



Sailing is one of the very few sports in which people of all physical abilities can participate on equal terms. Experience the thrill of sailing by feel and sound without being able to see, or the freedom of sailing a boat at speed without being able to walk, or the joy of joining in a sport where not being able to hear doesn't matter.

Dinghy Sailing

The quickest, easiest way to learn to sail! Dinghies are small, easy to handle and generally light to launch and transport. Learn to sail on your own in a single handed dinghy or with a crew. Once you've mastered the basics you can potter about exploring your local stretch of water, join a sailing club full of like-minded people, or learn to race. Whether you are a beginner or an expert, expect to have fun on the water!

Tuition available in Topper, Pico, Laser, Wayfarer, Enterprise, Optimist and family boats.

Introduction and Beginner Courses:-

RYA National Sailing Scheme

Under 16 scheme

Youth Start Sailing Stage 1, 2, 3 & 4

Adult Scheme

Adult Start Sailing Level 1 & 2

Further development courses:-

Adult Better Sailing Level 3

Adult Seamanship Skills

Adult Spinnaker Training

Windsurfing

Windsurfing keeps you fit, it's exhilarating and easy to learn but offers challenges along the way. It is never boring. It's environmentally friendly and it doesn't cost the earth. It's something you can do on your own, with friends or family or as part of a team.

Introduction and Beginner Courses:-

RYA National Windsurfing Scheme

Under 16 scheme

Youth Stage 1, 2, 3 & 4

Adult Scheme

Adult Start Windsurfing

Adult Intermediate Windsurfing

Further development courses:-

Windsurfing Intermediate Clinics

Powerboating

Powerboat Training - whatever your age or experience. Welton Waters Adventure Centre provides a superb environment in which to develop your powerboat skills at all levels whether you are looking for a practical introduction to boat handling skills, wanting to learn the essentials of skilled powerboat driving, or wishing to understand the essential safety considerations for skippering a boat by night and in more demanding conditions.

Introduction and Beginner Courses:-

Powerboat Courses

Under 16 scheme

Junior Powerboat Level 1 & 2

Adult Scheme

Adult Powerboat Level 2

Further development courses:-

Powerboat - Safety Boat

Open Water Swimming

Whether you're training for an event or just swimming for fun Open Water Swimming is far different from Pool Swimming. Come and give it a go in the safe environment of our lake.

Kayaking / Canoeing

WWAC provides an ideal environment to take your first paddle strokes in this wonderful sport, and a great family day out. Experienced instructors will teach you the basic skills of navigating and paddling canoes or kayaks. Also you can refine your technique as you work towards an award.

Our BCU qualified staff will guide you through all the basic strokes and allow plenty of time to practice your technique, before giving you the opportunity to paddle around WWAC lake allowing you to get up close to some fascinating wildlife!

Canoeing / Kayaking Courses

Paddlepower, BCU 1 & 2 Star

We offer 3 types of Birthday Party

1. Land Based: Archery, Team Games etc.

Please be aware that with team games you might still get wet so if you are wanting totally dry games please let us know.

2. Water Based: Sailing, Windsurfing, Rafted Canoes, Raft Building or Kayaking.

This can include a water fight and jetty jumping to finish. minimum of 6 people and the maximum number depends on the activity: i.e. Sailing 12, Windsurfing 6, Rafted Canoes 15.

3. Pirate Party: this is basically our big boats out on the water dressed as pirate ships, the kids get to play all sorts of games but the main aim is a massive water fight with water guns, water bombs etc. out in the middle of the lake. Jetty Jumping can also be included at the end. Minimum of 8 people and a maximum of 16.

For any activity we provide all the equipment i.e. Wetsuits, Helmets, Buoyancy Aids, Bows, Arrows, Water Bombs etc. if you have any in the group who can't swim or are not very good swimmers we will provide them with a Lifejacket.

Bush Craft

In our outdoor learning areas there are a wide range of cross curricular activities for primary and secondary school age children as well as adults and special interest groups.

Pond Dipping: Explore, identify and record the creatures living beneath the water.

Minibeast Hunt: Go on a bug hunt and find out where the minibeasts live at WWAC.

Minibeast Habitats: Choose your favourite mini beast and make them their very own home!

Amazing Art: Collect materials to make simple collages on a theme or get involved in bark art including clay modelling tree sculptures.

Seasonal Story Trail: Find the seasonal adjectives hidden in the outdoor area and create your own story or poem. Wizardry Inks and Potions: Using nature's very own materials to create magical inks and potions.

Shelter Building: Work together to build your very own woodland shelter to keep warm and dry.

Orienteering and Map Reading: An introduction to these essential skills with a mini course to test your skills.

FREE Planning Visits - Hands-on activities

Land and Water based - Experienced Outdoor Leaders
Teambuilding / Problem Solving activities,

Indoor facilities include: classroom and games room
Tailor made days to suit your group these may include land and/or water based activities.