

Shoestring Group

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

(Shoestring Group is a Boat Share Group affiliated to the Sailing Association Mar Menor (SAMM) in Los Alcázares, Murcia Province, Spain)

This MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION is made as of _____ (date) between the Applicant and Shoestring Group.

I. Intent

I am applying to become a Member of Shoestring Group in accordance its Boat Share Agreement ("the Agreement"). This will require a payment to buy a Share in the Group with additional annual payments as determined by the Committee from time to time. I acknowledge that my competence will be tested and that I have read and understood the Agreement as well as the points made in this Form.

Signature

II. Personal Details

The full name of the Applicant is;

Title

First Name

Nickname

Family Name

Other Names

III. Address(s)

The **permanent** address of the Applicant is;

Country

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The **secondary** address of the Applicant is;

Country

IV. Contact Phone Numbers

Home Number 1

Home Number 2

Mobile Number 1

Mobile Number 2

V. Sailing Experience (if applicable)

VI. Personal Skills (as may be relevant to Shoestring Group)

VII. Membership Term

The Membership shall begin on the date of formal clearance of their funds to buy a Share in Shoestring Group and will be informed of this date by the Shoestring Group Treasurer as soon as practicable after that time. Membership shall continue until resignation or until notified by a Shoestring Committee Member that either: the Share cost will be refunded due to a breach of the Agreement, or by dissolution of the Group. Share refunds are strictly by Committee agreement and as revenue permits or depending on a new Member buying the Share.

VIII. Responsibilities

New Members are required to read and understand the Agreement, and follow it, along with the immediate guidance and advice by any Committee Member. Safety

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of Members is paramount and care of the boats is vital to the Group and its success in achieving its objectives. Applicants should be aware that any breach of the Agreement deemed unacceptable by the Committee may result in termination of the Share and the possibility that a refund may not be given.

IX. Meetings

Where possible, Members are expected to attend meetings when advised and endeavour to join in 'maintenance days', when requested.

X. Initial Acceptance of Application

Committee Member (Printed Name)	Membership Committee Member (Signature)	Date Signed

Application Form to Shoestring Committee

XI. Formal Confirmation of Acceptance

Training & Safety Officer (Printed Name)	(Signature)	*Date Signed
Committee Chairman (Printed Name)	(Signature)	**Date Signed

** The Training & Safety Officer confirms that a sailing test has been undertaken satisfactorily, that the Applicant is aware of the safety issues and can crew a dinghy safely. The Applicant has been made aware that further training and experience is necessary before becoming a helmsman in any of the Shoestring Group boats.*

*** The Chairman (of Shoestring Group Committee) confirms that the Applicant is of good standing, will enhance the Membership and that Share funds have been received. The Applicant has been given a copy of the Shoestring Share Agreement and understands the responsibilities.*