

Cumberland Valley Model Yacht Club

<https://cvmyclub.com>

Purchasing a Model Yacht

The Cumberland Valley Model Yacht Club currently races two classes: the Dragon Force 65, and the EC 12 (East Coast 12).

The Dragon Force 65 is our more accessible craft. It is much smaller than the EC 12, easier to build, store, obtain, and transport. Practically all of our members own a Dragon Force 65, and we stage instructions and races for it on the second Saturday of every month in the mornings. We race the EC 12s in the afternoons.

The Dragon Force 65 may be purchased in kit form from Dragon Sailing:

<https://radiosailing.net/>

New members should purchase the “DragonForce 65 2017 Version 6”, WITH transmitter and receiver. They should also purchase the 240 mm (short) keel available here:

<https://radiosailing.net/collections/dragonforce-65-v6-replacement-parts>

Right now, the short keel is sold out at the above link. It can be purchased here:

<https://www.atomikrc.com/collections/rc-sailboat-parts/products/240mm-keel-with-screws-for-the-v1-v5-joysway-dragon-force-df65-rc-sailboat>

The total cost for building a Dragon Force 65 would be approximately \$225.

New members should rest assured that they will receive all the help they need putting their kits together. Our club is a close and friendly one and practically any member would be willing to assist you in building your first boat!

Members interested in purchasing an EC 12 should know that these boats are much larger, much more expensive, and would require a garage or basement for storage as well as a larger vehicle for transport. Our club currently lists one of these craft on our website:

<https://cvmyclub.com/for-sale>

The EC 12 would require substantial building and renovation and costs \$550. Other EC 12s become available from time to time, and if you are interested, keep up with our website.

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