the public to follow Government guidance in relation to Covid-19 and, in particular, to prevent the child from participating in club activities if he/she or any member of his/her household has been tested positive for Covid-19 or is suffering symptoms consistent with Covid-19 or has come into contact with such a person and my responsibility to report symptoms to the Club if these become apparent in the 7 days after participating in Club events. I understand that this responsibility continues for all events during the 2021 season and, to enable the Club to fulfil its responsibilities to Test and Trace authorities, I set out my contact details below. ( contact details will be destroyed on 1<sup>st</sup> October 2021)

### Supervision

During each event (tick one box):

I will be responsible for my child throughout the event and during the time that they are afloat. I will be available at the event venue.

I appoint the person named below, who has agreed to act in loco parentis. He/she will be responsible for my dependant throughout the event. During the time that my child is afloat he/she will be available at the event venue.

I confirm that I have read the Club's Risk Statement and paragraph (j) above and accept the provisions stipulated.

Name and signature of parent/guardian	
Contact telephone/mobile	
Email address	
Address and Postcode	
Person appointed in loco parentis	
Contact telephone/mobile	