



Royal Lymington Yacht Club



Weekly Update For Our Members

Wednesday 5th January 2022

Dear Members,

As our exciting centenary year commences, I wish you all a very Happy New Year.

This evening our Club Historians and Archivists, Graham Clarke and Neil Eccles, will be kicking off our next round of winter lectures with a talk about the [history of the Club](#). Remember that members can catch up on most of our previous winter lectures on the [Cruising page](#) of our website once they have logged in.

Next week you will receive by email papers relating to our Annual General Meeting, which will be taking place on Saturday 5th February.

Read on for the latest news and updates from the RLYMJC team and do follow RLYMJC on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and [Twitter](#), where you'll find regular updates, including some great photos from 2021 taken by Paul French.

With best wishes,

Phil Lawrence
Commodore



Saturday 22 January 2022

Burns Night Dinner: Saturday 22nd January

Our annual celebration of Scotland's National Poet, Robert Burns, will be taking place in the Clubhouse on Saturday 22nd January 2022, starting 19:00 for 19:30. The traditional three course Burns Night dinner, with key parts played by members of the Club, will be supported by a piper. Following the dinner get set to whirl at a traditional Ceilidh, a fun-filled evening of jigs, reels and entertainment! Tickets £45 per person.

Our [NEW centenary bow ties](#) are perfect for Burns Night! Costing just £12.50 (and available as self-tie or pre-tied), we have a limited number of bow ties, so be sure to snap one up before it's too late!

[Book your seat and order your supper by Tuesday 18th January](#)



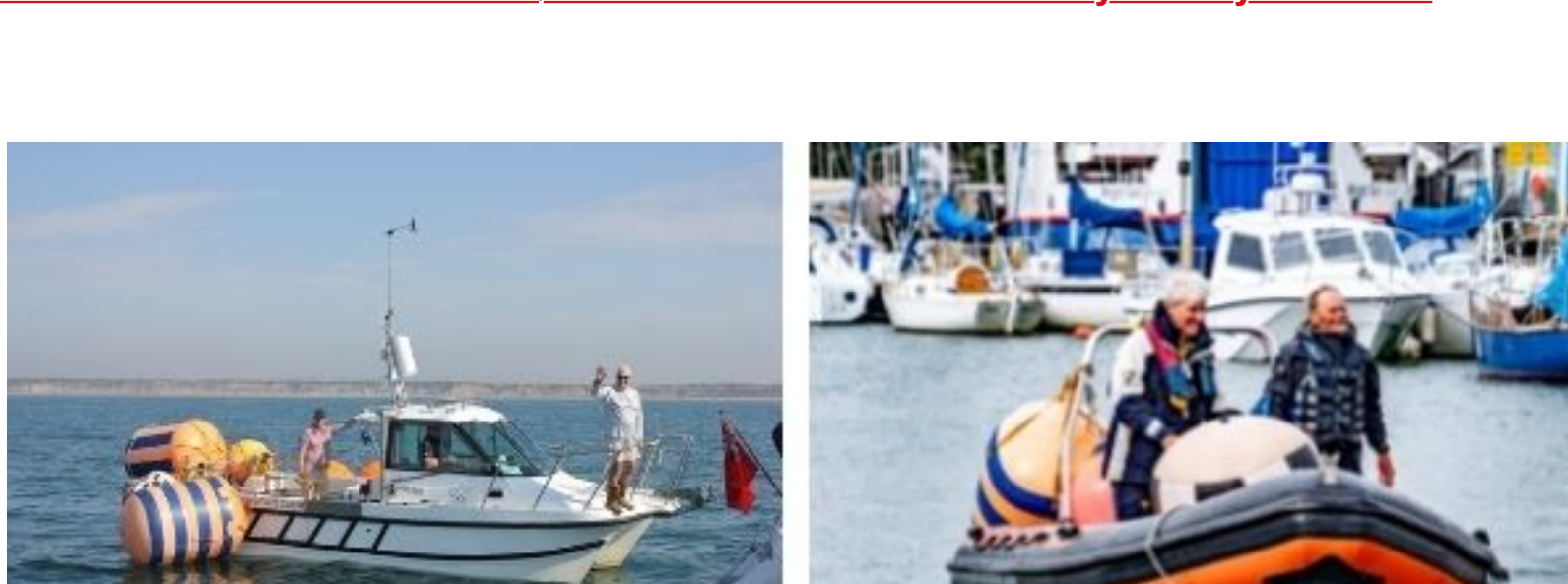
Virtual Quiz Night - Thursday 6th January

