

How to join Rutland Civil Service Sailing Club

<https://rutlandcssc.org.uk>

The Club provides opportunities for sailing in keelboats at Rutland Water. The Club is a corporate member of [Rutland Sailing Club](#) (“RSC”) and Club members are required to abide by the RSC rules at all times.

The Club is also an affiliated member of the [Civil Service Sailing Association](#) (“CSSA”) which, in turn, forms part of the [Civil Service Sports Council](#) (“CSSC”).

To be a member of the Club and enjoy the benefits of being able to sail in the keelboats it is necessary to first become a member of the [CSSC](#) (and pay its annual fee) and then join the [CSSA](#) (where membership is free).

By maintaining membership of the [CSSC](#) and [CSSA](#) Club members are covered with third party liability insurance, arranged through a [CSSC](#) insurance scheme.

1. Joining the [Civil Service Sports Council](#) (“CSSC”)

You can join the [CSSC](#) on-line by going to <https://store.cssc.co.uk> where you will find a “Join us” link.

Even if you are not otherwise eligible to join, you can become a “[CSSC](#) linked” member if an existing [CSSC](#) member is willing to sponsor you (in which case you will need to be able to quote their [CSSC](#) Membership number during the joining process).

Filling in the form with the required personal details and paying the prescribed fee (currently around £55) will enable an account to be set up in your name and a [CSSC](#) Membership number will be allocated to you.

2. Joining the [Civil Service Sailing Association](#) (“CSSA”)

Having first joined the [CSSC](#) you can then join the [CSSA](#) (for free) by completing an Application form that can be downloaded from the [CSSA](#) website – the form can be downloaded from the following page: <https://cs-sailing.org.uk/membership/>

3. Joining the Club

Having become a member of both the [CSSC](#) and [CSSA](#) you are then able to join the [Rutland Civil Service Sailing Club](#).

This involves completing a membership application form (a copy can be downloaded from the Club’s website at <https://rutlandcssc.org.uk/join-rssc>) and paying the annual subscription (currently £200).

Following receipt, you will be provided with a login and password to enable you to access the Club’s website which is to be found at <https://rutlandcssc.org.uk> view the members contact list, Club rules and constitution and make bookings to participate in sailing with other Club members.

At that point, as a member of both the [CSSC](#) and [CSSA](#) and having become a member make the most of the Club’s fleet of boats in accordance with the Rutland Civil Service Sailing Club rules!