

Don't Just take our Word...



“A week of challenges and new experiences which will have a profound effect on them in the future.”

“The opportunities for independent and team action are extremely valuable to children who often lead very isolated lives due to their conditions.”



“The students surmounted obstacles which they might otherwise have feared to confront, and revelled in the opportunity to succeed where perhaps often they had felt they had previously failed.”

“Just the best week of my life... thanks”



“Following the trip the youngsters involved have shown levels of increased self confidence, improved social skills and a real enthusiasm for learning”



Trinity Sailing Trust

Helping Young People Discover the Best in Themselves



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Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things that you didn't do than by the ones you did do.

So throw off the bowlines.

Sail away from the safe harbour.

Catch the trade winds in your sails.

Explore

Dream

Discover

Mark Twain

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Registered Charity No 1076538



How Friendly Are You?

We have four different types of Friends, all our precious to us and we value your support and encourage you to help us whenever you can. If you would like to sign up to be our Friend, please complete the form and return to us.

Skipper

- ◆ Receive Newsletters to keep you informed about the Trust's activities
- ◆ Entry into Annual Draw to win free berths on selected cruises
- ◆ Personalised Polo Shirt emblazoned with Trinity logo and your name in GOLD
- ◆ Advanced notice of Trinity events including Sea Picnic '10.

Mate

- ◆ Receive Newsletters to keep you informed about the Trust's activities
- ◆ Entry into Annual Draw to win free berths on selected cruises
- ◆ Personalised clothing at a discounted rate embroidered in SILVER

Bosun

- ◆ Receive Newsletters to keep you informed about the Trust's activities
- ◆ Entry into Annual Draw to win free berths on selected cruises
- ◆ Personalised clothing at a discounted rate embroidered in BRONZE

Helmsman

- ◆ As a Corporate Friend the company will receive a certificate for their offices and newsletters to keep staff informed about the Trust's activities
- ◆ Entry into Annual Draw to win free berths on selected cruises
- ◆ Companies may obtain merchandise for their staff that includes their own company logo alongside Trinity's logo
- ◆ Advanced notice of Trinity events that will include corporate hospitality packages
- ◆ Links from Trinity website

Companionway

- ◆ A special category of membership for organisations who have used Trinity and would like to continue their support.



The Trinity Sailing Trust is a registered charity which has two principal objectives:

- ◆ To assist the personal development of disadvantaged young people through offshore sailing on traditional vessels
- ◆ To restore and preserve its vessels as important examples of our maritime heritage. The children that Trinity help come from all manner of backgrounds, and have many different problems.

Some are, or have been, in care, or are the victims of abuse. Others may be blind, partially sighted or deaf. Some have learning or emotional difficulties, or behavioural problems. Many are from areas of social deprivation, both urban and rural. They may be excluded from school, at risk of offending, or on rehabilitation from alcohol or drug abuse.

They are generally low achievers, at risk of failing to make an effective transition to adult life, and the great majority share a lack of confidence and low self esteem.

Trinity's aim is to change that by letting them find out what they themselves are capable of achieving, working as part of a team in a challenging environment. Those who take part emerge with new and positive feelings about themselves and others, and a belief that the pattern of their lives can be changed.

Sail training is a tool, a catalyst and a means of motivating young people, changing attitudes and expectations, and encouraging them to take steps that will change the course of their lives for the better. It is not an end in itself, nor a one-off experience.

Our work is carried out in conjunction with many organisations involved in the welfare of young people: schools and colleges, youth groups, social services, local authorities and other statutory bodies. They are able to capitalise on the change in attitude that Trinity brings about, ensuring that long term benefits result.

Part of Trinity's approach to sail training is to include in the experience adults who will be working with the young people in the long term. Sharing it helps bring strong relationships that can be used in making later progress.

The number of young people helped has grown steadily since Trinity was established, and now averages more than 500 each year. They learn much about handling traditional vessels during their time with us, but they learn far more about themselves, and about how to live and work with others.

I would like to be a Friend of Trinity

Who Benefits?

Please sign me up for:

<input type="checkbox"/> Skipper Friendship	Price
<input type="checkbox"/> Mate Friendship	From £10 pcm
<input type="checkbox"/> Bosun Friendship	From £5 pcm
<input type="checkbox"/> Helmsman Friendship	From £2 pcm
<input type="checkbox"/> Companionway	From £25 pcm
<input type="checkbox"/> Please send information about sailing holidays	From £15 pcm
	FREE

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

STANDING ORDER MANDATE

Please pay £

Monthly (DATE)

Weekly (DAY)

Annually (DATE)

Trinity Bank Details
Account: Trinity Sailing Trust
SCN: 52-10-18
Account No: 10279091
Ref No: (Internal Use Only)

Commencing Until Further Notice

Method of Payment

- Cheque
- I have arranged a Standing Order above
- I have donated the above amount to the charity through www.bmycharity.com/trinitysail

Member Bank Details

Account:
SCN:
Account No:

Gift Aid Declaration

- I wish the charity to treat this donation as Gift Aid and to treat similarly all future donations that I make. I have paid or will pay sufficient UK income tax and/or capital gains tax in the relevant tax year at least equal to the tax that the charity is or will be able to claim on my donation(s) under Gift Aid. I will advise the charity should my circumstances change to affect the charity's Gift Aid claims.

Signature _____ Date: _____

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