



Changi Sailing Club

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POWERED PLEASURE CRAFT DRIVING LICENCE

CLASS/TYPE OF BOAT	DURATION	PRICE
Powerboat	3 weekday evenings (Mon, Tue & Thu) & 1 weekend (either Sat or Sun) Total of 4 days	\$ 280 (Member) \$ 320 (Non-Member)

General Seamanship

Nautical Terms: Buoys, beacons and lighthouses, emergencies at sea, such as grounding, fire, collision, poor visibility, etc. VHR Radio distress calling Mechanical and Electrical Equipment knots, anchoring, tides, weather, Pleasure Craft Regulations, Singapore Port Regulations.

Rules of the Road

Regulations for preventing collisions at sea. Look outs, safe speed, steering and sailing rules, stand on vessel, giving way vessel. Conduct in low visibility, narrow channels, traffic separation schemes, light and shapes, sound and light signals.

Practical Boat Handling & Navigation Theory

Starting procedure: briefing on engine, pre-sailing checks, equipment checks, throttle and steering control, boat handling, man overboard drills, anchoring, berthing drills and unberthing drills, ropework. Look out and collision avoidance drills. Familiarisation of local waters, expressing positions at sea, compass errors, variation and deviation.

Passage Planning and Chartwork

Chart reading, use of charting instruments, understanding tides, pilotage in confined water, heading and stern marks, clearing lines, danger circle, transit etc. Passage planning, avoiding congested areas, time speed and distance factors, traffic separations scheme, shelters, refueling etc.

Practical Navigation and Boat Handling

Fixing and plotting, reinforcing theory lessons, steering and sailing rules, collision avoidance, look out duties, steering and navigating the boat.

LICENCE REQUIREMENTS:

1. Attend a recognised course & Pass a very simple medical examination.
2. Theory Test – Theory test consist of 30 multiple choice questions and is conducted every Saturday afternoon. Test fee is \$20 for Singaporeans and \$40 for non-Singaporeans.
3. Practical Boat Handling Test – Test duration is about 1 hour. Test conducted every Saturday afternoons cost \$50 for Singaporean and \$100 for Non-Singaporeans.

LICENCE APPLICATION:

Pass the theory & practical test & you may apply for your licence. The licence fee for lifetime \$20