



BABBACOMBE CORINTHIAN SAILING CLUB NEWSLETTER

OCT 2016



GENERAL COMMITTEE UPDATE

Welcome to your new General Committee including our Officers elected at the AGM on 9th October 2016, as follows:

Officers:

President: Roger Southcombe
Commodore: Dave Homer
Immediate Past Commodore: Neil Spacagna
Rear Commodore: Dave Edwards
Vice Commodore(s): Phil Slater/Jan Hester
Hon Treasurer: Stuart Moon
Hon Secretary: Lyn Mark

Committee Members:

Jim Horner Karin Sundholm
Ted Hardy Sheila Brewer
Ann Horner Guy Hester
Adrian Mark Mike Ives
You can contact any of these members on
babbcombe.corinthians@gmail.com



TRAINING

More powerboat and safety boat training happened in early October. Congrats to John Mitchell, Stuart Saunders and Michael Brook on gaining their certificates.

The junior training academy weekends will be starting up in late October. The club has, thanks to recent fund-raising efforts, acquired a multi-boat trailer to transport our Teras to the training venues.

As identified aside we now have new Joint Vice Commodores. Jan and Phil will be contacting all sailors and helpers during the month to collect feedback and views from this year and about next season's programme. A discussion meeting is planned in November.

Whilst Guy has stepped down as VC he will continue to organise and run training sessions for sailors, safety boaters and other sailing volunteer tasks in the new season.

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ANNUAL DINNER AND DANCE

Tickets for the Annual Dinner and Dance are now on sale at the top clubhouse - Saturday 19th November at the Babbacombe Inn. Menu options are also available for you to choose from.

SAILING

Our official season closed with a splendid prizegiving evening on Sept 25th. Congratulations to all our prizewinners



15th OCTOBER

THAI NIGHT with DREW MILLIN £6

Please let us know if you would like to join in by emailing Lyn at
lpm52@hotmail.co.uk



We now have a new quad-tractor, thanks to Sport England, to help launch and retrieve safety boats, modelled above by one of our new Joint VCs. So far we have trained up eight drivers.

BEACH CLUBHOUSE REGENERATION

After further internal reviews and advice from the Club's Solicitors and the RYA Legal Department we replied to Torbay Council on their latest draft lease. We met with them in early October and expect to have a final draft lease for agreement very shortly.

We have also had discussions down on the beach with the Architects, Engineering Consultants and Cost Estimators and had a Topographical Survey completed. We are now awaiting reports from all these people before moving to the next stage.

Once these Reports have been received and the Club's Committees have had an opportunity to review all this work we will present back to you on the options and costs.

If anyone has any views or comments on the Beach Clubhouse Regeneration please talk to Adrian Mark or email him at adrianhmark@yahoo.co.uk

CLUB DEVELOPMENT PLAN

The first draft of the Club Development Plan is still being reviewed by the Officers, after which we will publish a further draft and arrange a consultation meeting so you have a chance to ask questions, let us have your own suggestions and provide feedback etc.

SOCIAL

We are still looking for a volunteer(s) to lead our social activities, meanwhile could any requests for booking the top clubhouse for holding an event go via Lyn Mark at lpm52@hotmail.co.uk. The event calendar is up to date so first please identify that your date and time is available. We have many

volunteers who will help with your event if required.

Events planned for the rest of October are as follows:

11th Oct 7.45pm: World Cup Qualifier
England v Slovenia

12th Oct 8pm: Sci-Fi Night - Blade Runner

15th Oct 8pm: Thai Night with Drew Millin

19th Oct 8pm: Film Night - Blues Brothers

26th Oct 8pm: Comedy Night - Peter Kay

29th Oct 8pm: Halloween with Rocky Horror Show & Supper

A new Creative Crafting activity is being held on Thursday mornings 10.30am-12.30pm £2 including coffee/tea so bring your crafting project along and join in

WEBSITE

Our Website has had a makeover, still early days, but please go and have a look to see what information is now available and please feedback any suggestions. If you have any photos that you have taken during the season that we could include or news that you would like to see included then please email me at lpm52@hotmail.co.uk

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