



BABBACOMBE CORINTHIAN SAILING CLUB NEWSLETTER

May 2017



STOP PRESS

The Lease for the beach clubhouse and boatpark has now been signed by our three Trustees and is back with the Council to finalise. Even though it took a little longer than hoped (!) we now have a new 40 year lease giving us the basis to continue with our redevelopment plans (see below).

Do you fancy helping out behind the bar, we need some more volunteers please. Training and support will be given

GENERAL COMMITTEE UPDATE

Unfortunately as like everyone/everything else we have been advised of some increases in our bar prices and whilst we have had to increase the draughts by 10p a pint we are looking to minimise further impacts across the bar.

The purchase of a further Laser was approved and joined our fleet yesterday - see below for further details

Thanks go to those involved with the mural and the painting of the beach clubhouse doors ready for PTBO.

One of our members has lost a gold wedding ring down on the beach Tuesday evening, if you do come across it please let one of us know

MEMBERSHIP

We continue to receive New Members and plan to hold a New Members Night on Saturday 27th May along with music from the Babbacombe Bay Rollers 8pm and it's a 'Bring a Plate' so keep an eye out for the list on the board.

We will also be holding a Top Clubhouse Open Day on Saturday 19th August 10am - 3pm to invite the local community to see what we offer - more details will be published later but if you can spare some time to assist or have any ideas please contact Lyn

FUNDRAISING

We now have 2 ways to obtain contributions without costing you anything, other than your time.



With Easy Fundraising our 39 supporters have raised over £1000 to date since we registered

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/babbacombecsc/>



The Torbay Lottery has been recently launched <http://babbacombe-sc.com/wp/about/torbay-lottery/> and we already have 23 supporters. For every £1 ticket which gives you the chance to win £25,000, the club receives 50p

It really does make sense to join both of the above as it costs you nothing extra but gains us a lot. If you need help with using either Easy Fundraising or Torbay Lottery, talk to your children or grandchildren - they'll know what to do or contact Lyn and she will arrange a 1 to 1 to get you started. These really are some of the easiest ways to support you club and thank you to those of you who have already registered to support us this way

HOUSE COMMITTEE

We are reviewing the furniture in the top clubhouse over this coming month with a view to decluttering and/or replacing some of the chairs. And whilst a questionnaire will be prepared and be available at the top clubhouse later this month please let us have your views.

This Friday sees the final of the pool competition between John Lawton v Andy Probert, please come along and support.

Dates for your Diary:

(See Website for further details)

Sat 13 th May	PTBO/Eurovision
Weds 17 th May	Music: Beatles
Sat 20 th May	PTBO
Sat 27 th May	New Members Night Babbacombe Bay Rollers
Weds 31 st May	Music: U2
Sat 3 rd June	Blue X Quiz
Weds 7 th June	Music: Bee Gees Live in LA
Sat 10 th June	Regatta Commodores Reception
Weds 14 th June	Music: Ray Davies @ Glastonbury
Sat 17 th June	Greek Night
Weds 21 st June	Music: Glastonbury
Sat 24 th June	Race Night
Weds 28 th June	Music: 60/70/80s

SAILING AND TRAINING



We have a new club boat! A very smart Laser single-hander, complete with standard, radial and 4.7 rigs. This is now available for members to hire during club sailing sessions. Please contact Jan for details.

Race officers, safety boaters, beachmasters and volunteers - please come forward to help on Sundays Tuesdays and Fridays. Slots are listed on DutyMan. Training and guidance will be provided where needed.

The improvers Saturday sessions are now complete and we very much hope our improved improvers will come along to regular club sailing sessions on Sunday mornings, Tuesday evenings and Friday evenings.

You may have noticed we are running our Push The Boat Out open days on Saturday 13th and Saturday 20th May. If you haven't tried sailing yet, here's your chance! No experience necessary. Let your family and friends know! Come down and help if you can, or just come down and enjoy the day.

RYA PUSH THE BOAT OUT

Try Sailing For FREE

Taster sessions Saturday 13th & 20th May 2017

- Open to Adults and Juniors
- Fully supervised by our RYA Instructors

Babbacombe Corinthian Sailing Club are proud supporters of the RYA National Push The Boat Out event

If you are interested see www.babbacombe-sc.com or email babbacombe.corinthians@gmail.com

Babbacombe Corinthian Sailing Club RYA

We will be running another RYA beginner's training course over the weekends following PTBO. Please see Guy for details.

This year we are also putting on Friday evening social sailing from 19th May. This will also include special sessions for our juniors.

Tuesday Evening Sailing and Sailing Suppers are now on

Just a reminder, Babbacombe Regatta is coming up next month on Sat 10th and Sun 11th June. This is our annual regatta and we invite all our sailors to join in, especially the newer ones. Entry is £25 (Juniors £15) for the two days, with free boat hire for members. We'll also need some help on the beach please.

REGEN

After discussion with the RYA and Torbay Building Control we understand the requirement for disabled and their accessibility provisions for any new build. Our architects have now been asked to develop and refine the sketch plans we already have. Watch this space.

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