Vince's January Quiz will be held on Zoom tomorrow evening, Thursday 6th January, starting at 19:00 and aiming to finish at around 21:00. Please join the meeting from 18:15 to allow time to be allocated into your team's "Zoom Room".

Please book by emailing Gillian on gillian@rlymjc.org.uk by 12:00 midday on Thursday 6th January, with your Team Name, your Team Captain, all team member email addresses and if known your screen name (how you will appear on Zoom eg Club RLYMJC).

Zoom details will be sent once you have book your place. [Click here for a quick link to the Virtual Quiz Night](#). Meeting ID: 832 7685 1112, Passcode: 537159.

[Full details of how the Virtual Quiz will work and how to book by midday Thurs 6th](#)

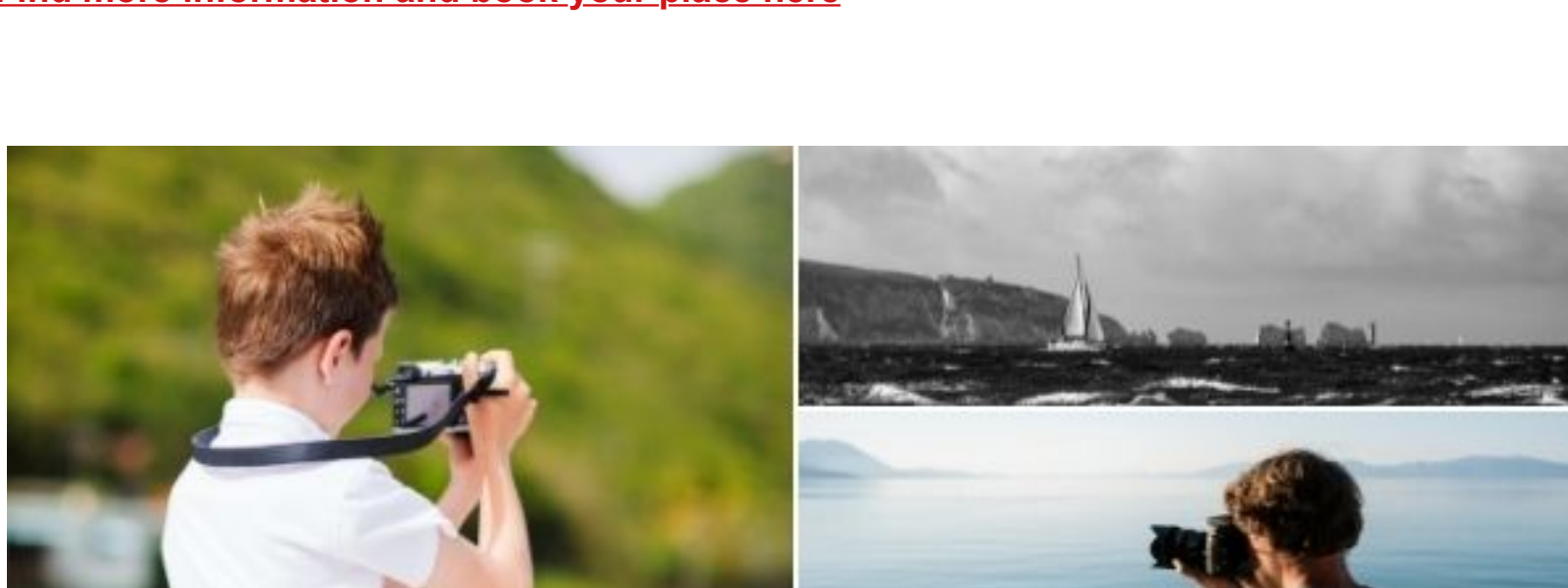


Race Team Training

6 Week course starts Tuesday 11th January

A six week training course for our race team volunteers will start on Tuesday 11th January at 18:30, for new and experienced volunteers. This year we have a number of topics to cover and the team will try and cater for new / less experienced volunteers as well as doing refreshers and revalidations for others. We are therefore aiming to run two sessions on the same night for the initial weeks.

