

Island Sailing Club

Sonar Sailing Days

The regatta destination in Cowes



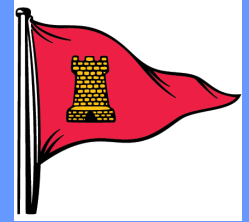
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SONAR FLEET

Matched fleet of 9 professionally maintained boats available for charter

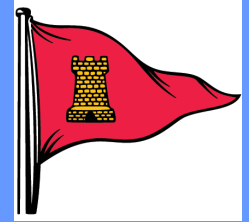


The ISC can offer (Ashore)...



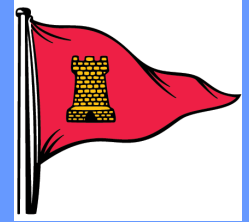
- Commanding a central location in the heart of the old town, we are in easy walking distance to all local services and entertainments
- Within easy access of south coast ferry ports
- Nearby friendly yacht chandlers for those ongoing repairs
- Launch service servicing nearby Sonar moorings
- Bar and Restaurant (Open to suit your requirements) with unrivalled balcony views overlooking the Solent.
- Excellent catering facilities with the ability to host up to 120 people for formal dinners or 200 for a buffet / BBQ in our Lower Marquee.
- Ability to arrange packed lunches
- Continental / Full English breakfast with morning briefing
- On site accommodation for up to 12 people
- Changing and shower facilities
- Disabled facilities including Lift to Bar and Restaurant
- Live and Forecasted Weather information

The ISC can offer (Afloat)...



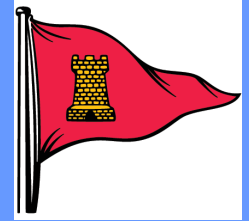
- Charter the fleet of up to 9 matched Sonar Keelboats
- Highly professional race teams with years of experience
- Professionally equipped Committee vessels and RIBS
- Races run from the Club's well appointed roof top race box or Committee vessel
- Long history of success in organising top level yachting events including
 - J.P. Morgan Asset Management Round the Island Race
 - 2 days of Cowes Week
 - John Lewis Partnership Regatta (For ~ 50 years)
 - Civil Service Regatta
 - Hunter Nationals 2009
- Quick and efficient protest management
- Access to professional local marine photographers

What is a Sonar ?



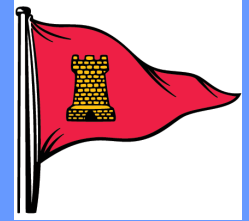
- 7m long fibreglass keelboat designed by Bruce Kirby (Famous for also designing the Laser dinghy)
- Capable of carrying 5 persons
- Moored opposite ISC clubhouse in Cowes
- Bermudan rig with Main Jib and Spinnaker
- Ideally suited to Solent conditions
- Perfect for beginners & accomplished sailors
- Professionally maintained by ISC staff
- More info at www.islandsc.org.uk/fleet.aspx

What to expect from the ISC



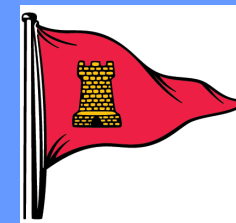
- The ISC employs a full time Sailing Secretary who will work with you to ensure your event is a success and can:
 - Write and publish all race specific documentation (Notice of Race / Sailing Instructions Entry forms)
 - Involve the ISC in-house catering manager to organize all onshore events / requirements
 - Liaise with accommodation agents to ensure your competitors requirements are met
 - If required, negotiate bulk discount on ferry travel for competitors and supporters
 - Publish online race results and present on dedicated event notice board before competitors are ashore

Sample Programme



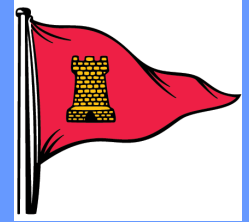
- Day 1
 - Welcome and registration
 - Morning briefing with Coffee & Bacon rolls. Meet Chief Race Officer & race team to discuss race plan for the day
 - Up to 3 races – Windward leeward or round the cans
 - Ashore for drinks in the 'Wet bar' - Results available
 - Evening Dinner (Formal / BBQ / Buffet)
- Day 2
 - Up to 3 races
 - Ashore for prize giving in Top Marquee with unrivalled rooftop views of the Solent
 - Bar open for the rest of your stay

Costings guide



- **Tailored to your specific needs - Approx costs ex VAT from:**
 - **Sonars (up to 9 available)** **£ 190 / boat**
 - **Committee Vessel and Race Team** **£ 350**
 - **Mark laying Rib** **£ 85**
 - **Approx Rib fuel** **£ 80**
 - **Launch Service to Moorings** **£ FOC**
 - **Event Admin**
(Publication of NOR / SI's Results etc) **£ 150**
 - **Catering**
 - **Formal Dinners from** **£ 20 / head**
 - **Hot / Cold Buffet from** **£ 15 / head**
 - **BBQ from** **£ 11 / head**
 - **Accommodation** **Available on request**

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