

Activities for adults

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Social Seafarers (Spring) - Monday mornings

Spring Kayaking. April 8th-May 20th (excluding 6th May), 09:30-12.30 £90 for 6 sessions

Learn how to kayak a range of boats from sit-on tops, creek boats and sea kayaks during the spring term and work towards a mini-journey. You might even get your British Canoeing Discover or Explore award.



Social Seafarers (Summer) - Monday mornings

Summer Sailing. June 3rd-July 15th (excluding 1st July), 09:30-12.30 £90 for 6 sessions

Later in summer the focus turns to sailing, where you will learn the ropes and can control your own little sailing dinghy at sea. The instructors will provide coaching from a safety boat or from within the small keel boat, called a Hawk 20, on a group voyage. You will have the opportunity to buy a Royal Yachting Association Logbook and work towards, or even gain your Level 1 in dinghy sailing



Social Seafarers (Autumn) - Monday mornings

Autumn Nautical Theory. September 16th-October 21st 09:30-12:30 £90 for 6 sessions

During autumn we will head into the classroom and enhance the practical knowledge with nautical theory, looking at weather forecasting, knot tying, use of charts, passage planning and pilotage

Booking

**To request a place call 01305 784927
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SUP Club (Thursday evenings)

June 6th - July 11th, 18:00 - 21:00 £90 for 6 sessions

Start paddleboarding or improve your skills with our SUP coaches over a series of six summer evenings at the beach. We will work towards a mini journey, and explore paddle strokes, turns and possibly even a little racing along the way. Paddleboards and buoyancy aids provided, or you can bring your own board if you have insurance.



Sea Kayak Award (Tuesday and Wednesdays)

Apr 30 & May 1, July 9 & 10, Aug 6 & 7, Oct 1 & 2 09:30-16.30

£231 for 2 day course, includes certification fee

Expand your sea kayaking experience and improve your personal paddling. Learn how to plan a successful journey on the sea from equipment choice through to venue and conditions. Upon completion of the course, your coach will either provide you with certification or advise you on further training opportunities to develop your skills appropriately



Summer Solstice Paddle

Friday, 21st June 19:30-22:30 £25pp

Join us for a midsummer evening paddle tour in and around Sandsfoot Castle. You will head onto the waters in sit on top kayaks, lit up with glowsticks to explore Portland harbour by dusk. Enjoy the opportunity to marvel at the sunset as it dips over Chesil Bank, before heading back under the starry sky (clear sky permitting).

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Coastal Navigation & Tidal Planning 1-day course

June 1, November 16 09:00-17:00 £110.25, includes certification fee

Location: Weymouth Outdoor Education Centre, DT4 0HS

Coastal Navigation & Tidal Planning 3 evenings

Mondays, November 4, 11, 18 18:00-21:00 £110.25, includes certification fee

Location: Weymouth Outdoor Education Centre, DT4 0HS

This classroom-based theory course will cover the basics of how to plan a journey at sea. You will look at navigation charts and explore the charted features as well as working out how to fix your position and create a simple passage plan. The theory of tides and the interpretation of tide tables and tidal flow diagrams will also be explored. The aim of the course is to improve your confidence to plan a sea kayaking journey.

Upon completion of the course, your coach will either provide you with certification or advise you on further training opportunities to develop your skills appropriately.



Adult bespoke adventures

Prices start from £143 per group for 2 hours

Have you got a group of friends, family or work colleagues who fancy a day with a difference? Book a bespoke adventure to share make lasting memories of adrenaline fuelled adventure on and along the Jurassic Coast. From coasteering to crag climbing, we've got it all. Enquire for the full range of options and let the fun begin.

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