

Category	Description	£
A Full	Aged over 25 on 01/01/2026	229.00
B Full (Youth)	Aged over 18 and under 25 on 01/01/2026	67.00
E Associate	Limited to one per Full member	57.00
F Family	Please see over for details – Rule 4(g)	352.00
G Junior	Aged over 8 and under 18 on 01/01/2026	67.00
H Junior and Responsible Person	Please see category list for details.	98.00
Berthing Fees		
	Junior & Optimist Boats	20.00
	Other Boats/Trailers	57.00

EXPLANATION OF THE MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES ATTACHED

IMPORTANT

2026 Membership is from April 1st 2026 to March 31st 2027

Please complete this form and send it to [Matt Watkiss](mailto:subs@sail.org.uk) at subs@sail.org.uk to begin the joining process. New member applications cannot currently be processed via the website.

If you pay by regular instalments, the full amount must be paid by the end of September.

Principal Applicant – please give DATE OF BIRTH if under 18 [Date of birth -]

Forename	Surname	Category	£
Address			Tel Number
			Email Address
Postcode			If you supply a valid email address, club notices will be sent electronically saving costs.

Other Applicants – please give date of birth if under 18

Forename	Surname	Date of birth	Category	£

Berthing fees

Please note that an additional berthing fee is required for a road trailer if you are unable to keep it on your own berth but wish to leave it at the club.

Junior/Optimist @ £20.00 each

Other craft @ £57.00 each

Trailers @ £57.00 each

Payment by Tick one

Cheque enclosed ☐

Cash ☐

BACS ☐

TOTAL DUE

£

PLEASE CONTINUE OVERLEAF AND TICK AND SIGN THE DECLARATIONS

Boats - All crafts sailing on the club water shall be covered by a policy of insurance including third party and passenger liability to a minimum of £2,000,000

Class of boat	Boat number	Boat name	Berth if known

I/We consent to the Club holding these details on file for the duration of our membership and for a period of 5 years after my/our membership has ceased. I/We understand that the information provided in this form will be used solely for processing my application and for administrative purposes of the Club. The data will not be shared with any third party for marketing or commercial purposes. I/We consent to my and/or my family's contact details being published in the Club Handbook. I consent to my and/or my family's name being published on the club website and newsletter in relation to club news.

The Club's data protection policy is available on the website at <https://sail.org.uk/data-protection-privacy-policy/>

I agree to observe the rules and bye-laws of the club. I agree to undertake OOD or Safety Boat duty (Cat A, B, E, F).

Signature of principal applicant	Date
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The following regulations apply to all persons aged under18. (see Bye-Laws, regulation 9).

Parents & guardians are warned that the club is only able to provide rescue facilities during the hours of club racing. **Outside these hours** parents and guardians have the sole responsibility for their children and wards and must appreciate that the club cannot be expected to exercise supervision or control. Even during club racing the club cannot accept responsibility for children, or any persons, not engaged in racing.

***Signature of parent or guardian (in loco parentis) of any person under 18 named on this form is required, signifying knowledge of and acceptance of the above regulations.**

Signature of parent or guardian	Date
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YOUR ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO ALL THE CLUB RULES AND BYE-LAWS (see website) AND IN PARTICULAR TO THE FOLLOWING:

RULE 9 – Any member who has not paid his/her subscriptions for the current year in full or defaults on a regular payment shall not be entitled to the privileges of membership.

BYE-LAW 2 – “Adequate personal buoyancy must be worn at all times on the water...”

BYE-LAW 3 – “All crafts sailing on the club water shall be covered by a policy of insurance including third party and passenger liability to a minimum of £2,000,000...”

BYE-LAW 9 – This very important Bye-law should be read in full in the handbook. It relates to the responsibilities of parents and guardians for their Junior Members.

It is the obligation of "Full" & Associate members to undertake O.O.D. and Rescue Boat duty.

Payment options:-

- ☐ Cheque – please send your cheque made payable to “Bolton Sailing Club” for the full amount with this form.
- ☐ Cash – please give this form and the full amount to the subscription secretary as soon as possible.
- ☐ BACS – please see below for Bank Details

Remittance to: **Mr M Watkiss, Subscription Secretary,**
29 Corner Gate, Westhoughton, Bolton, BL5 2SE
Email: subs@sail.org.uk Telephone no: 07312 249193
Cheques are to be made payable to "Bolton Sailing Club"
Fees include Affiliation to the Royal Yachting Association

Bolton Sailing Club
Account No. - 7222515
Sort Code – 40 12 25
Ref – “Your Name”

EXPLANATION OF THE MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

For Full Details refer to Section B. of the Constitution (Membership and Subscriptions) available on website.

FULL MEMBERSHIP

This falls into 2 (Two) further categories:

- A. A person who is over 25
- B. A person who is over 18 but under 25 (Youth),

All ages are as at 1/1/2026. Any person aged 18 years or more who is a boat owner must join in one of the categories A or B.

Any person aged 18 years or more not attached to a Full member must join in one of categories A, or B.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP – CAT E

This is a category (E) for the spouse/partner of a “Full” member. Each “Full” member may have one “Associate” member only. "Associates" have no right to vote at General Meetings of the Club or own a boat upon the water.

FAMILY MEMBERSHIP – CAT F

Shall include one or two parents (as may be) and all their children (Juniors) who have not attained the age of 18 on the first day of January during the year of enrolment or membership. (Rule 4(h))

JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP – CAT G

Junior members are persons under 18 on 1/1/2026. There is no charge for any Junior under 8 years old on 1/1/2026.

This does not bar them from going on the water.

The written consent of a parent or guardian is required each year of membership. A junior joining under this category must be linked to a full member.

JUNIOR AND RESPONSIBLE PERSON MEMBERSHIP (Category H)

This category of membership shall include one child (Junior) who has not attained the age of 18 on 1/1 and their adult responsible person. No such responsible person shall have the right to sail, vote at General Meetings or serve on the General Committee. Additional qualifying children can be added to the group on the payment of the appropriate Junior subscription.