

## **RYA YACHTMASTER THEORY COURSE DETAILS**

### **Course Summary**

Approximately 40 hours of tuition over 6 days. Entire course classroom based with accommodation available, but must be pre-booked via our website.

### **Basic Details**

Location	Building 11 Shamrock Quay (see map below) William Street, Southampton SO14 5QL
Start Time	Registration 9.00-9.20am - Course Start 9.30am
Finish Time	Approximately 5.00pm on each day
Duration	6 Day
Lower Age Limit	16 Years
Car Parking	On Site (see map below)

### **Pre Course Preparation & Requirements**

Theory knowledge to the level of RYA Day Skipper Theory.

### **Recommended Publications**

RYA Yachtmaster Shorebased Notes ( Included in course fee ).

### **Course Content**

Position Fixing, the Magnetic Compass, Tides, Tidal Streams, Buoyage, Lights, Pilotage, GNSS and Chart Plotters, Echo Sounders, Logs (Speed, Distance Measuring), Deck Log, Meteorology, Rules of the Road, Safety at Sea, Navigation in Restricted Visibility, Passage Planning, Marine Environment .

### **Ability After Course**

Position Fixing, Course Planning and Plotting  
Tidal Knowledge, Use of Almanacs and Admiralty Publications  
Understand Electronic Position Finding Equipment  
Taking and Interpreting Forecasts  
Plotting Weather Systems  
Weather predictions using a barometer and by observation  
Collision regulations, Customs and excise regulations for cruising abroad

## **Certification**

This course is examined. Our instructor will run 3 x 90 minute assessments during the course. If you have met the standard required an RYA course completion certificate will be issued to you.

## **Accommodation**

No accommodation is offered for this course by SBT due to Covid restrictions.

## **Clothing & Equipment**

Your course is in a classroom. If you're staying with us do bring clothing for the duration of the course. Our marina has excellent facilities so do bring your wash bag and towel etc.

## **Food**

No food is provided by SBT on this course. Our marina has a cafe, bistro and the marina office sells snacks etc. Tea & coffee is free and available all week.

## **Car Parking**

All visitors to Shamrock Quay are allowed 3 hours of free car parking.

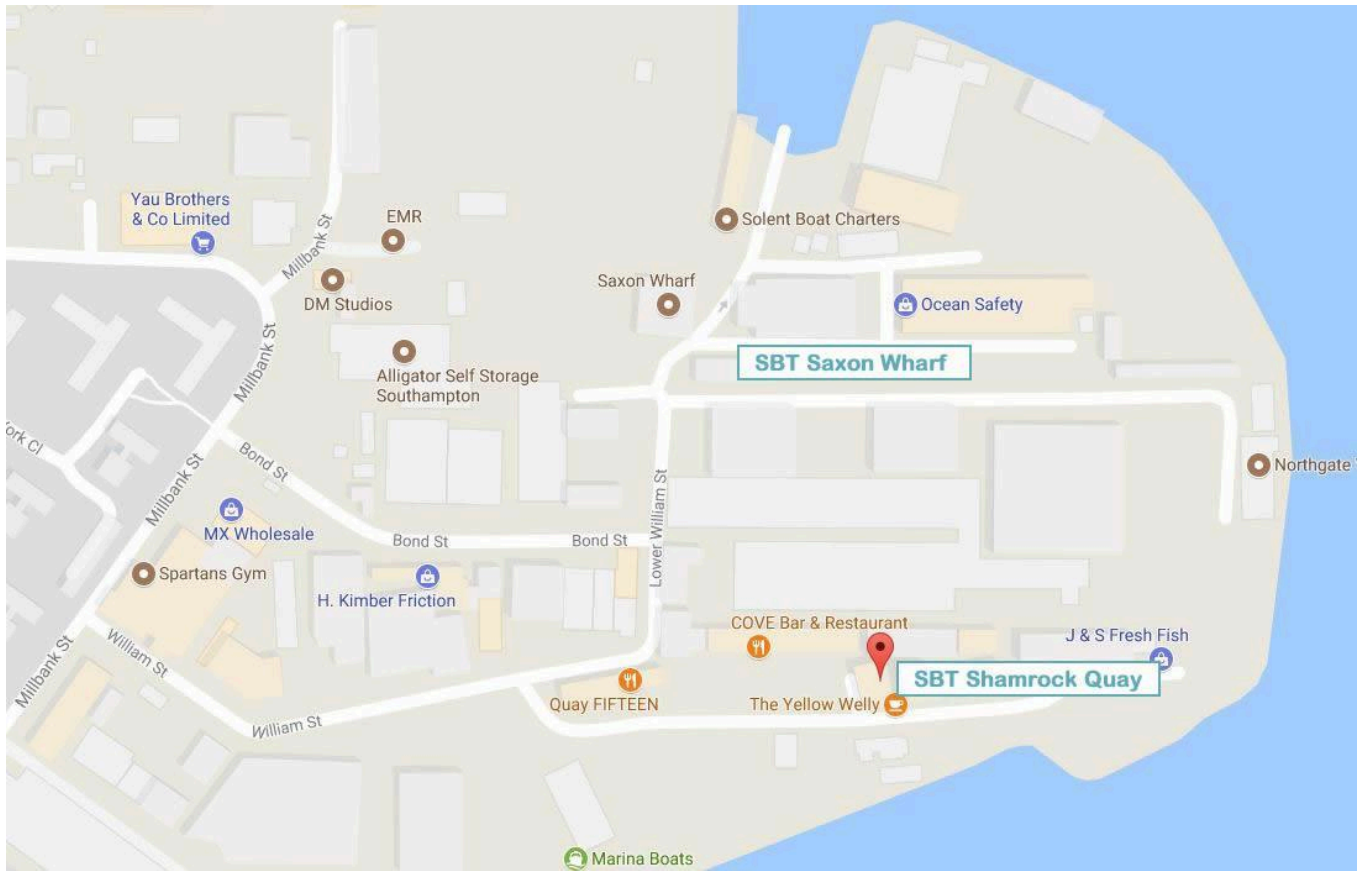
For long stays charges apply as detailed on :-

<https://www.solentboattraining.co.uk/car-parking>

# Directions To Our Training Centre

By Train: We are about 1.5miles from Southampton centre railway station.

By Car: Our address is above, the maps below will help you find our centre.



**Shamrock Quay, William Street, Southampton, SO14 5QL**

