

RYA INTERMEDIATE POWERBOAT COURSE JOINING INSTRUCTIONS

The date of your RYA Intermediate Powerboat Practical Course is rapidly approaching! I hope you are looking forward to it.

The Course starts at 0900 and finishes approximately at 1700 and takes place at iPowerboat, Marine Training Centre, Near Kinlochleven, Argyll. PH50 4QN. The training centre has just opened, but we're still to install branding/signs etc. If coming from North Ballachulish, drive towards Kinlochleven, eventually you will pass an island with a layby, the training centre is about 200m further on the road. If driving from Glencoe, drive through the village of Kinlochleven and out the other side. You'll eventually pass over a narrow bridge, the training centre is about 200m further on.

You will need to bring: Warm clothes including gloves, thick socks and sea boots (if you have them). Our RIB is pretty dry but it does rain sometimes in this part of the world – so we suggest you bring some waterproofs! We obviously provide suitable lifejackets. If you need any assistance with the kit requirements – please ASK!

The course is essentially practical and, by visiting a variety of locations, you will have the opportunity to develop your practical skills throughout the course. The course content also includes a number of shore-based lectures covering subjects such as Collision Regulations, Chartwork, Meteorology, High Speed Navigation etc. You should be competent in navigation at Day Skipper theory standard, hold a VHF Short Range Certificate, and a valid first aid certificate.

Our instructors hold huge amounts of experience, with a speciality in small commercial vessel operations. Please feel free to ask as many questions as you need during your course.

You will need to bring a packed lunch and there will be plenty of tea and coffee available at all times! You also have the option of having hot food at the hotel.

If you have any queries please contact me at the number below otherwise, I look forward to meeting you in our Centre.



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