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Helmet Policy

Due to the nature of sailing, there is a chance that the boom may cross the boat suddenly and cause a head injury. This is especially true of beginners, so in the interest of safety, Cransley SC requires that all Youth Sailors adhere to our Helmet Policy:

“All sailors under the age of 16 who are taking part in a training course and have not yet achieved the RYA youth sailing scheme stage 2 are required to wear protective headgear whilst sailing.”

However, after reviewing the weather conditions the Senior Instructor has the authority to offer students the option not to wear protective headgear in light wind conditions.

If the Senior Instructor requests that a student wears headgear and the student refuses the student may not go onto the water in a sailing dinghy without wearing headgear.

Principal Cransley Sailing Club