[Find more information and book your place here](#)



Photography Competition and Lecture Final

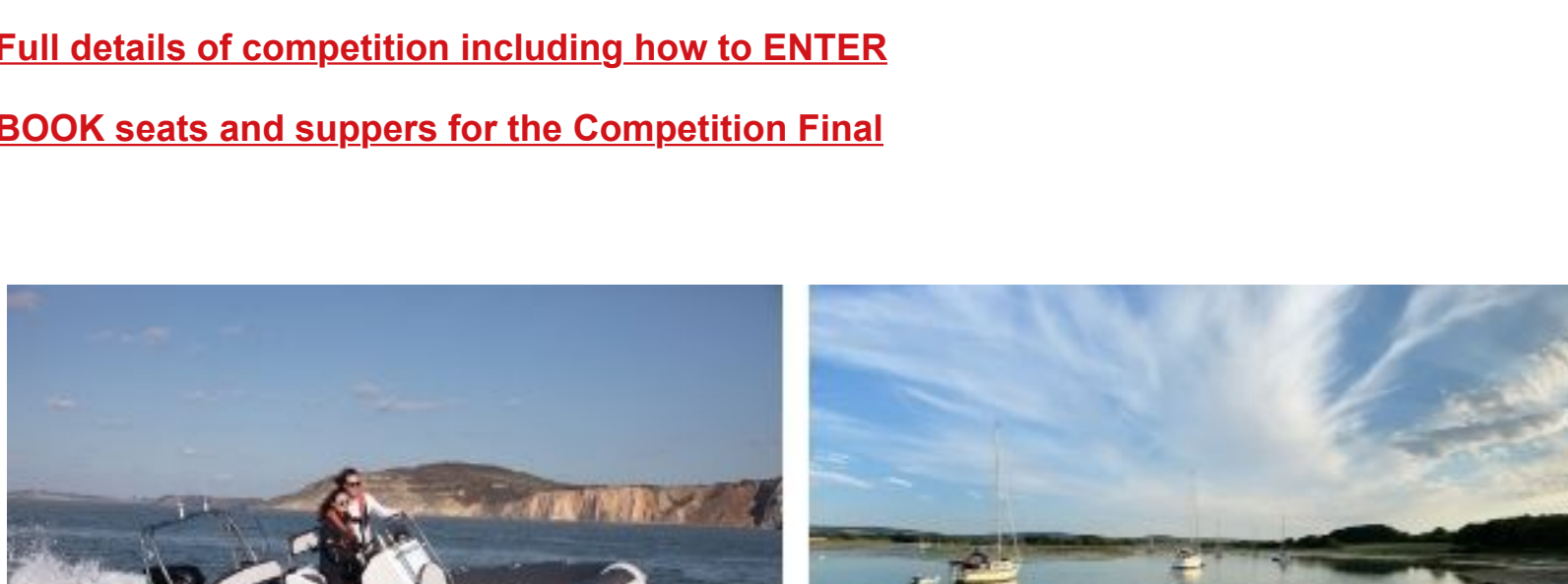
Entry deadline 6th January and book your seat by 7th January!

Members of all ages and photographic ability are welcome to enter our Annual Photography Competition, for which the theme is "Water." Submit your photos by Thursday 6th January 2022 in jpeg format.

Our Winter Lecture on Wednesday 12th January will be a showcase of the entries for our Photography Competition, with judging and announcement of the winner! Reserve your seats now and book your suppers by Friday 7th January.

