

TopYacht crew options for Keelboat racing

Option 1

No Crew

Options 2 - Event Crew

Collect crew for an event – does not change over event eg Etchells regatta.

Option 3 – Race Crew/Crew Declaration

Collect crew detail on a race by race basis

The skipper can add crew to their boat for a race.

They can come back at any time and tick/untick who is “On Board”

This includes a mobile friendly version they can access.

There are 2 versions of this.

Version 3.1 as described immediately above.

Version 3.2 as per 3.1 plus ... once a week (one minute after midnight Monday) the list of who is “OnBoard” each boat is logged and then the “OnBoard” tick box is automatically unticked.

The Owner/rep then needs to tick the “OnBoard” box for each crew who is a POB for this race. This is quickly and easily done on a phone. They can also add new crew by simply adding the details of the new person.

Option 4 – Intention to Race

A personalised (boat based) SMS message is send to each owner on the day of the race. It provides a link where the owner can go to indicate whether they intend to race or not and how many people are on board. Then can return to tick a “retired” box if they wish.

This is done on a race by race basis. It does not collect crew details, just numbers.

Option 5 – Cat 1 / Cat 2 offshore races

This option collects considerable information for each member of the crew. The expectation is that the crew is responsible for updating their own data but the owner or boat rep can access, check and update all crew details for this race.

Notes

Options 2 and 3 can collect a variety of information on each crew member. But, particularly for 3.2, it is intended to be accessed on a mobile phone so it is important to keep this simple.

Option 3.2 is also available via the **MemberPoint** app. In this case the sailor’s data is extracted from the club’s membership database and the POB for each race stored in TES. New sailors can be added by way of the **MemberPoint** “day pass” system.

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