



Royal Lyminster Yacht Club



Weekly Update For Our Members

Wednesday 2nd February 2022

Dear Members,

I am delighted to inform you that this week we have signed a contract with a new Food, Beverage and Hospitality supplier who will take over management of our bar and restaurant from 1st March 2022. The new supplier is South West Larder which is owned by the [Wesbury Street Holdings Group](#).

The bar and restaurant will return to 7 days a week service in March and will trade under our Royal Lyminster Yacht Club brand. We are working closely with the new supplier to ensure their offering meets the requirements of our members.

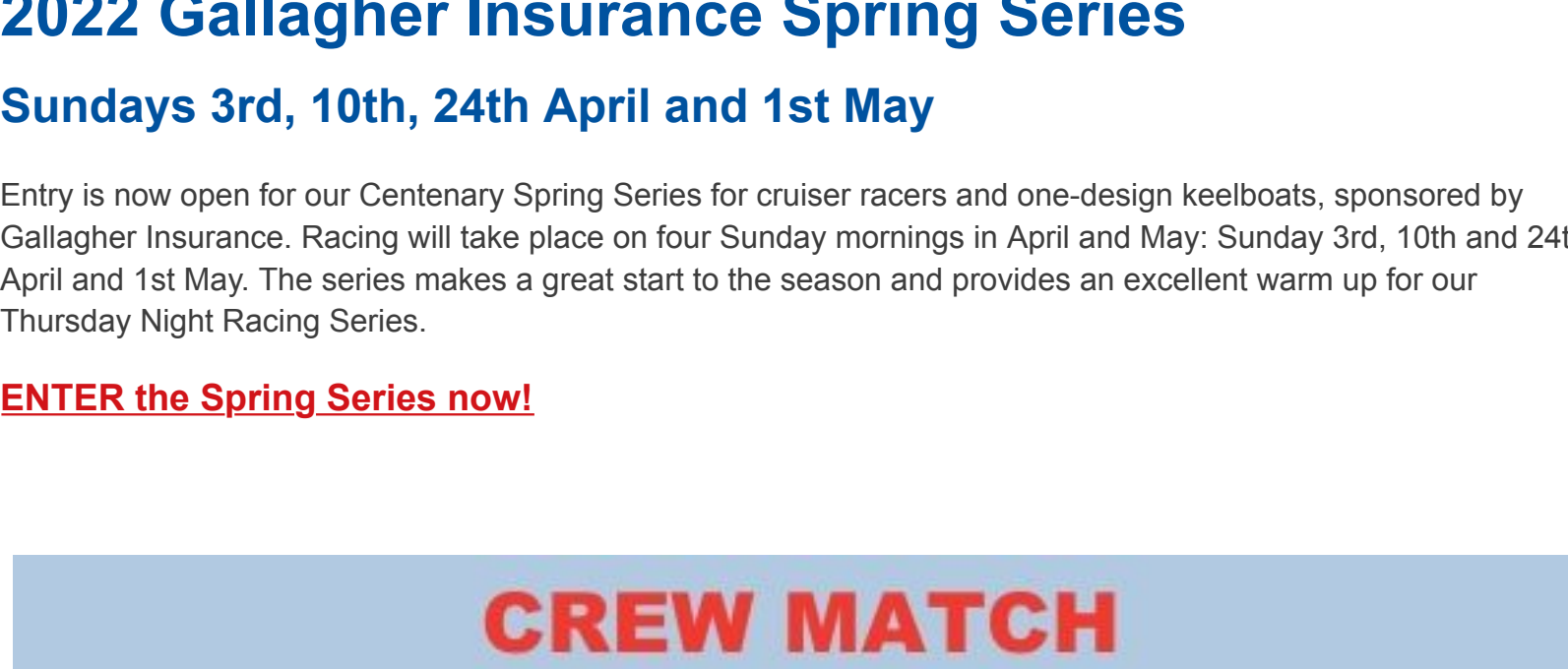
The Mosimann's Team will continue until 28th February 2022.

This Saturday is our AGM, starting at 11:00. As a reminder, all relevant documents were emailed to you on 15th January. [Find the link to the Agenda and documents here](#). Please register your attendance at the AGM by recording your name with staff at the foot of the main stairs on the day. Our centenary regalia will be on sale at the Club before and after the AGM.

Read on for the latest news and updates from the RLYMVC team and remember to look out for and like our posts and stories on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), [Twitter](#) and [LinkedIn](#).

