



Development Team 1 Fact Sheet

The purpose of this fact sheet is to provide details for sailors and parents specifically in relation to costs and travel arrangements etc.

Key Dates:

Event: 28th- 31st July 2023
 Training at Venue: 25th - 27th July 2023

Regatta Support, Lymington Open: 27-28th May 2023
 Training at WPNSA : 30th May-1st June 2023

Team Coaches	Dan Burns and Julia Staite
Team Members	As selected at the GBR Team Selection Trials in line with the 2023 Selection Policy.
Event	Optimist Gold Cup 2023
Event Venue	Yacht Club Monfalcone, Monfalcone, Italy
UK Training Venue	WPNSA
Event Travel	IOCA Teams will travel with Coach and Team Leader by plane on 24th July and return home Late Evening on Sunday 31st July .
Team Training	In addition to the event support at Lymington Open, all team members will be required to attend team training at WPNSA on 30th May - 1st June .This will be residential, with the sailors and coaches staying at RYA Portland House and will provide sailors with an opportunity to stay together to work on event routines ahead of travelling to the event .
Accommodation	The team will stay in either a hotel or apartment as close to the venue as possible .
Entries	Entry to the event will be organised by IOCA and is included in the team cost.
Boats /Sails	Boats will be chartered from CDSails .Sailors can take their own sails .These will be checked into sail tubes for the flight .



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Ribs	RIB will be chartered from the Organising Authority.
Event website	Yacht Club Hannibal
Kit	<p>The team will be provided with as part of the team cost:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Buoyancy Aid badge ● T-shirt ● Event stitching to Gill red jacket. [Parents will need to purchase a red jacket separately if they don't already have one] ● Rash Vest[There will be opportunity to purchase extra Rash Vests]
Finances	The parental contribution to sign up to the team is £3,050 . This includes six days sailing and 3 training days at WPNSA. If the cost of the team, after paying out all the expenses associated with it, comes to £20 less than has been budgeted, a refund will be made to parents.
Other	You will provisionally be offered a team place after the Selections. Once a place has been confirmed, parents will be required to accept the place within 24 hours and make payment .