



Marine Power Boat Licences and ASC Reimbursement

To be able to conduct our program of club races, social sails, and training programs we continue to need more members with Victorian Marine licences. These licences plus some practical on water instruction allow people to operate our club RIB powerboats and other small recreational powerboats.

Information on Victorian Marine Licences is at :

<https://www.vicroads.vic.gov.au/licences/licence-and-permit-types/marine-licence>

In summary to attain your Victorian Marine licence you need to :

1. Obtain a free copy of the Victorian Recreational Boating Safety Handbook. Download, pickup or posted to you.
2. Spend a few hours (maybe 2 to 4 or 5 hours) studying Handbook, and completing a couple of the practice tests provided on the VicRoads website.
OR
Attend a 3 hour short course available from an accredited provider (eg Docklands 6 - 9.30 each Tuesday).
3. Book in and complete a 30 item multiple choice marine knowledge test at a VicRoads Customer Service Centre, followed by completion application form + licence payment.
OR
Undertake test with the short course from an accredited provider, which provides a completion certificate. Take certificate to a VicRoads Customer Service Centre, complete application form + payment.

Albert Sailing Club Reimbursement and Support

To encourage more ASC members to attain and use the Marine Licences ASC reimburses test and licence fees on application for reimbursement.

On obtaining licence you can email the club treasurer (treasurer@albertsc.org.au) seeking reimbursement for the test fee and licence cost. Include details for bank transfer payment or preferred other method and attach scanned copies of receipts. cc. Copy to training@albertsc.org.au. for record update, practical on-water session(s), duty rostering.

Club Members who have only had a partial reimbursement of fees but whose licence is still current can also request repayment of the balance of their licence fee.

At April 2024 Licence Test fee is \$31.00
Marine Licence for 5 years \$199
Restricted Marine Licence: 12 to 16 years: \$112.00

(Reimbursement arrangement confirmed at February 2024 ASC Committee Meeting)