



## **Our Skipper – Ian Buchele Professional Credentials**

Our skipper Ian Buchele has a wealth of sailing experience and has all the necessary qualifications to give you peace of mind whilst at sea. You can rest assured you are in very capable hands.

- **MCA Class 4 Command Endorsement**

Over a period of 3 years I studied at Warsash Maritime College for a Class 4 Masters Ticket. Seven modules are involved in medical care, fire fighting, construction and vessel stability, radar and navigation and maritime law. The Class 4 endorsement takes a command up to 3000 grt and also necessary if a vessel is chartered over 24m

- **RYA Yachtmaster Ocean Commercially Endorsed**

In 1997 I passed my Yachtmaster Ocean and enable me to skipper yachts off shore and since enjoyed some amazing blue water trips, traversing the Atlantic many times. Commercially endorsed for charter work.

- **RYA Cruising Instructor and Power boat instructor**

Qualified to teach and coach ICC and Day Skipper practical on motor cruisers and ribs and work for numerous sea schools. Own boat tuition is becoming more popular with new boat owners providing them with the skill and knowledge to safely drive their boats

- **Experience**

14 Ocean crossings combining Indian, South and North Atlantic Oceans, Artic Circle waters 100,000 plus sea miles of experience. Deliveries have included Finot Open 50 from Brazil, to motor cruisers on UK south coast routes.