[Full details of competition including how to ENTER](#)

[BOOK seats and suppers for the Competition Final](#)

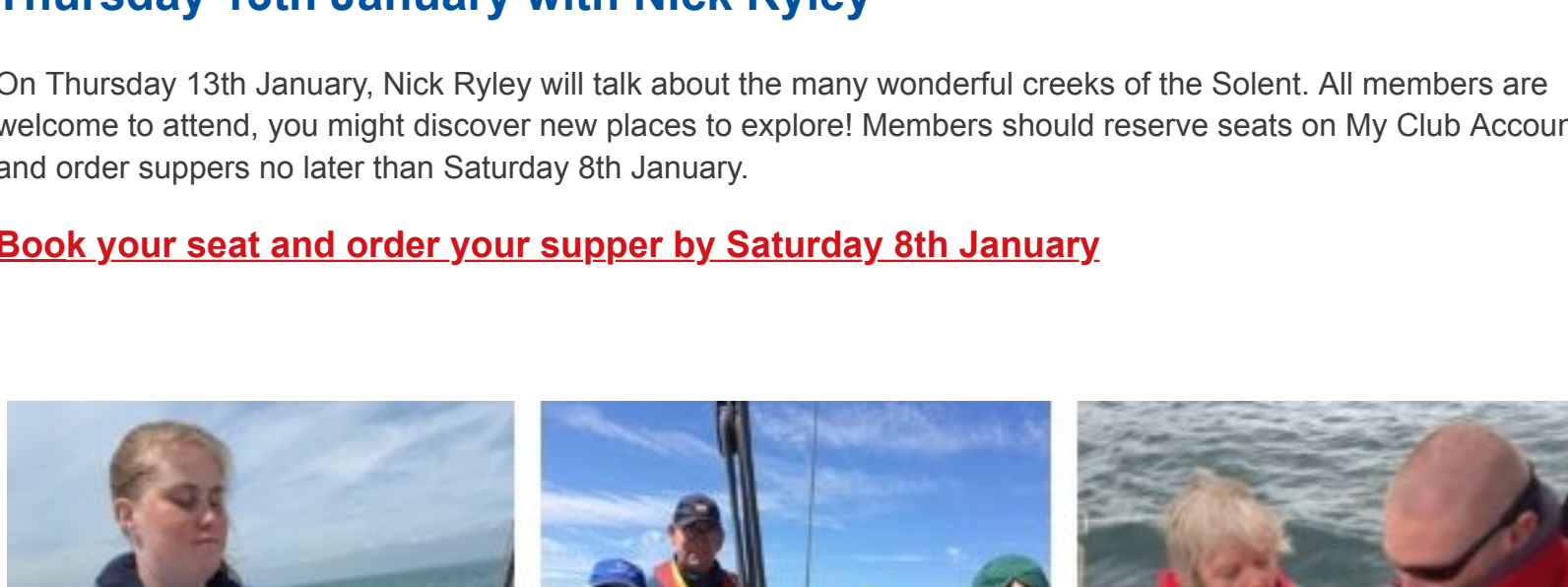


Powerboating Lecture: Creeks of the Solent

Thursday 13th January with Nick Ryley

On Thursday 13th January, Nick Ryley will talk about the many wonderful creeks of the Solent. All members are welcome to attend, you might discover new places to explore! Members should reserve seats on My Club Account and order suppers no later than Saturday 8th January.

