



# Centre Principal's Review

## RYA Compliance Mandate for School Training and Club Events

The RYA sets clear rules: precise Instructor-to-sailor ratios, specific Power Boat and Driver requirements, all under the umbrella of rigorous Safeguarding, which we lacked previously. The last year has been about putting that right.

## Training Boost

We've powered up our training, investing in people to scale up, spread the workload and combat volunteer fatigue across the whole Club.

It's a huge effort away from the foreshore, which includes Senior Instructors, Dinghy Instructors, Assistant Instructors, Power Boat Drivers, First Aid, Safe and Fun, Safeguarding Team, and everything and everybody that make it all happen.

## Program Diversification

We're adding windsurfing and SUP instruction to our roster and strengthening our race training with more dedicated Dinghy Instructors.

## Fiscal Shift

We've flipped the script on funding—no more self-funded training. We've bagged nearly £10k in grants to propel our club's capabilities forward.

## Operational Precision

With a team dedicated to meeting RYA standards, our events and training can now operate, scale and grow more smoothly.

## Team Salute

Kudos to Bryan Youlden, our funding ace; Steve Booth, the financial and IT lifeblood; Tom Nimmo, our Membership and systems architect; Bob Glowa, who keeps our club's heart beating strong and of course Joan, Kathy and the team in the Galley, to mention a few, not forgetting Eric Davies, often the first person to welcome and guide visitors and potential new Members.