With best wishes,

Phil Lawrence
Commodore

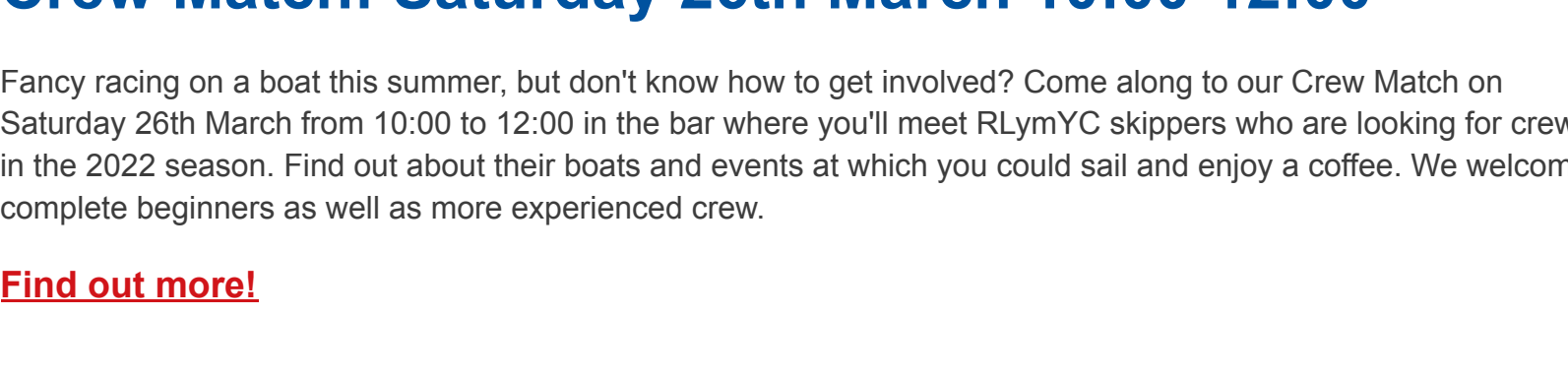


2022 Gallagher Insurance Spring Series

Sundays 3rd, 10th, 24th April and 1st May

Entry is now open for our Centenary Spring Series for cruiser racers and one-design keelboats, sponsored by Gallagher Insurance. Racing will take place on four Sunday mornings in April and May: Sunday 3rd, 10th and 24th April and 1st May. The series makes a great start to the season and provides an excellent warm up for our Thursday Night Racing Series.

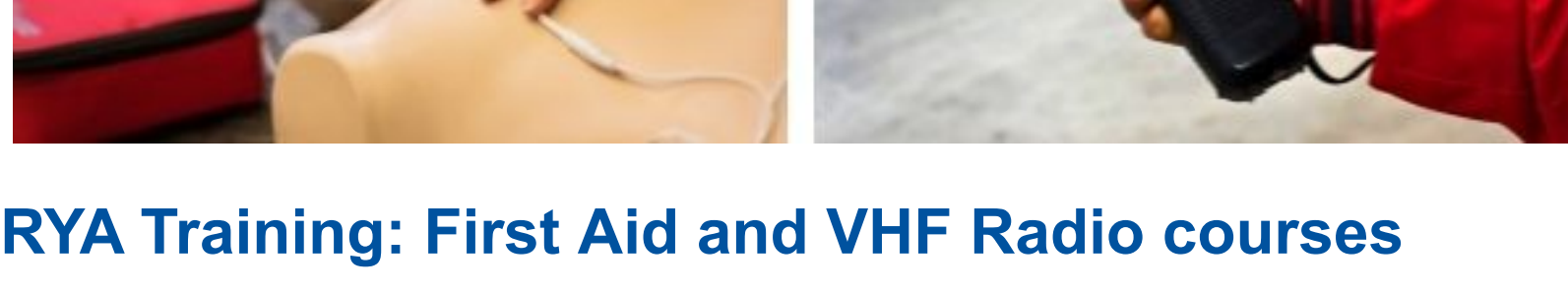
[ENTER the Spring Series now!](#)



Crew Match: Saturday 26th March 10:00-12:00

Fancy racing on a boat this summer, but don't know how to get involved? Come along to our Crew Match on Saturday 26th March from 10:00 to 12:00 in the bar where you'll meet RLYMVC skippers who are looking for crew in the 2022 season. Find out about their boats and events at which you could sail and enjoy a coffee. We welcome complete beginners as well as more experienced crew.

