



ALDEBURGH YACHT CLUB

JUNIOR & YOUTH REGATTA 2026

— 15 – 21 AUGUST 2026 —

A very warm welcome to the 2026 Aldeburgh Yacht Club Junior & Youth Regatta. We are delighted to welcome you back for another fantastic week of competitive racing, friendship and fun on the River Alde.

At the heart of our regatta is the **Boo Trophy**, celebrating the values that make our sailing community so special: **sportsmanship, inclusivity, respect, kindness and enthusiasm**. While we all enjoy the thrill of racing, our greatest aim is for every sailor to leave the week having had fun, made new friends and developed their confidence on the water.

This year, registration takes place on **Saturday between 9:00am and 1:00pm**, where you'll be able to collect your event pack and check your details before racing begins. Our **Welcome Drinks** have moved to **Sunday evening at 18:00**, and we hope you'll join us on the terrace to catch up with friends and meet new families. Tapas plates will also be available to order.

We're also excited to introduce our new **Debrief Den**. After racing, sailors can meet with our RYA coaches to talk through their races, discuss tactics, review decisions and ask questions in a relaxed, supportive environment. It's all about learning together, building confidence and becoming better sailors.

Thank you for joining us—we hope you have an unforgettable week both on and off the water.



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15 – 21 AUGUST 2026

SATURDAY
15 AUGUST



09:00-13:00

REGISTRATION

Come and sign in, collect your registration pack and confirm your details.



SUNDAY
16 AUGUST



09:00

13:00

18:00

MORNING BRIEFING

AFTERNOON BRIEFING

WELCOME DRINKS & BINGO

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*Tapas on
the Terrace*

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MONDAY
17 AUGUST

NO SAILING



THE THEME FOR THE 82ND ALDEBURGH CARNIVAL WILL BE "COUNTRY & EASTERN - ALDEBURGH HO DOWN" WITH PLENTY OF COUNTRY AND WESTERN INSPIRATION.

TUESDAY
18 AUGUST



09:00

13:00

18:30-21:30

MORNING BRIEFING

AFTERNOON BRIEFING

FAMILY BBQ

Join us for a family evening on the terrace with live music, BBQ and activities for children.

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WEDNESDAY
19 AUGUST

09:00

13:00

EVENING

MORNING BRIEFING

AFTERNOON BRIEFING

REST & RECHARGE

Evening of to rest and recharge.



THURSDAY
20 AUGUST



09:00

13:00

19:00

MORNING BRIEFING

AFTERNOON BRIEFING

BEACHY BLACK TIE PARTY

A fun evening for for competitors in Year 10 and above.



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FRIDAY
21 AUGUST



09:00

13:00

15:00 AROUND

MORNING BRIEFING

MEDAL RACES

The Top 6 competitors in each fleet (lasers, Fevas and Teras) battle it out for medals.

PRIZE GIVING

Celebrate the week's racing and achievements.

FANCY DRESS THEME



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RACING



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The Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions are available on the virtual JYR Noticeboard on the J&Y section of the club website.

Briefings (Each sailing day)

AM	PM
09:00 – ILCA, Fevas, Fast Handicap	13:00 – ILCA, Fevas, Fast Handicap, Teras, Slow Handicap, Regatta Fleet
09:30 – Teras, Slow Handicap, Regatta Fleet	

Any changes will be noted on the club website. We will try to also communicate these through the Instagram page and the Info Only WhatsApp group.

Join this group to be kept up to date.



AYC JYR 2026
WhatsApp community



Start Line South Line for all starts

Finish Line Club House Line for all finishes

Tally System

Instead of signing off after racing, there will be a Tally System – this will be explained at the first briefing. In essence you signal your intent to race by taking your allocated tally and you record your return by putting your tally back on the board. Should you need to retire you must sign the retirement sheet in the marquee.

