



Crewing Service

We Offer:

Skippers:

- FREE to CA members
- Introductory service
- The chance to view profiles of registered crew
- Come to a meeting and share your plans, or work online and make your own arrangements for meeting potential crew

Crew:

- Opportunities to enjoy being crew in different boats around the UK or further afield
- Gain knowledge and experience – or just enjoy being on the water

Got your sailing plans sorted?

Don't have a boat but are keen to get on the water?

Join the Crewing Service (CS) from just £34 a year and find skippers looking to sail in home waters, explore the Mediterranean or venture across oceans.



What's included in your membership:

- Winter meetings to find and meet your skipper/crew from Oct - April at CA House, in Limehouse London
- Regular Zoom meetings for members further afield
- View online the sailing plans of skippers and add your own profile setting out your experience, skills and sailing objectives
- Opportunities to attend local CA Section meetings around the country

CS Chair

Malcolm Davidson

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Plus:

Enjoy newsletters listing trips needing crew and updates on your fellow members' adventures.

Join Us!

Be part of our cruising community ashore and afloat.

Join as many CA Sections as you wish. Section membership is FREE to subscribed members. To find out more about our other Sections, visit www.theca.org.uk/sections; alternatively contact us on the details provided.



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Looking for crew?

Thinking about your next cruising plans? Looking to go further afield but don't have enough crew?

Use the CA's Crewing Service and join a growing band of members who get more out of their sailing time because they have extra crew. Perhaps you want to try out new sailing grounds or a different type of boat. Crewing with another CA member is a great way to expand your horizons or brush up your skills in an unfamiliar area. Membership is free to all CA members and also gives you access to the Crewing forum where you can highlight what you are looking for.



Want to build experience and knowledge?

CA members sail worldwide and for sailors looking to build their experience and knowledge – as well as have fun – the CS is a great way to do it. Unlike alternative organisations, the CA's crewing service is not a commercial enterprise. From just £34 a year you can enjoy social meetings, meet skippers and sign up for trips. Simply

post your sailing CV online and browse the plans of skippers for those that interest you most.

Where our Crewing Service members have sailed

From Portsmouth to the Pacific, Cannes to Corinth and Ipswich to Helsinki – every year our members set sail for distant shores. Many also enjoy the pleasures of sailing in home waters and need crew.

Here is just ONE of the trips enjoyed by both CA and Crewing Service members:

Nick Hine, currently on a three-year circumnavigation aboard his Hallberg Rassy 62 Stormbird says: "I got in touch with the Crewing Service and joined a number of the crewing meetings. As a result I have had a number of CA members who have come to share my journey, some of whom have come back more than once. They have always been great crew and company and I am very grateful to have had access to the Crewing Service, which has created a sort of Stormbird family."

Forthcoming Meetings

Winter Crewing Service meetings are held monthly on the first Thursday of each month, from October to April, at CA House. We will also run one daytime meeting on a Sunday.

Thursday, October 3

Thursday, November 7

Thursday, December 5

Thursday, January 9

Thursday, February 6

Sunday, March 9 (starting 1200)

Thursday, April 3

Meetings start at 7pm, bar and food available from 6.30pm. Informal, no booking required.

We will be also organising Zoom meetings

Please watch the website for details.