[Find out more!](#)



RYA Training: First Aid and VHF Radio courses

Our next RYA First Aid Course will be taking place on **Sunday 13th February**. In a medical emergency a little first aid knowledge and immediate action can save lives, especially in remote locations.

We also have two dates for the RYA VHF SRC Radio Course, **Saturday 19th February** and **Saturday 19th March**. Who would raise the alarm in a distress situation on board your boat? What if the skipper was unable to? The Short Range Certificate (SRC) is a minimum legal requirement for every British flagged vessel voluntarily fitted with a radio. It's also essential for anyone who enjoys boating so that they can use a marine radio fitted with Digital Selective Calling (DSC) functionality.

[Find out more and BOOK your place!](#)



Race Management Training Update

A reminder that all members are welcome to join our Race Management Training, which now includes an additional date: Tuesday 22nd February.

Tuesday 8th February: Safe and Fun, Safeguarding of Children & Vulnerable Adults with Jane Cornden, Vicky Leen and Kristy Powell.

Tuesday 15th February: Club Race Officer, Malcolm McKeag, will give a one-hour overview of the Race Officer course (as most of it will have been covered elsewhere) plus the test. Aimed at those who need a CRC certificate to run races in the Club. Participants will need to both pass the test and be assessed in practice to get the certificate.

Tuesday 22nd February: Course-setting for one design keelboats with Malcolm McKeag.

[Find out more and BOOK your place!](#)

