SEA ESSAY SAILING PROGRAMME 2026 Date: 10/062026

NEW MOON | FULL MOON

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Jan	Winter Maintenance																														
Feb	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28			
	Winter Maintenance																										AS Refresh	CSCS C AGM			
Mar	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	AS Refresh						Sea Time WE1		Charter (RH)				Boat Handling 2													Sea Time ExWE1				M	BH3
Apr	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
	BH3		Charter (GB)							Basic Skipper Skills DS/CC		AS Refresh					M	Sea Time WE2		Marketing Sea Time			Sea Time LWE1					GDS VOA	GDS VOA	
May	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	GDS Bid					Chrtr (JL)		CSSC TD2	Sea Time WE3		Chtr (MB)	CSSC TD			Charter (JM/GB)						Chrtr (NJ)	CSSC TD6	Charter (JH)			M	M				AS Refresh
Jun	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
	SC Hamble to Channel Islands (RC)										SC Sea Time CIs/N. France (AL)									SC Wk4 CIs/N. France (MB)							SC Wk5 Sea Time CIs/N. France (SS)			
Jul	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	SC Wk5 Sea Time (SS)				SC Wk6 CIs/N. France (IM)							SC Wk7 ST CIs to Plymouth (IS)							SC Wk8 Plymouth (BS)							SC Wk9 ST Plymouth (SI) - Women on Water				
Aug	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
		SC Wk10 Plymouth (SW)							SC Wk11 Plymouth (CH)							SC Wk12 Plymouth (DP)							SC Wk13 ST Plymouth (GB)						SC ST Wk14 to Hamble (TBD)	
Sep	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
	SC Wk14 ST Plymouth to Hamble (TBD)					MAINTENANCE				Sea Time ExWE2				Charter Bid (CH)			CSSC TD7	CSSC TD8	Prov GDS	Prov GDS	Charter Bid (NJ)			GDS VOA	GDS VOA	CSSC Sea Time 2		M	CSSC TD9	CSSC TD10	
Oct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	CSSC TD11	GDS Events	Sea Time WE4		Boat Handling 4			GDS8	GDS9			Charter Bid (BS)											Sea Time LWE2			M	Charter Bid (JL)				
Nov	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
		7-Day YM Prep & Exam or 5-Day YM Pre-requisite Mileage/Night Hours/Nav					RYA YM Exam							Sea Time WE5																	
Dec	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	Winter Maintenance																														
Jan 2027	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	Winter Maintenance																														

Training Course	Charters	**CONTACTS:**	
BH Boat Handling	SC Summer Cruise		
YM Yachtmaster	GDS Group Day Sails		
DS Day Skipper	TD Taster Day		
CC Competent Crew	M Maintenance		
ST Sea Time	ISS Inshore Skipper Scheme		

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Bank Holidays 2026

03 April	Friday	Good Friday
06 Apr	Monday	Easter Monday
04 May	Monday	Early May Bank Holiday
25 May	Monday	Spring Bank Holiday
31 Aug	Monday	Summer bank holiday

Note 1: all dates that are blank (i.e. not colour coded) are available for member charter subject to the usual requirements, including for an Approved Skipper

Note 2: if there is sufficient demand it may be possible to organise sessions for qualifying activities that are not currently covered