

## **Yacht management and maintenance by Flying Fish**

**Are you thinking of buying a boat?** Or perhaps you already own one and are struggling to keep up with the maintenance and thinking of selling! Why not let Flying Fish take the angst out of yacht ownership so you can enjoy sailing.

**Step on board and sail away.** With over 15 years experience managing yachts in Sydney our team of friendly technicians, qualified skippers and instructors can assist with all your technical and operational needs. We can provide as much or as little as you want and our rates are very reasonable.

**Why not let us charter your yacht** out when you are not using it. We promote your yacht on our site and handle all the administration for charter bookings. We ensure your boat is thoroughly checked and cleaned before and after each charter. You use your boat when you want to go sailing and we charter it out for you when you don't. We earn a percentage of the charter fee, but the majority goes to you.

**Flying Fish offers a full management service** but if you prefer to use our services on an occasional basis we can do this too. Work is carried out by our in house staff where possible. For jobs outside of our direct expertise we subcontract to specialist suppliers. Our services include

- Cleaning and detailing inside and out
- Fuelling and provisioning
- Engine servicing and repair
- Winch servicing and repair
- YA safety audit and NSW maritime registration and survey.
- Onboard safety management plan - an essential tool in mitigating operational risks
- Safety equipment servicing - fire extinguishers, life rafts, flares, lifejackets etc
- Heads, pumps, filters, plumbing
- Marine electrics and electronics
- Annual lift out, antifouling, deck wash/topside polish and anode replacement.

### **Onboard tuition and advice**

Do you need assistance with boat handling, sail trimming, navigation or safety management? Don't have time to join one of our courses? Why not hire one of our experienced Yachtmaster instructors for the day and let us customise a training plan to suit your needs. We can train you on your boat or use one of ours.

### **Improve your knowledge and skills on a Flying Fish course**

Yacht owners who provide us with a boat to fully manage and charter receive a 10% discount on all of our courses.

**To discuss your needs give us a call or pop in and see us anytime.**



## Flying Fish Sail Academy Sydney

### RYA/YA practical yachting courses

#### Start Yachting- weekend

- Basic introduction only
- For beginners



#### Competent Crew -3 x weekends/5 days.

- Become a confident yacht crew.
- For beginners



#### Dayskipper Practical -3 x weekends/5 days

- Qualify for bareboat charter.
- For competent crew



#### Intro to Spinnakers & Race Tactics-2 days

- Become useful on a racing yacht.
- For competent crew.



#### Coastal Skipper Practical -5 days

- Skipper a coastal passage.
- For experienced day skippers.



#### Yachtmaster Milebuilder & Qualifying Passages - 12 days

- Offshore miles and passages in preparation for YM examinations.
- For experienced coastal skippers



#### Yachtmaster/Master of Yachts part 3- 12 days

- Preparation and examination for Yachtmaster.
- For experienced skippers with 2500 miles, 50 days, 2 x skippered passages, First Aid/ Marine Radio Operator.



#### RYA/YA Cruising Instructor- 5 days

- Work as a yachting instructor
- For qualified commercial Yachtmasters



### Shorebased yachting courses

#### Basic Navigation and Safety- 5 eves

- Essential basic theory
- For beginners



#### Dayskipper Theory -5 days/12 eves

- Comprehensive theory course
- Suitable for beginners



#### Yachtmaster Theory -5 days/12 eves

- Navigation, safety, IRPCS, meteorology.
- For those who have completed Dayskipper or have equivalent experience.



#### Yachtmaster Ocean Theory - 5 days

- Celestial navigation, ocean meteorology and passage planning.
- For experienced Yachtmasters

### Marine safety courses

#### Safety & Sea Survival- 2 days

- Invaluable safety course
- For all yacht crew

#### Marine Radio Operator- 1 day

- Legal requirement for skippers
- For beginners

#### Basic First Aid- 1 day

- Essential First Aid for all water-users
- For beginners

#### Radar Operator- 1 day

- Basic introduction to radar.
- For beginners.

#### Diesel Engine Maintenance- 1 day

- Basic operation and maintenance.
- For beginners.

#### Powerboat operator/NSW license- 2 days

- Boat handling and theory course
- For beginners

#### STCW 95 Basic Safety Certificate- 5 days

- Comprehensive IMO marine safety.
- For aspiring pro skippers and deck crew