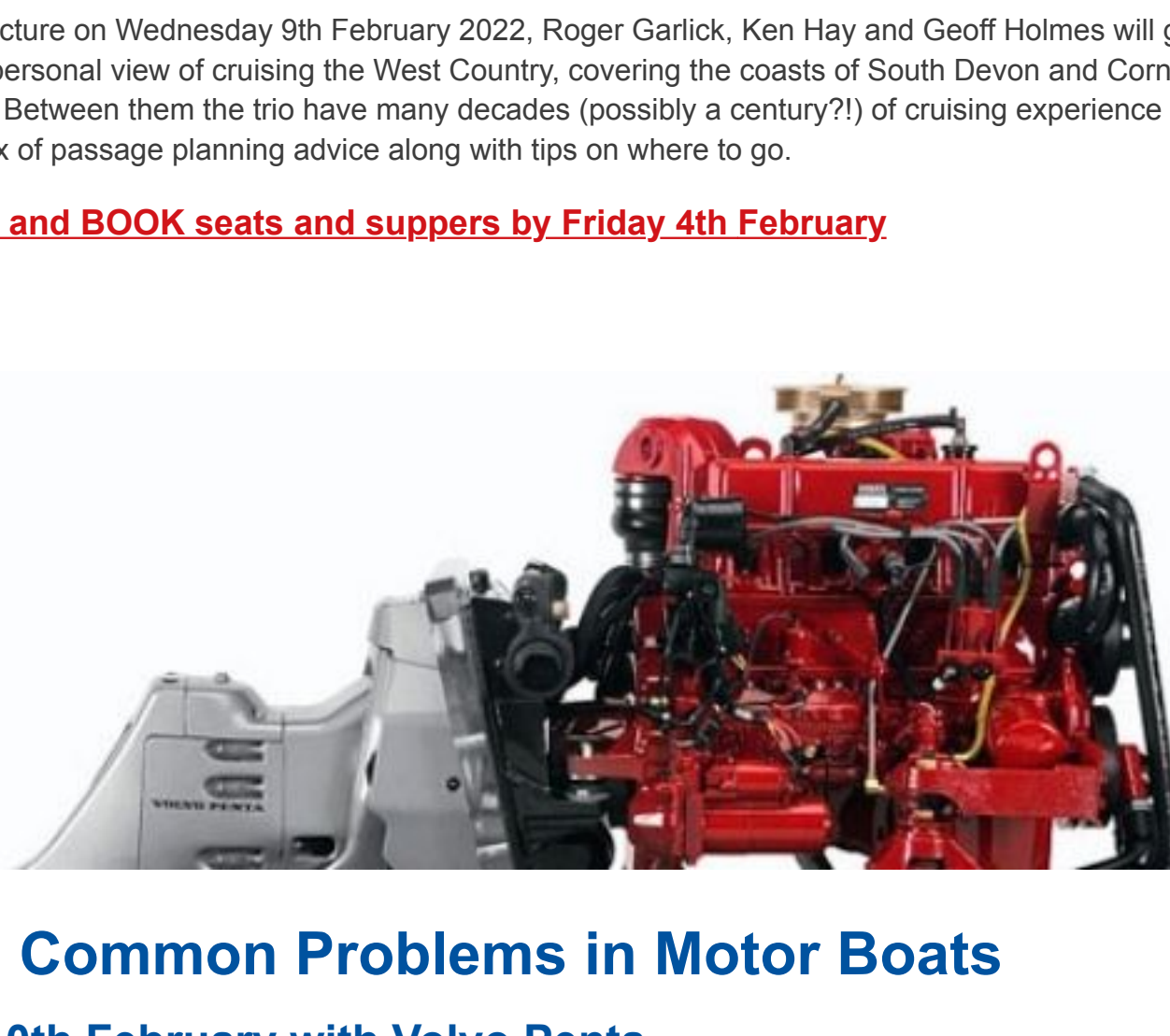


Lecture: Cruising in the West Country

Wednesday 9th February with Geoff, Ken and Roger

For our Winter Lecture on Wednesday 9th February 2022, Roger Garlick, Ken Hay and Geoff Holmes will give an introduction and personal view of cruising the West Country, covering the coasts of South Devon and Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly. Between them the trio have many decades (possibly a century?) of cruising experience to share and will give a mix of practical planning advice along with tips on where to go.

[Find out more and BOOK seats and suppers by Friday 4th February](#)



Lecture: Common Problems in Motor Boats

Thursday 10th February with Volvo Penta

All members are welcome to join our Powerboating Lecture on Thursday 10th February when Sam Roach from Volvo Penta will be talking about Common Problems in Motor Boats. The talk will cover common failure modes of modern marine diesels, the causes and how to reduce occurrences. Plus how to 'get the most' following common failures, including detail on sensible spares to carry on-board. Unmissable - book now!

[Find out more and BOOK seats and suppers by Sunday 6th February](#)



Valentine's Dinner: Saturday 12th February

Chef Nick has prepared a special menu for you to dine with your Valentine early on Saturday 12th February. Enjoy fizz on arrival followed by a delightful three-course menu followed by tea, coffee and chocolates. Please choose from 19.00, 19.30 and 20.00 arrival times. Tickets are £45.

[Find out more and book by Wednesday 9th February](#)

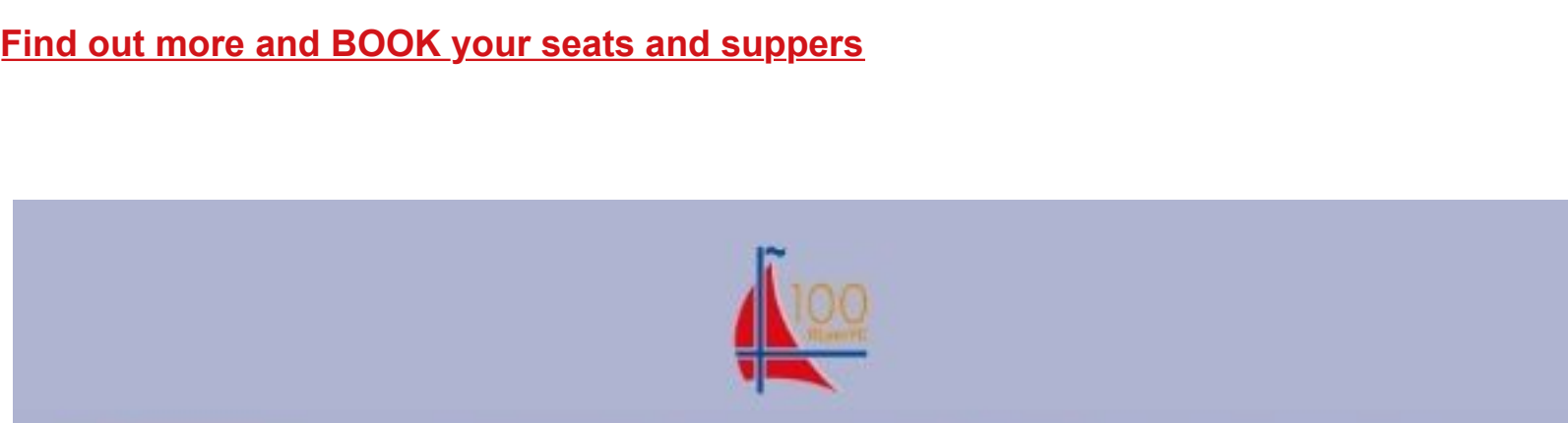


Brushes with officialdom: amusing encounters

Scow Talk with Dick Moore, Thursday 17th February

Our next Scow Winter Talk and Supper will be on Thursday 17th February. Dick Moore will talk about amusing encounters with officials during a 9 year circumnavigation. Between 2001 and 2010 Pam and Dick Moore visited over 50 countries in the course of their leisurely nine-year circumnavigation. Mostly the officials they met were courteous, friendly and honest... sometimes they were not! All members are welcome to join the talk and supper. Book by Friday 11th February.

