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HAVERSHAM SAILING CLUB

RYA Affiliated | RYA Recognised Training Centre | MKBYSA Racing

Flotsam and Jetsam

12th November 2023

Netty's Christmas Dinner

Netty's famous traditional Christmas dinner will be held in the club house on Saturday 9th December at 6.30pm Limited places so sign up quickly on the list in the club house £17 per person

Christmas Nibbles
Sunday 17th December after racing (about 2.30 ish) Bring a plate of nibbles to share and join us for a Christmas get together in the club house after sailing.

Half Crown Buffet Lunch All Welcome

Wednesday 20th December at 1pm In the club house Bring a contribution for a buffet lunch

Holiday Racing

Commodore's Rum Do

Handicap Race at 11.39am

New Year's Day Ice Breaker

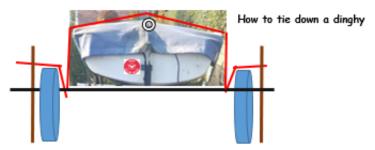
Pursuit Race at 11.30am

Please note there is no series racing on Christmas Eve (24th December) or **New Year's Eve (31st December)**

If you have a duty rostered for one of these days, could you be prepared to offer to step in at another time?

Keeping Boats Safe at HSC it's that time of year again when a few days rain on sodden ground can mean floods.

Look after your boat by attaching it firmly to the posts on either side of your berth. If you borrow a club boat, make sure you tie it down properly when you put it away.



Don't forget that small craft like kayaks also need to be tied up.

Power Boat Manager

The club is looking for a volunteer to look after the power boats

In conjunction with the Safety Boat Co-ordinator, responsibility for the physical care and maintenance of the club's powerboats and ancillary equipment. You'll need RYA Powerboat and/or Safety Boat qualification, and basic mechanical knowledge would be useful.

Powerboats: ensure upkeep and maintenance is current and appropriate, including monitoring the log book, scheduling of routine outboard engine servicing together with delivery to, and collection from, the designated marine mechanics. Towbar and trailer lighting board essential.

Equipment: ensure all equipment relating to the safety boat function is fit for purpose, repairing or replacing as necessary, including: walkie-talkies, road trailers, launching trolleys, on-board equipment as mandated by the RYA (buckets, heaving lines, anchors, grab-bags etc.)

Quarter Master

The club needs a volunteer to take on the role of Quarter Master.

The most important jobs are to:

Ensure, with the help of others, that repairs to club boats are carried out as soon as practicable.

Periodically check that the club boats are berthed and tied down correctly, especially during the winter months

If you can help, please contact Patrick Commodore@havershamsc.org

Non Native Invasive species ANGLERS

PLEASE ensure that all your nets, slings, mats, etc are completely and thoroughly dry before fishing. The scientists recommend exposing equipment for a minimum of 18 hours of direct sunlight to remove any risk of transfer of invasive species (also kills KHV). The committee is relying on YOU to follow this ruling, so PLEASE ensure you do so.

Thank you, Des (Angling Manager)







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