TIDES FOR SLAUGHDEN QUAY:

Date	High Water	Low Water	High Water
Sunday 16th August	03:51	10:13	16:08
Tuesday 18th August	05:10	11:23	17:21
Wednesday 19th August	05:48	11:59	18:00
Thursday 20th August	06:29	12:41	18:46
Friday 21st August	07:17	13:40	19:45



RACE PROGRAMME

	AM	TIME	CLASS FLAG
Start 1	ILCA	1000	V
Start 2	Feva Gold	1005	F
Start 3	Fast Handicap	1010	NP2
Start 4	Feva Silver	1015	E
Start 5	Tera	1020	T
Start 6	Slow Handicap	1025	NP6
Start 7	Regatta Fleet	1035	K
	PM	TIME	CLASS FLAG
Start 1	ILCA	1400	V
Start 2	Fast Handicap	1405	NP2
Start 3	Feva	1410	F
Start 4	Tera	1415	T
Start 5	Slow Handicap	1420	NP6
Start 6	Regatta Fleet	1430	K



With huge thanks to Fleur Hayles for all her beautiful photography. fleurhayles.myportfolio.com

VOLUNTEERING

Parents, grandparents and older siblings of all abilities are encouraged to get involved throughout the week, on and off the water. It is great fun and gives everyone an opportunity to make new friends and find new skills you never knew you had! Please do think about volunteering either on the sailing front or the social side.

For helping with the sailing whether as part of the Race Officer team or in the dinghy park then please use the ivolunteer link here:
https://aycvolunteers.ivolunteer.com/ayc_jyr_2026.

If anyone is interested in trying out a position, Please do speak to the office who can guide you, rather than one of us.

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TROPHY LIST

MORNING SERIES

REGATTA FLEET	The Claire Cup
	The Bournemouth Club Cup
SLOW HANDICAP	The Richard Keane Salver
	The Asquith Cup
	The Panic Trophy
	The Chairman's Cup
RS TERA	The Splash trophy
FAST HANDICAP	Cave Cup
RS FEVA	The Flick & Son Cup
	Mrs Audrey Robinson's Cup
ILCA	The Adams Challenge Cup

1st in Regatta Fleet series
 1st Optimist in Regatta Fleet series
 1st Slow handicap in series
 1st Mirror in Slow Handicap series
 1st Topper in Slow Handicap series
 1st Optimist in Slow Handicap series
 1st Tera in series
 1st Fast Handicap in series
 1st Feva Gold
 1st Feva Silver
 1st ILCA in series



AFTERNOON SERIES

REGATTA	The Hoy Cup
SLOW HANDICAP	The Slow Youth Salver
	The Optimist Cup
RS TERA	The Lindley Cup
FAST HANDICAP	The Betty Raper Cup
RS FEVA	The de Quincey Cup
	(courtesy of Aldeburgh Carnival Committee)
ILCA	The J.F. Wilson Cup

1st in Regatta Fleet series
 1st Slow Handicap in series
 1st Optimist in series
 1st Tera in series
 1st Fast Handicap series
 1st Feva in series
 1st ILCA in series



BOTH MORNING AND AFTERNOON SERIES

SLOW HANDICAP	Sydney J Lovell Salver	Most improved Slow Handicap boat
OPTIMIST	The Sprit Cup	Most improved Optimist sailor
RS TERA	The Ransome Cup	Most improved Tera sailor
FAST HANDICAP	Lady Clay Cup	Most improved Fast Handicap boat
RS FEVA	Milne Cup	Most improved Feva helm
	The Marshall Hatchick Solicitors Award	Best spirit in a Feva crew
ILCA	The French Bucket	Most improved ILCA sailor
ALL	Framlingham College Award	Best new JYR sailor
VICTOR LUDORUM	The Margaret Tudor Memorial Cup	Most successful helm
BOO TROPHY	The Boo Trophy	Most enthusiastic, supportive, sporting sailor

THE BOO TROPHY

Celebrating Boo's Spirit



Presented to Aldeburgh Yacht Club (2016) in memory of Boo Van der Noot & in respect of the great attributes she is remembered for.

To be awarded annually to the sailor who, during Junior Regatta week, displays good sportsmanship; inclusiveness; respect & kindness to others; and enthusiasm both on and off the water.



SPORTSMANSHIP
PLAY FAIR AND
WITH INTEGRITY



INCLUSIVENESS
WELCOME OTHERS AND
CELEBRATE EVERYONE



RESPECT & KINDNESS
BE KIND, SHOW RESPECT
AND ENCOURAGE OTHERS



ENTHUSIASM
BE KEEN TO IMPROVE
AND HAVE FUN!

This trophy is not about being "the winner" or "the best",
 it is about being enthusiastic, keen to improve,
 kind to and encouraging of others and making it fun along the way!

Will you be the
 recipient this year?

CAST YOUR VOTE!

VOTING BOXES ON THE BAR
 & IN THE JUNIOR CLUB ROOM