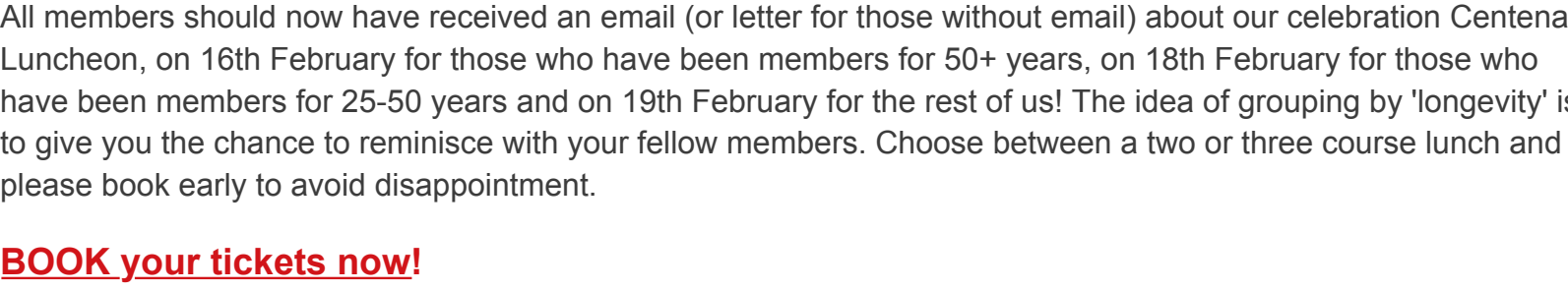
[Find out more and BOOK your seats and suppers](#)



Centenary Luncheons: 16th, 18th, 19th February

All members should now have received an email (or letter for those without email) about our celebration Centenary Luncheon, on 16th February for those who have been members for 50+ years, on 18th February for those who have been members for 25-50 years and on 19th February for the rest of us! The idea of grouping by 'longevity' is to give you the chance to reminisce with your fellow members. Choose between a two or three course lunch and please book early to avoid disappointment.

[BOOK your tickets now!](#)



Day Cruise to Yarmouth with lunch in Freshwater

Monday 21st February 2022

All members are welcome to join our next day cruise for sail and power to Yarmouth Harbour, with walked planned along the River Yar to the Red Lion at Freshwater. We need to advise the Harbour Master of our boat numbers, so if you would like to join us please email Peter Bell on pbell@cgtd.co.uk or via the Connected Cruisers WhatsApp with boat name and length, sail or power and number on board.

[Find out more](#)



Cruising Dinner: Saturday 26th February

Our Annual Cruising Dinner and Prizegiving will take place on Saturday 26th February 2022, with guest of honour and speaker Malcolm McKeag. Choose either two or three courses, followed by coffee and petit fours. Book your tickets by Tuesday 22nd February.

Remember to submit your cruising logs and blogs to the Cruising Committee for consideration for awards and your nominations for the Seamanship Trophy (for a feat of seamanship or navigation) and the John and Angie Ballie Trophy (for a lifetime of achievement in sailing) by this - **Saturday 5th February!**

[BOOK tickets by 22nd February and submit logs and nominations by 5th February!](#)



1922 Celebration Dinner and Casino

Save the date - **Saturday 19th March** - for our very special centenary celebration at the Club. Our 1922 Celebration Dinner will start with fizz on arrival then a five course dinner with special guest and after dinner speaker. Plus here, the inspirational Wendee Globe Skipper, followed by a casino. Tickets and more information will be available from next week...

