WELCOME TO ALDEBURGH YACHT CLUB



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We are a thriving club for sailing and boating on the glorious River Alde in Suffolk.

Our programme spans the year, with a full racing schedule, tuition at our RYA training centre, courses for local schools and a wide range of popular social events alongside leisure sailing and boating. Major events include our annual Regatta, our Junior Regatta and numerous cup races, talks and dinners.

The club is run day-to-day by our Club Manager and his team, including boatmen, who assist with launching, ferrying to moorings and maintaining our own fleet. Our bar and kitchen are staffed to offer first class hospitality. We also rely on volunteers, including our Flag Officers, committee members and numerous enthusiastic members whose energy makes the club such a vibrant place.



Dining in the Club House



Club House



Riverview Lounge

Why not join us today? The procedure is as follows:

- Please complete this Membership Application Form. If members of a family wish to visit the Club more than four times a year, they should be included in an application.
- On receiving your application, we will arrange for you to meet a Flag Officer who will tell you more about the club, discuss your interest in joining and how you may wish to be involved in our programme. All new members must then be approved by the General Committee.
- Annual subscriptions expire on 31st December. For those elected after 1st October, the first subscription will run for up to 15 months. Subscription fees are due on 1st January. Fees may be paid by Direct Debit for the following year of membership (with an option to spread payments over 6 months, with additional cost).
- Joining Fees apply to all new members and re-joiners and are set at 50% of the applicable subscription(s) to a maximum of £100 (i.e. a family would pay £100). 25% of the joining fee will be credited to the membership card of the 1st applicant in the year of joining, and another 25% in the following year and can be spent at the bar and galley. Using your membership card gives you a 15% discount in the bar and galley.

Subscription Fees

Category	2027 Fees
Full adult member (36+ years old)	£298
Couple (joint adults living at the same address)	£535
Family Membership (parents and all junior and child members living at the same address)	£595
Young Adult (24-35 years old)	£149
Youth (19-23 years old)	£95
Junior (10-18 years old)	£95
Child (9 years old and under)	£0

Under 18 year olds may not become members without a parent or guardian also being a member.
Concessionary rates become available to Members over 70 after 10 years of continuous membership.

APPLICATION FORM

☐ I/we wish to apply for Membership of Aldeburgh Yacht Club and agree to abide by the Club's rules & byelaws (copies of which are available to applicants on request and on the member section of the Club's website).

Included in your membership of the Club is membership of the Alde & Ore Association.

Data Protection: The information you provide in this form will be used solely for dealing with you as a member of Aldeburgh Yacht Club. Your data will be stored and used in accordance with the Club's data protective policy.

The Club may wish to publish a Member's Year Book in the members area of the website. This would include all consenting Members' names, email addresses, phone/mobile numbers, addresses, boat name, type and sail number, and details of trophies awarded. This data is held for legitimate interest reasons in compliance with the Data Protection Act 2018 and the General Data Protection Regulation. However, should you wish to opt out, please advise the Club Manager (clubmanager@aldeburghyc.org.uk).

The 1st Applicant will be the main contact for correspondence.

1st Applicant: Full Name: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

Email Address: _____ **Phone Number:** _____

☐ **I consent to the use of images.**

2nd Applicant: Full Name: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

Email Address: _____ **Phone Number:** _____

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3rd Applicant: Full Name: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

Email Address: _____ **Phone Number:** _____

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4th Applicant: Full Name: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

Email Address: _____ **Phone Number:** _____

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If there are more than 4 applicants, please write their details on a separate sheet.

If you or the individuals listed above later wish to withdraw their image consent, please contact the Club Manager at clubmanager@aldeburghyc.org.uk or write to Aldeburgh Yacht Club, Slaughden Road, Aldeburgh, Suffolk, IP15 5NA.

Home Address (*this is the address we will send correspondence to*)**:** _____

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Home Telephone Number: _____

Second Address (*if applicable*)**:** _____

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Home Telephone Number: _____

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If you own a boat, please write the details below:

Boat Name: _____ **Class:** _____ **Sail Number:** _____

☐ **Do you want us to put you in touch with the Class Captain?** (*if applicable*)

Are you a member of any other sailing/yacht clubs? If so, please write below:

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Would you like to sign up to pay the following years subscription by Direct Debit?

There are two Direct Debit options to choose from:

DD1: Full payment of subscription on the last working day of January.

DD6: Six monthly payments on the last working days of January, February, March, April, May and June. Equal payments, where possible, totalling the annual subscription. (There's no extra cost to choosing this option)

☐ *Tick the box and we will send you a Direct Debit Mandate form.*

Signature of 1st Applicant: _____

If you know any existing members, please let us know below.

To help us guide you round the club and make the most of it, do let us know which areas you are interested in learning more about:

Courses	Racing	Socials	Dinghy Park
Junior Sailing	Moorings	Volunteering	Powerboating

Part of the joining process is to complete a new members meeting with one of our flag officers after we've received your application form. Please let us know below some dates you will be available for a meeting at AYC.

This meeting enables them to help you with any questions you may have regarding the Club and to allow them to understand any support you may need to make your first year of membership as rewarding as possible.
