



BABBACOMBE CORINTHIAN SAILING CLUB NEWSLETTER

June 2017



GENERAL COMMITTEE UPDATE

It is now coming to the time of year when we need to start looking at the replacement of Officers and General Committee members for the AGM in October. It would be useful to look to identify people who are interested in taking a role on so as to give time for roles to be discussed, agreed and training undertaken where required.

If you feel you would be interested in helping in the club please let any officer know and thank you.

We had hoped to report on Babbacombe Regatta this month but it had to be postponed due to strong winds. We will advise a new date soon.

Race Night race cards are now on sale, always a popular event so buy your race card now to avoid disappointment.

SAILING AND TRAINING

Our Push The Boat Out open days on Saturday 13th and Saturday 20th May proved very popular. We ran over 50 tasters sessions over the two days and as a result have recruited a lovely bunch of new sailors and social members.



Well done to all club members who help put this on!

We ran a 4-day RYA beginner's training course straight after PTBO, and we are now lucky to have another 10 or so newly trained sailors in our fleet.

Tuesday evening sailing is bedding in well now the weather is kinder. It is really good to see many of our new sailors having a go at getting around that triangle. It's worth mentioning that we often have helms looking for crews. If you'd like to be teamed up just let us know!

Tuesday Evening Sailing is now on (and sailing Suppers)

We have now started Friday evening sailing sessions. These are aimed at our young sailors and also at those not-so-young who just want to come out for a social (non-race) sail. We will be offering some hints and tips too.

Friday Evening Sailing is now on for juniors and social sailors

We've been tucking into fish and chip suppers at the top clubhouse after Friday sailing, and it looks like this is becoming a regular feature. Just place your order and pay at registration before sailing.

As ever we need a steady stream of help to keep it all rolling. Please volunteer when you can

Don't forget the Westerlys are coming to visit us on 1st July. Join us on the beach for a 6pm BBQ, All members are welcome, whether you sail or not, cost £10, just put your name on the list at the top club house for BBQ and/or taster sessions. *Please talk to Jan, Phil or Kate for any further information*



MEMBERSHIP

This continues to increase. We now have 268 members including 20 juniors and 55 new. If you have a family or friend or new neighbour please let them know about us and bring them along to an event or to the beach to find out more about sailing

facebook

Join us on Facebook, especially if you sail, as this is used to update you on sailing issues and social events.

GUESTS

Please remember that any guests must be signed in otherwise we could be in breach of our license. Better still get your guests to join and then there won't be that problem 😊

HOUSE COMMITTEE

In respect of the top clubhouse furniture review a questionnaire has been compiled and is available at the top clubhouse for people who use the top clubhouse to advise us of any opinions.

Dates for your Diary:

(See Website for further details)

Sat 17 th June	Film: Yellow Submarine
Weds 21 st June	Music: 60/70/80s
Sat 24 th June	Race Night
Weds 28 th June	Music: 60/70/80s
Weds 5 th July	Film: The boat that Rocked
Sat 8 th July	Colin Reece
Weds 12 th July	Music: Pink Floyd
Weds 19 th July	Music: Joni Mitchell
Sat 22 nd July	Italian Night
Weds 26 th July	Music: Muse

In August, for your diary

Sat 5th Aug - ForJosie - an acoustic guitar duo

Sat 12th Aug - Paella night courtesy of Neil and Richard

BAR VOLUNTEERS

Thank you to all those who have come forward for training, however we are still short and need your help to fill the gaps please. Tuesdays are now included in the rota as the sailors are no longer able to cover so if you can help please let me know.

REGEN

The development and refinement of the sketch plans is still awaited following further discussions with the Regen Committee as to how to proceed.



View of the new mural - what a transformation

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.

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