



Derbyshire Youth Sailing

Policy for awarding County Colours in Sailing

DYS are affiliated to DSSA and thereby are the delegated authority for awarding County Colours in sailing in Derbyshire. DYS will award County Colours on a points based system. Sailors will earn points by representing DYS at specified County and National events and when a sailor has achieved 80 points, they will be awarded their County Colours.

The specified events and points to be awarded are:

Represent DYS at Team Race event	5 points	(e.g. NSSA events, RYA Eric Twiname)
Placed in top half	10 points	
Placed in semis	15 points	
Win event	20 points	

Represent DYS at NSSA Summer Regatta	10 points	(5 points if in Rookie fleet, no further increase for results)
Placed in top half of your fleet	15 points	
Placed in top 3 of your fleet	20 points	

Represent DYS at NSSA 12-hour race	10 points	
Placed in top half	15 points	
Placed in top 3	20 points	

Represent NSSA at a national event	10 points	(e.g. Merlin Nationals, RYA Eric Twiname)
Placed in top half	15 points	
Placed in top 3	20 points	

Represent DYS at match racing	10 points	(e.g. NSSA, RYA)
Placed in semis	15 points	
Win event	20 points	

Attend DYS Series Intercounty event	5 points	
DYS series class winner	5 points	(Senior, Intermediate and Junior)

In the event of any uncertainty over whether an event qualifies or about the points to be awarded, the executive committee (Chair, Secretary and Treasurer) will make the final decision.