[Save the date - Saturday 19th March!](#)

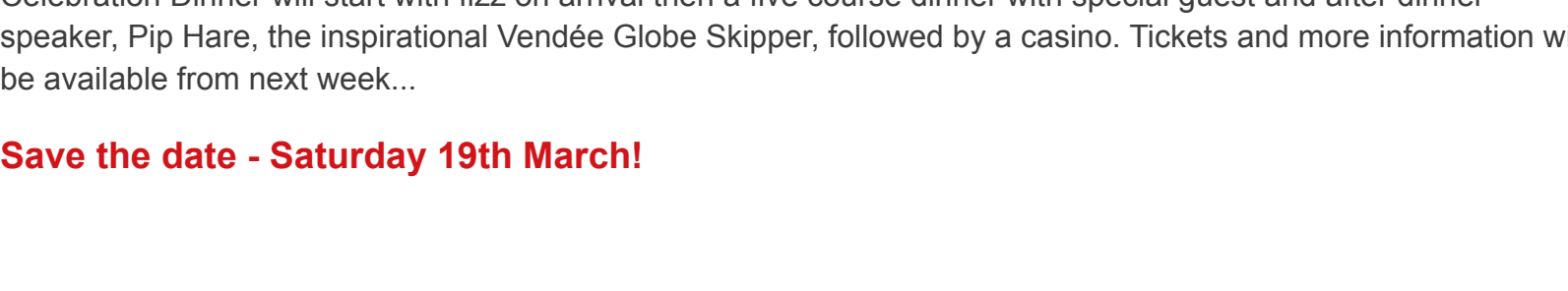


Capture that memory - photography course

6 week course with Paul French starting 8th February

A 6 week photography course starts at the Club on Tuesday 8th February at 10.00. Discover the many important aspects of photography that you develop your own portfolio and style as you learn and hopefully make some new friends with a common interest! If you haven't already booked on this interesting course, book your place now!

[Find out more, including how to register on the course](#)



Watch the Six Nations at the Club

Come to the Club to watch the Six Nations! Subject to demand, we are planning to show the rugby matches in the bar on 5th and 6th February, 12th and 13th February, 26th and 27th February, 11th and 12th March and 19th March. The bar and restaurant will be open as normal. [Find details here](#), except on the evening of 26th February (Annual Cruising Dinner). There will be a special Valentine's menu on 12th February.

Other forthcoming dates for your diary...

- 3rd February: [Winter Lecture - Navigation](#)
- 5th February: AGM
- 8th February: [Winter Lecture - Cruising in the West Country](#)
- 10th February: [Motorboating Lecture - Common Problems with Motor Boats](#)
- 12th February: Valentine's Dinner
- 13th February: [RYA First Aid Training](#)
- 16th February: Winter Lecture - The Diesel Bug
- 16th, 18th, 19th February: Centenary Members' Luncheons
- 19th February: [RYA VHF Training](#)
- 21st February: [Day cruise to Yarmouth](#)
- 23rd February: Winter Lecture - Travels and Working on a Superyacht
- 2nd March: Scow Talk and Supper - Preparing for the new season
- 8th March: Winter Lecture - William Blich
- 10th March: Motorboating Lecture
- 16th March: Winter Lecture - HIWWT Seagrass project
- 17th March: Scow Talk and Supper - Preparing for the new season
- 18th March: Junior and Youth Prizegiving Dinner
- 19th March: [RYA VHF Training](#)
- 19th March: 1922 Celebration Dinner
- 22nd March: [Day cruise to Newton Creek](#)
- 22nd March: [Motor diary cruise to Ocean Village](#)
- 26th March: [Crew Match](#) 10:00-12:00
- 27th March: New Members Day
- 26th-27th March: RS Feva Spring Championships
- 30th March: Racing Forum 5 - Playing the Game

Find more information about forthcoming events on our [website events calendar!](#)

And finally...

Do you have a treasured vintage, veteran or classic car or motorcycle tucked away? We would love you to join our Century Vintage and Classics Exhibition, taking place at the Club on Saturday 7th May. We will be hosting a display of rare, interesting and nostalgic vehicles (both on and off the water)! If you would like to take part please contact Tom McEwen with details of your vehicle(s) on 01590 675397 mob 07974 442620 to enable him to plan the fantastic display.

[Find out more about our Centenary celebrations here](#)

If another member cannot find this email in their inbox, please direct them to the [Club Motorboard](#) on the website where we will now be keeping a link to the last few weeks of newsletters... and suggest they check their email contact details with the office team. Thank you.



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Royal Lyminster Yacht Club: a warm and welcoming home of yachting, dinghy sailing and motor boating.

At RLYMVC you'll find a warm welcome, excellent facilities, first class training, expert waterside services, a thriving social programme for all ages both ashore and afloat and our popular bar and restaurant managed by the world-renowned Mosimann's dining club.

Find out more in our website: rlmvc.org.uk



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