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SRC Radio Assessment

Thank you for booking your SRC Radio Assessment with the Metropolitan Police Sailing Club.

Below are your joining instructions and course information. Should you have any further questions or enquiries please contact your instructor who's contact details will be emailed to you prior to the course.

Alternatively, please feel free to contact us either by the club line or via email should you have any questions or queries.

What to bring

- Exam application form
- Passport photograph with your name printed on the reverse
- Evidence of SRC course completion (Online - completion certificate OR an exam application signed by your classroom course instructor)
- Pen & paper

What's involved in the SRC exam?

Practical exam:

Duration: Approx 30 - 45 minutes

Utilising 'real' training radios.

You will be given an opportunity (minimum 15mins) to familiarise yourself with the sets prior to your exam commencing and your assessor will be on-hand to guide you on the basic operation of the sets, but will be unable to guide you on any other aspects.



The items you will want to familiarise yourself with are:

- Power switch
- Volume / Squelch
- High/Low Power
- Channel control
- Distress button and menus
- DSC call menus and buttons

The practical exam will include all or a selection of the following (see Practical exam details in RYA Book G26 for further details):

- Distress situations
- Urgency situations
- Safety situations
- Routine Communications

Theory exam:

Duration: Approx 30 minutes

Question paper: approximately 50% of the questions are multiple choice.

Re-taking the theory exam: It is possible to re-take the theory exam on the same day should you not reach the required grade. Please be aware that you will not sit the same exam paper twice.

However if you do not pass within these 2 papers, you will need to re-attend on a separate day and an additional charge will apply.

Please contact us should you have any problems.

Good luck with the course and enjoy.

Kind regards

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