

## **Disability Sailing**

If you want to help with the "Aiming High for Disabled Children Initiative", which is being promoted by the Ulley Activity Centre and which we have agreed to support as a Club, can you please let Mark Burkitt have your details as soon as possible so that CRB checks can be instigated. Even if you already have a CRB certificate - and I know many members have - you may need a new one specific to this project.

We do hope as many members as possible will be able to support this initiative which aims to provide new opportunities and respite for Rotherham's disabled children and their families and is expected to provide a new jetty with disabled access and four 'sailability' boats which will also be available for use by the club. Please contact Mark Burkitt or Rosalie Hill for further details on how you can help with this most worthy cause.

There is provision in our successful joint bid for four volunteers to be trained up to the RYA Level 2 Powerboat certificate - at no cost to them - who can then help with safety cover on the days we will be offering a sailing experience to these special people, involving a commitment of one or two Saturdays a month between early August and the end of October.

The club and Activity Centre will also encourage anyone who wants to qualify as a Sailing Instructor so they can take some of the burden off our qualified instructors who have already volunteered to offer their time and skills to this deserving cause.