

# Kinghorn Lifeboat Station

## Crew Profile

Neil Chalmers  
Helmsman



- Age: 32
- Years RNLI Service: 10
- Profession: Environmental Scientist
- Work place: Grangemouth
- Family: In a relationship
- Other Interests: I enjoy cycling and competing in sprint and marathon canoeing.
- Why do I volunteer? It is a privilege to volunteer for the RNLI. I have been on the crew for nearly 10 years now, and have loved every minute of it. I had thought about joining for a number of years before I took the plunge - I didn't think I had enough time - however, once I found out more, and the commitment involved, I decided I could take on the role.
- I have learned a huge amount whilst being a member of the RNLI; a number of transferable skills which I can take to work, managing people, team working, managing critical situations as well as qualifications such as first aid, RYA Powerboat licence, VHF radio licence and so much more.
- You also get some great opportunities with the RNLI including training courses at the Lifeboat College in Poole, to training trips on other lifeboats and exercises with helicopters and other agencies.