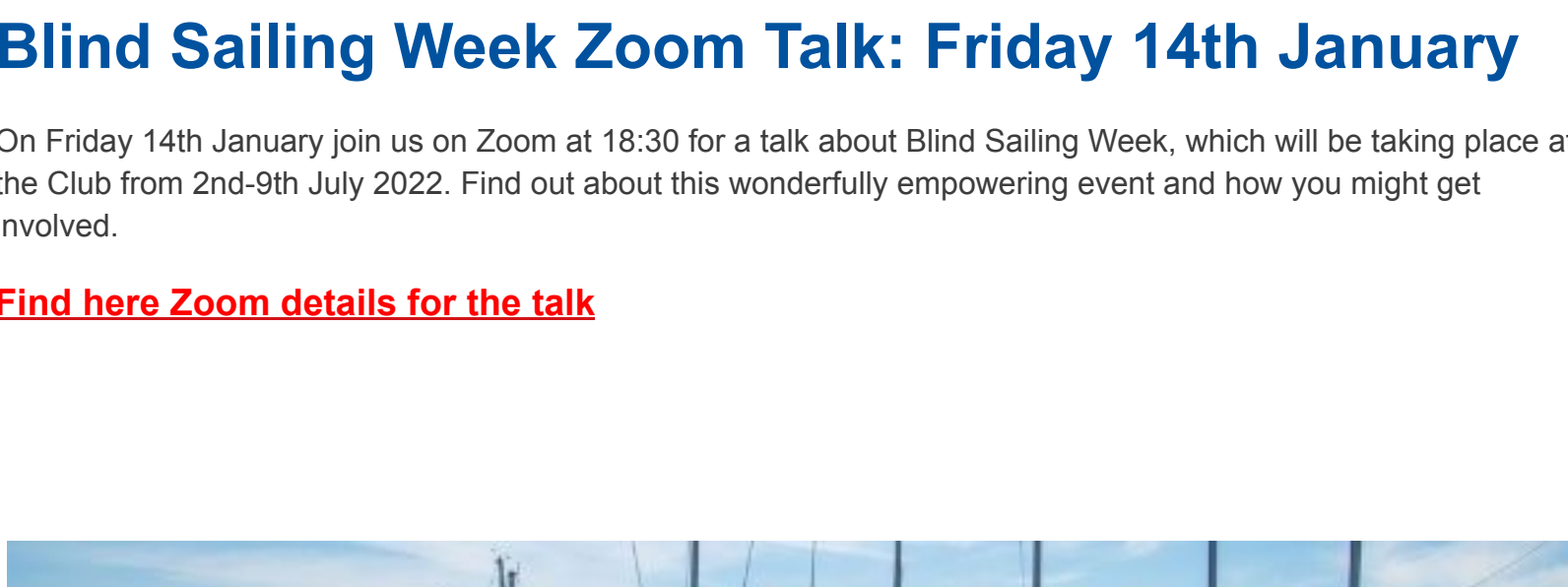
[Book your seat and order your supper by Saturday 8th January](#)



Blind Sailing Week Zoom Talk: Friday 14th January

On Friday 14th January join us on Zoom at 18:30 for a talk about Blind Sailing Week, which will be taking place at the Club from 2nd-9th July 2022. Find out about this wonderfully empowering event and how you might get involved.

[Find here Zoom details for the talk](#)

