



# **Weekly Update For Our Members**

Thursday 25th August 2022

#### Dear Members,

Summer may be over in a few days, but there is still a packed programme of sailing and social events to enjoy at the Club throughout the Autumn:

Our cruisers and motorboats will be enjoying Autumn meets and Thursday evening racing moves into the September late series. Although the Centenary party is already totally sold out, with a waiting list, the House Committee are planning a busy social calendar.

The bar and restaurant will be introducing a new menu and service and I will update Members on that next week.

Please check the Club website to keep up to date with all our events and socials.

#### With best wishes,

Phil Lawrence Commodore



## **2022 Annual Racing Prize Giving**

It's that time of year again and as the season draws to a close, the Club is planning to celebrate with our Annual Prize Giving Dinner on Saturday 1st October from 18:30.

Prizes will be awarded on the evening for Spencers Thursday Evening Keelboats, Monday Evening Dinghies, Gallagher's Spring Series, Duo Series, The Centenary Pottership and Scow Late Series. If you have been fortunate enough to win a prize this year, we would like to invite you to come along to this event with your crew, partners and friends and collect your prize(s).

Please book fast as this event is extremely popular and we would hate for you to miss out.

#### **Book your tickets now!**



## The Summer's Not Over Just Yet...

To prolong the racing season, the Club are running four additional Thursday Night Keelboat races with an earlier start time of 17:05. The racing will be conducted under Lymington adjusted handicap and is free for all Members. Last year we had over 20 of the regulars out on the water, so if you can get away from any work or other commitments early then this is the series for you!

**Online Entry & Notice of Race** 



## **Upcoming Opening Hours & Food Offering**

This weekend we are hosting the 420 National Championships with a big fleet of over 50 boats. On Saturday evening there will be a social event for all the crews in the Clubhouse. The bar and restaurant will be still open to Members. but the food choice will be limited to the 420 event menu.

As this weekend is a bank holiday, our food and beverage service will be open later on Sunday; food service will be until 16:00 and the bar will close at 22:00.

Centenary Party day Saturday 3rd September - our lunch service on this day will finish at 14:30 as to allow the catering staff to prepare for the evening. Evening food service will not resume for those not coming to the party as we have sold out of tickets!!



## **Don't forget your Centenary tie for the party!**

Our Centenary Party is coming up on 3rd September and has SOLD OUT! If you are one the lucky ones that have tickets don't forget to purchase a Centenary cravat or bow tie to finish off your outfit, gents! Buy one at Reception for just £12.95.

See all Club Regalia Here



## **Shipmates Centenary Wacky Science Party**

#### Professor Bunsen is coming Friday 9th September 16:00!!

Our 2022 Centenary Celebrations continue with a special party for our little Shipmates! Professor Bunsen, the leading scientist at DNA Kids Laboratories is coming to entertain you with a Wacky Science Party from 16:00 - 18:00 on Friday 9th September.

It will be a one-of-a-kind science party with awesome themed games and a supercool disco, with bubbles for the first half of the party, followed by a hilarious science show featuring lots of wacky experiments for the second half. Science has never been so much fun! This party will be suited to 4-8 year olds.

Supper of chicken or fish goujons, wedges, crudites and hummus will be served half way through at your tables. Tickets for kids are just £8.00. Grown-ups are welcome to eat for £12.00. Please confirm any dietary requirements on booking.



**Book your tickets now!** 



## Ladies 'Meet and Mingle' Coffee Morning

#### With Image Consultant and Personal Stylist Julie Jackson

Do you have a wardrobe full of clothes and nothing to wear? New this winter are themed coffee mornings for our lady members! Our first one kicks off on Tuesday 6th February at 10:00 with local stylist Julie Jackson who is looking forward to sharing inspirational colour and styling tips with you so you can put some joy into your Autumn wardrobe. Tickets are only £5.00. During this coffee morning Julie will show you how to...

- How to look & feel good effortlessly
- Understand which tones of colour harmonise with your skin tone
- How & when to accessorise
- Discover which scale of patterns & textures work for you and why
- Simplify shopping save you time and money

**BOOK HERE** 



### **Centenary Art Exhibition**

#### **Exhibits welcome from Junior Members**

Entry is now open for the Centenary Art Exhibition which will be on display from 1st November for 4 weeks across the first floor of the Club. Entry is open to artists, painters, and art photographers for framed works only, created since November 2021, and can be for sale to other Members if you wish. We look forward to receiving your works of art! See all you need to know and get your entry form on the link below.

ENTRY FORM HERE



## **Spencers Sponsorship**

#### Are you able to help?

Spencers are generously sponsoring the Folkboat International Regatta which takes place September 17<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup>. As part of their promotional campaign, they plan to erect some boards around Lymington and The Forest stating their support for this prestige event. They will be similar to "For Sale" boards, but not saying "For Sale" ! They will only be displayed for two weeks over the event.

We are seeking members who would be happy to host a board for a fortnight. Spencers have been the leading sponsor for the Club for over five years. It would show our appreciation of this long term relationship if we are able to find a number of good spots for the boards.

James Hoare is co-ordininating the sponsorship of this Regatta. Please email, text or whatsapp him if you can help.

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Our Sailing Manager, Vicky Leen will be leaving us in September after 13 years at

## **RYA Team Racing: Next Sessions 10th & 24th September**

All members are welcome to join our team racing on Saturday 10th September. Sessions will consist of informal racing with one or two flights of boats. Matched teams will be formed from the squad of sailors on the day. Expect to switch in and out on the water, sail with different people from different classes and to observe racing in a support-RIB when not racing. It's great fun and for dinghy sailors of all ages - book your places now! Find full details at <u>rlymyc.org.uk/teamracing</u>

August 27th Session cancelled

**Book your places now!** 



### **Scow Nationals Volunteers Needed**

We are hosting the Scow National Championships on 3rd and 4th September 2022 and we are in need of volunteers for our race team and shore side team. If you can help, please email the office on the link below.

#### **Contact the Office**

## Forthcoming dates for your diary...

- 28th August Scow Figure of 8 Trophy
- 3rd & 5th September: Scow National Championships
- 3rd September: Centenary Party
- 9th September- Shipmates Centenary Party
- 16th 22nd September: Nordic Folkboat Nationals & Sessan Cup
- 1st November Centenary Members' Art Exhibition on display for 4 weeks
- 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 Lymington Yacht Club**

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