



OBAN SAILING CLUB

Founded 1935

Commodore: Toby Sherwin Hon. Treasurer: Richard Beith
Hon. Secretary: Caroline Carter

Membership Secretary: Irena Chapman, Suilven, 58 Nant Drive, Oban, Argyll, PA34 4NL

6th December 2010

Dear Oban Sailing Club Member

Greetings to all at this cold and snowy time, best wishes for the coming Christmas season – and a request that it is also of course time to break out the cheque book for Membership renewal for 2011! At the AGM it was agreed once again to retain the membership fees at the same level as last year.

You can opt to pay all of your membership fee in one payment **or** you can pay 5 consecutive monthly standing orders **commencing 31st December '10**. Please note we cannot offer this option after this date. You will need to set this up with your bank individually, notifying me of this on the membership form, and ensuring your reference identification on the standing order clearly identifies the club member(s) it relates to, not just the account number.

For our Honorary Members the enclosed membership form is purely for you to fill in to confirm your contact details and sign the racing insurance declaration if applicable.

Dinghy sailors who took part in the 2009 course are reminded that their two year membership is now finished and fees are now due; those who participated in the 2010 course have no fees to pay for 2011, however it is still necessary that you complete and return the form please.

Parents or carers of Junior members who are not themselves members of the club can still participate if they wish by indicating how they can help or would like to be involved at section 4 on the form.

Prompt renewal is required by the Club constitution, we also need your up to date details to produce the Club Handbook accurately in time for the start of the season and to keep in touch with you. We are planning a number of Winter events. In particular please double check your email and 'phone details and ensure they are legible! As we routinely use email for **all** sailing club correspondence it is important I receive this accurately **and that you notify me of any changes through the year**. If receiving via email is **not** convenient or possible please indicate this on section 5 on the form so you can continue receiving information via surface mail.

However you choose to pay please remember we have ongoing expenses all year, we keep membership fees as low as possible and prompt payment by everyone is essential for the financial wellbeing of the club. If you were unable to attend the AGM and would like information regarding the clubs expenses please ask. All cheques should be made payable to Oban Sailing Club and sent to me at the above address. If, for any reason, you do not wish to renew your membership, please let us know why (with thanks in anticipation) so that we can discuss what more we could be doing for our members.

Forms and payment or payment details should be returned to me at the address above by the **31st December 2010**, and as a reward for meeting this deadline, you will be entered into a prize draw, to be drawn at the launch supper.

If you have any queries, or require further copies of the membership form, please do not hesitate to get in touch with me, by email chapmaneiaj@tiscali.co.uk or on **01631 562711**

Looking forward to hearing from you,

Irena

Irena Chapman
Membership Secretary



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Membership Application/Renewal 2011 (Website application)

Please return to: Irena Chapman, OSC Membership Secretary, Suilven, 58
Nant Drive,
OBAN, Argyll, PA34 4NL (Phone: 01631 562711)

1. Members Details (please write clearly!)

Adult name(s)	Junior or Child Members (under 18 years)	
.....	Name	Date of Birth
Address .....	.....	.....
.....
Town .....	.....	.....
County .....	.....	.....
Post Code .....	.....	.....
Tel. (Home) .....	.....
Tel. (Work) .....	.....
Tel. (Mob.) .....	.....
Email(s) * see note 5 .....	.....

2. Membership categories and club facilities

Please indicate the membership category and club facilities that you require for the coming year and your payment system option. (For B please complete details at section 6 below)

- A) Single cheque for full amount enclosed
B) Equal consecutive monthly payments by Standing Order (see note 6)

Membership	N ^o .	A	B	Notes
Family Member		£ 110	5 x £ 22	<p>N^o – please indicate numbers if more than one in each category</p> <p>Concessionary membership, entitles the holder to the privileges of Full membership. This category is open to:</p> <p>i) persons over 18 who are undertaking full time education, or are in training or apprenticeship, ii) persons who are disabled, iii) persons who are over 65 and iv) persons residing over 75 miles from Oban. v) The committee shall have the power to allow Concessionary membership to other persons in appropriate circumstances upon application.</p> <p>Dinghy storage is limited to first 15 applicants</p> <p>Locker space is limited to first 16 applicants</p>
Full Member/s		£ 70	5 x £ 14	
Concessionary Member/s (Full status)		£ 35	5 x £ 7	
Associate Member(s)		£ 35	5 x £ 7	
Junior member/s		£ 35	5 x £ 7	
'10 Dinghy training course 2nd year Membership		£ 0	£ 0	
Dinghy Storage in Shed (1 inflatable dinghy)		£ 25	5 x £ 5	
Locker in Shed (annual fee)		£ 25	5 x £ 5	
Clubhouse Key (annual fee)		£ 5	5 x £ 1	
TOTAL		£	5 x £	

