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is part of the ScotSail Group and is one of the largest RYA Sail Cruising Training and Charter Centres in Scotland and the UK and provides the best quality sailing and powerboat tuition in the country.

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1 Weekend Experiences

RYA Start Yachting
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International Certificate of Competence

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Shorebased Theory Courses

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RYA Essential Navigation & Safety – 1 Weekend Course
RYA Day Skipper – 3 Weekends / 20 Evenings / 7 Days
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RYA Competent Crew Practical
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RYA VHF Marine Radio (SRC) RYA First Aid
RYA Diesel Engine Maintenance RYA Radar

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5 Day Experiences

RYA Coastal Skipper
RYA Yachtmaster Prep
Experience Milebuilder Practical

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National PowerBoat Scheme

RYA PowerBoat Level 1 1 Day
RYA PowerBoat Level 2 2 Days
RYA PowerBoat Package 3 Days
RYA Intermediate and Advanced

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PowerBoat Experiences

Loch Lomond half and full day Explorer Packages

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1 Weekend Experiences

The RYA Start Yachting Course is a shortened version of the Competent Crew course and is run every weekend from March to October inclusive. Weekend courses or sailing experiences are run over Saturday/Sundays, with arrival on Friday evening. All weekend sailing experiences are full board (Sat/Sun).

3 Weekends or 5 Day Experiences

RYA Competent Crew Practical

This course is ideal for those new to sail cruising and aims to give as much enjoyment as possible. You will spend all day at sea before arriving at a different port or anchorage each evening, allowing you to enjoy the delights of Scotland's highlands and islands.

RYA Day Skipper Practical/I.C.C.

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This course teaches the basic practical skippering techniques and allows you to take command of the yacht and her crew in familiar waters by day. Some pre-course experience is recommended

and the minimum age for the award is 16 years. Holders of the Day Skipper course can apply to the RYA to receive an International Certificate of Competence with a passport-sized photograph and most international charter companies will accept this as your 'charter license'.



National PowerBoat Scheme

RYA PowerBoat Level One / 1 Day

This course is designed to provide a practical introduction to boat handling and safety in powerboats. The course will be undertaken in a planing vessel and will cover many topics throughout the day to give you and your family/friends the confidence that you are a safe, competent and qualified powerboat operator.

RYA PowerBoat Level Two / 2 Days

This course is designed to provide a practical introduction to boat handling and safety in powerboats as well as to teach seamanship in powerboats and both slow and high-speed manoeuvres. Theory, safety and navigation topics will be covered including IRPCS (International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea).

RYA Powerboat Intermediate / 2 Days

A course designed to teach pilotage and navigation on small powerboats in familiar water.

RYA Powerboat Advanced / 2 Days

This course is for leisure and professional boaters wanting to undertake more adventurous trips. It includes navigation by day and night, weather and other aspects of skippering a small boat on more challenging passages in coastal waters.

5 Day Experiences RYA Coastal Skipper

This is a more advanced course focusing on the techniques and skills required to skipper a vessel on longer passages, involving complex decision making, navigation, planning and pilotage. The minimum age for award is 17 years.



1 Day Safety Courses

RYA VHF Marine Radio (SRC)

This one-day course is held every month at our Largs and Preston centres. It is a legal requirement to have this license if you use or own VHF marine radio equipment. No previous knowledge is necessary.

RYA Diesel Engine Maintenance

This one-day course is essential for any boater and teaches basic maintenance, servicing and preventative care – don't become a Coastguard statistic – know your engine! No previous knowledge is necessary.

RYA 1 Day Radar Course

One day course in use of small craft radar at sea, including theory and practice using that latest LightMaster Simulators and brand new real radar equipment. This course ensures you get the most out of modern GPS-Radar Plotters.



Directions to ScotSail's **LargsCentre**

By Car: Largs Yacht Haven is reached easily via the A737 adjoining the M8 from Glasgow and the A71 adjoining the M74 – only a few hours drive from the north of England. Sat-Nav users can use postcode KA30 8EZ.

By Rail: There is an hourly train service to and from Glasgow at the time of going to press. The train station is a two minute taxi drive from ScotSail at Largs Yacht Haven. Please visit www.ScotRail.co.uk for further details.

By Air: Glasgow International (GLA) and Prestwick International (PIK) airports are just 45 minutes drive away from Largs Yacht Haven.

Directions to ScotSail's **PrestonCentre**

By Car: To find us from north, east or south, head into Preston following signs to the railway station, then follow signs to Lytham and Blackpool. This route joins the A583. Sat-Nav users can use postcode PR2 2YP.

By Rail: Various trains run into Preston from Blackpool, Manchester, Coventry and other major English towns and cities. Please visit the English rail travel information site at www.tpexpress.co.uk for further details.

By Air: The nearest airport to Preston Marina is Manchester International (MAN), just 40 miles from our Preston Training Centre.

Directions to ScotSail's **LomondCentre**

By Car: Our operating base is located in Balloch, Alexandria next to the Tourist where there is ample free car parking next to the VisitScotland information centre. Balloch is just off the A82 main road approximately twenty-five miles north of Glasgow. Sat-Nav users can use postcode G83 8SS.

By Rail: There is an hourly train service to and from Glasgow at the time of going to press. The train station is immediately adjacent to our operating base (50 metres). Please visit www.ScotRail.co.uk for further details.

By Air: Glasgow International Airport (GLA) is just 30 minutes' drive from our LomondCentre.



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