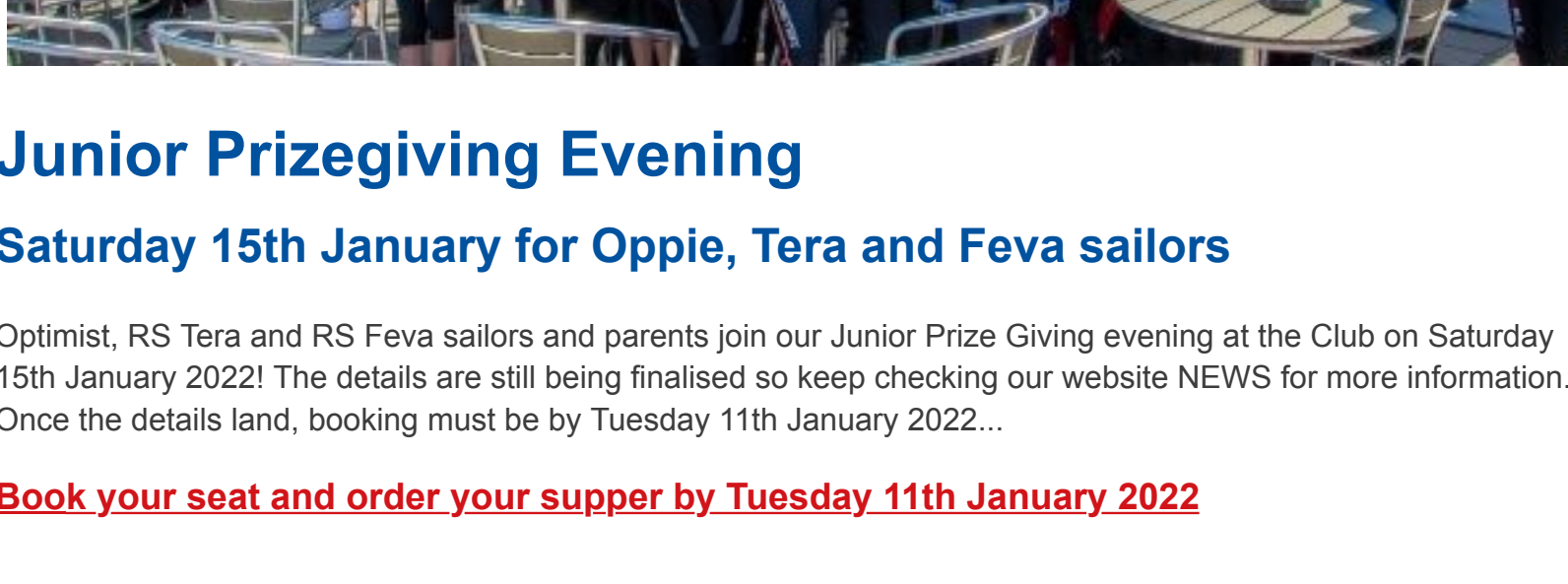


Junior Prizegiving Evening

Saturday 15th January for Oppie, Tera and Feva sailors

Optimist, RS Tera and RS Feva sailors and parents join our Junior Prize Giving evening at the Club on Saturday 15th January 2022! The details are still being finalised so keep checking our website NEWS for more information. Once the details land, booking must be by Tuesday 11th January 2022...

[Book your seat and order your supper by Tuesday 11th January 2022](#)



