



Royal Lyngton Yacht Club



## Weekly Update For Our Members

Wednesday 13 July 2022

Dear Members,

Our annual Youth Week starts on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> July with a packed four day program of activities. I am delighted that our Patron, HRH Princess Anne, will be making a short visit to the regatta on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> July. Her time at the Club on this occasion will be primarily focussed on meeting our young sailors and seeing our youth initiatives in action.

Our Centenary events have all been very successful and well attended and tickets are now on sale for the next event, The Centenary Party, on 3<sup>rd</sup> September. Details are below.

Alongside our regular weekly events, the Club pontoons have been busy with Members loading their boats for summer cruises or just going afloat to enjoy (or escape!) the current heatwave. I wish you all good sailing over the upcoming holiday period.

With best wishes,

Phil Lawrence  
Commodore



### Centenary Party 3rd September 2022

Get your friends together and book your tables

Tickets are selling fast so join us for an evening of live music, fabulous food, and excellent company.

This social evening should be a perfect opportunity to dance the night away with your friends and fellow members. There is no limit on table size so either book a block of tickets or get your party to add a communal booking name to their tickets and we'll ensure you are either all on the same table or location.

[Book your tickets now!](#)



### Albacore Nationals - Volunteers Needed!

August 5th, 6th and 7th

Could you help?

Further details for this event can be found [here](#). Volunteers make a huge difference for fellow members; it is a great way to socialise, make new friends, gain new skills and feel a part of the RLYMYC community.

The gaps in the volunteer roster are marked yellow and can be viewed by clicking the link below:

[ALBACORE NATIONALS VOLUNTEER ROSTER](#)

If you are available to volunteer, please contact Vicky ([vicky@rlymyc.org.uk](mailto:vicky@rlymyc.org.uk)) as soon as you can. All participation is very much appreciated.



### Sunrise Paddleboarding

Next session Tuesday 26th July 07:30

All members are welcome to join our Sunrise Paddle boarding Group. Be ready to paddle for 07:30 for approximately one hour, launching either from the Club pontoon or the slipway (slipway fees paid directly to Harbour Master). Since this is **not** an instructor-led session, you must have some experience paddle boarding on tidal waters. Own board is ideal, or [hire a Club board](#) (must be booked a minimum of 24 hours in advance). All participants must provide and wear their own buoyancy aids.

Email [membership@rlymyc.org.uk](mailto:membership@rlymyc.org.uk) with your name and mobile number to be added to the WhatsApp group. The route will be decided depending on the weather on the day. The aim is to head up the river and back as a group. Any last minute changes will be communicated via WhatsApp. If you are keen to be involved in future group paddling or are inexperienced and would prefer an instructor led session please also let us know.

[Email to join the group now!](#)



### 2022 Youth Week - entry now open!

Youth Week is back!! A shorter four-day programme packed to the brim with fun for all.

Whether you are an experienced sailor wishing to be out there racing in the Gold Fleet or a first timer in the Bronze Fleet learning the ropes, having fun while being supervised, Youth Week 2022 sponsored by Durlston Court School will hopefully deliver.

We have put our request in for sunshine and fair winds, have ordered the sweets, are digging out the flamingos, have thrown in a few surprises!

Click [HERE](#) to find out more

### Volunteers Needed!

We are in need of volunteers for our Youth Week on-the-water safety team and RIB crew. If you can help please email [sail@rlymyc.org.uk](mailto:sail@rlymyc.org.uk)



### The Club's response to the Lyngton Harbour Development Plan

At the beginning of April this year, members of the Club were informed of the existence of the Lyngton Harbour Development Plan in the weekly newsletter, with a link to view the plan.

Input was invited from all those representing Cruising, Racing and Juniors through their committees, and the Sailing Committee set up a small working party to co-ordinate a Club response.

After much consultation, meetings with the Harbour Master and LTSC, the resulting Document was approved by Sailing Committee and then by the General Committee for submission to the Harbour Commission.

[Read all about it here!](#)



### HRH The Princess Royal visits our Centenary Regatta Day

On Saturday 18th June, Her Royal Highness The Princess Royal visited the Royal Lyngton Yacht Club (RLYMYC) for an impressive Regatta Day celebrating the Club's centenary.

The Centenary Regatta Day and 'Après Sail Festival' brought together members of all ages, their families and friends for a glorious celebration of one hundred years on the water. Flotillas of yachts, dinghies, motor boats and paddle craft took part in a wide variety of events during the day. Afterwards, members returned ashore for food, drinks, live music and fun activities including a Centenary Haybale Games on the green adjacent to the clubhouse.

To view a selection of photos from the day [click here](#).

[Read all about it here!](#)



### RLYMYC Wessex Centenary Gin

To celebrate our Club Centenary we have had a commemorative gin made especially by Wessex Distillery. Thank you very much to Member Johnathan Clark for producing these for us.

Our gin is a traditional dry gin, with a main botanical of Elderflower - found along the Lyngton Sea Wall.

Only 100 are available so get yours now! Bottles can be purchased at Reception for £27.00.

[See all Club Merchandise here!](#)

### Forthcoming dates for your diary...

- 16th July: Nordic Folkboat/XOD WSS Long Race East
- 16-17th July: RYA Dinghy Instructor course
- 23-24th July: Tallinn RSYC
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- 25-29th July: Youth Week
- 30th July: Cowes Week
- 3rd September: Centenary Party
- 31st December: New Year's Eve Party with live music from Zac and the Zeros! Save the date!

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



Royal Lyngton Yacht Club

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

At RLYMYC 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 with picturesque views of the Lyngton River and Solent.

Find out more in our website: [rlymyc.org.uk](http://rlymyc.org.uk)



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