



ELLIOTT HIRING APPLICATION FORM

Skipper Name: _____

Member Number: _____

Contact Number: _____

Email: _____

Date of hiring: _____

Race/Event: _____

Do you suffer from any physical or medical conditions?

Are you a competent swimmer? Yes / No

Please highlight your previous sailing experience (minimum level required):

Start Sailing 2 ☐

Start Helming ☐

Racing as a Skipper ☐

Other _____

IN THE CASE OF AN EMERGENCY, WHO SHOULD WE CONTACT?

Name: _____ Mobile Phone: _____

PRE-AUTHORISATION CARD DETAILS:

Credit Card Number: _____

Expiry Date: _____ CVV: _____

CREW:

Crew 1 Name: _____

Full Member or AS Number: _____

Crew 2 Name: _____

Full Member or AS Number: _____

Crew 3 Name: _____

Full Member or AS Number: _____

Crew 4 Name: _____

Full Member or AS Number: _____

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

1. Elliott 7 hire is \$100 per Darwin Sailing Club Race Day.
2. There are some risks involved in water sport activities on Darwin Harbour, particularly the risk from Box Jellyfish. During the months of October to June protective clothing is compulsory and must be worn at all times whilst participating in any water-based activities. During the months of July to September it is highly recommended that protective clothing is still worn. These dates may vary depending on the weather and change of seasons. (NB. If stung – vinegar, which is kept at the top of the boat ramp, will neutralise the tentacles, however medical aid should be sought as soon as possible)
3. At such times that they are not required for scheduled training activities, boats from the DSC training fleet are available for charter to be used in Club racing events.
4. Charter arrangements must be made one week before use.
5. A pre authorised bond of \$1000 is required in the case of damage to the Elliott 7.
6. Payment for the hire must be made up front.
7. Each individual going on the water (even if in same boat) must be recorded on Pg 1 of this form.
8. The skipper hiring a Club Elliott must be a Full member of Darwin Sailing Club and show previous knowledge of how to use the Club Elliott's.
9. All crew must be as a minimum an Australian Sailing Member. If they are not a full member of the Darwin Sailing Club they are required to purchase a day membership (SailPass) through this link: <https://www.darwinsailingclub.com.au/sailpass>
10. All hirers must obtain and return the Club's equipment through a member of the Club's sailing staff.
11. All damage and defects which occur during the charter period must be reported to the Club's sailing staff upon return of the boat through our QR Code System that can be found on the Elliott's and also on land in the Tower. Any damage not covered by the club's insurance policy, and deemed to be caused as a result of negligence by yourself, will be determined by the Club's Sailing/Training Staff and additional costs may be incurred by you.
12. All hirers must sign on and sign off when leaving and returning to the beach.
13. If hiring a boat for an organised Club race, the boat will be available 1 hour prior to the race and must be unrigged, washed, cleaned, and stowed away no later than 1 hour after the race.
14. All hirers must follow instructions stipulated by the Club's Sailing Officer or Instructors relating to the designated sailing area, safety precautions relating to the prevailing conditions and adhere to the pre-determined time schedule.
15. Hirers are responsible for the chartered vessel throughout the period of the charter, including whilst on land, rigging & de-rigging. They are the only persons to use the vessel during the charter period.
16. In case of late return, rescue or assistance, the cost of the use of the safety boat will be deducted from your bond if required.
17. All hirers must wear appropriate safety gear relevant to the conditions of the day, including but not limited to, sun protection and stinger protection.
18. All hirers must wear a Personal Floatation Device (PFD), and helmet if deemed necessary, at all times whilst on the water. These are provided by the Club.

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19. Arrangement will be made with the race management team or the training team to ferry the crew to and from the Elliott, in coordination with the other concurrent activities. This is at the discretion of the officer in charge on the day.

Warning: Participation in this activity/course can be inherently dangerous. Risks include but are not limited to overexertion, equipment failure, dehydration, serious accidents, weather conditions, water quality and threat from marine life, which may result in you and/or the above named persons being personally injured, and/or your/their property being damaged. This warning has been voluntarily read and understood and I and the above named persons accept and assume the inherent risks associated with participating in this activity/course.

Fitness to Participate: I declare that I and/or the above named person are medically and physically fit and able to participate in this activity/course. I and/or the above named person must not and will not be a danger to ourselves or jeopardise the safety and health of others.

Photography: I acknowledge that photographs and video recordings may be taken of the above named persons throughout the duration of this activity/course. I understand and agree that The Darwin Sailing Club Inc. has the right to use any media images obtained throughout this course/activity for promotional purposes.

Privacy: I understand that the information provided in this form is necessary for the conduct of this activity/course. I acknowledge and agree that this information will only be used by The Darwin Sailing Club Inc. to facilitate the conduct of this activity/course and other activities/courses organised by The Darwin Sailing Club Inc.

I acknowledge and agree to these terms and conditions which are outlined above. I also acknowledge, agree and understand that The Darwin Sailing Club Inc. will take all reasonable care, but in the case of personal injury or loss of life to the above named, or the loss and/or damage to his/her property, howsoever arising, I/we do hereby release, to the full amount permitted by statute, law and equity The Darwin Sailing Club Inc., its employees and agents, from all actual and contingent liability in respect of such personal injury, loss or damage.

Signed: _____

Named: _____

Dated: _____

OFFICE USE ONLY

Authorised by: _____ Signature: _____

Date Authorised: _____