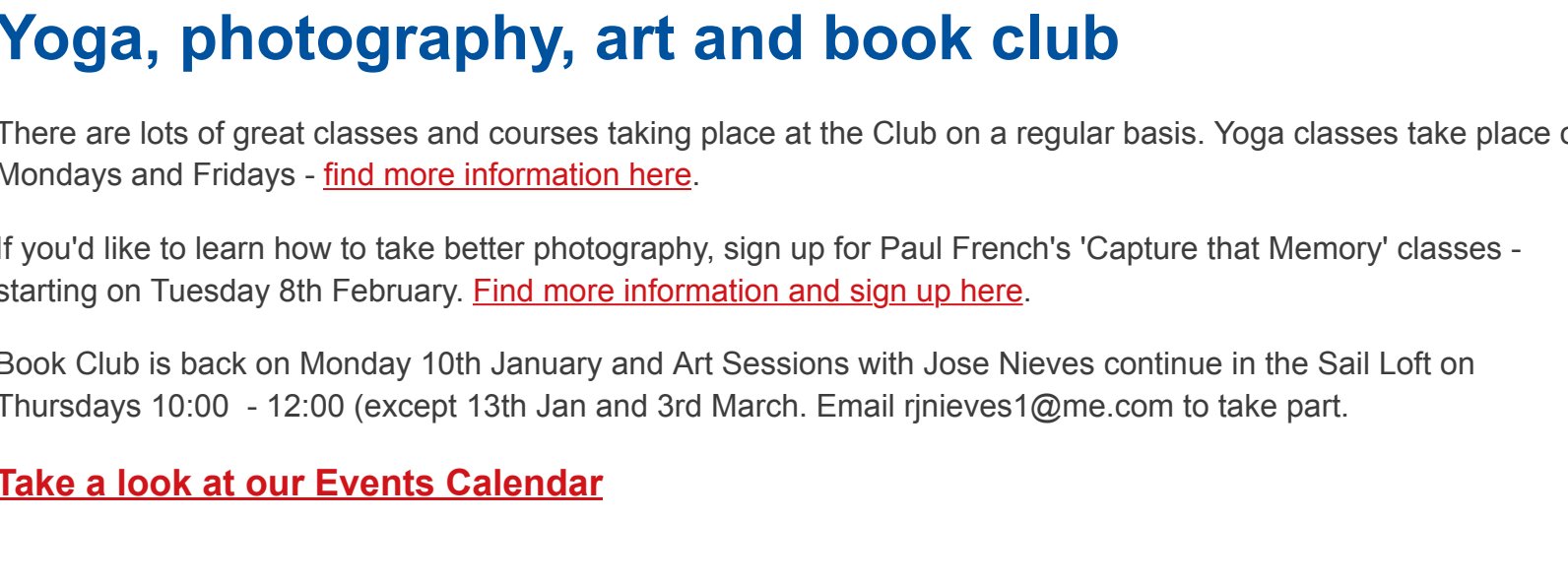
Yoga, photography, art and book club

There are lots of great classes and courses taking place at the Club on a regular basis. Yoga classes take place on Mondays and Fridays - [find more information here](#).

If you'd like to learn how to take better photography, sign up for Paul French's "Capture that Memory" classes - starting on Tuesday 8th February. [Find more information and sign up here](#).

Book Club is back on Monday 10th January and Art Sessions with Jose Nieves continue in the Sail Loft on Thursdays 10:00 - 12:00 (except 13th Jan and 3rd March. Email rjnieves1@me.com to take part.

[Take a look at our Events Calendar](#)



Forthcoming Lectures and Talks

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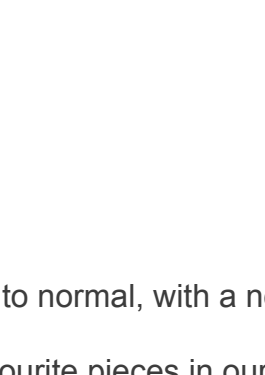
All rooms will be well-ventilated with the CO2 monitored and recorded each week. Do remember to bring layers to keep warm as windows will be open. Please carry out a Lateral Flow Test (LFT) before attending and do not attend if you have a positive LFT or any symptoms of Covid.

- **Wednesday 5th January:** Winter Lecture - The History of the Club with Graham Clarke and Neil Eccles. Book supper by Friday 31st December. [Full details here](#).
- **Thursday 6th January:** Quiz Night with Vince Sutherland. Book teams and suppers by Friday 31st December. [Book seats and suppers here](#).
- **Thursday 11th January:** First Race Team Training. [Book your place on this 6 week course here](#).
- **Wednesday 12th January:** Winter Lecture - Photography Competition Final with Neil Hardy. Book supper by Friday 7th January. [Book seats and suppers here](#).
- **Thursday 13th January:** Powerboating Lecture - The Creeks of the Solent with Nick Ryley. Book supper by Saturday 8th January. [Book seats and suppers here](#).
- **Friday 14th January:** Talk about Blind Sailing Week. [Find out more and book your seat here](#).
- **Saturday 15th January:** Junior Prizegiving - [check for the latest details here!](#)
- **Wednesday 19th January:** Winter Lecture - Air War in the Falklands with Commander Tim Gedge AFC Royal Navy. Book supper by Friday 14th January. [Book seats and suppers here](#).
- **Thursday 20th January:** Snow Talk and Supper with Jonathan Cook on the SW Coastal Path: Still Living The Dream. Book by Friday 14th January. [Book seats and suppers here](#).
- **Saturday 22nd January:** Burns Night celebration. Book tickets by Tuesday 18th January. [Book here](#).

And finally...

Our bar and restaurant opening times are back to normal, with a new menu for January. [Find full details here](#).

And do remember to cast your vote for your favourite pieces in our 2021 Members' Art Exhibition - email gillian@rlymjc.org.uk by midnight on Thursday 6th January 2022. [Find a pdf with all entries here](#).



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Royal Lymington Yacht Club is one of the world's finest yacht clubs; a warm and welcoming home of yachting, dinghy sailing and motor boating.

At RLYMJC 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: rlymjc.org.uk



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