



## Royal Lyngmington Yacht Club



### Weekly Update For Our Members

Wednesday 10th November 2021

Dear Members,

It's been a busy week for many of us in the Club, culminating with our Annual Business Review on Saturday. Many thanks to all involved and to all who attended. We will be sharing a transcript of the meeting next week, including the Q&A section.

Now that the summer season has drawn to a close, I hope that you'll enjoy participating in the many activities and events being organised at the Club over the winter months.

Read on for the latest news and updates from the RLymYC team. Remember also to follow us on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and [Twitter](#), where you'll find regular updates too.

With best wishes,

Phil Lawrence  
Commodore



### Valour: The Story of the Victoria Cross

Lecture by Mark Smith: Wednesday 17th November at 1830

Next Wednesday we're delighted to be welcoming Military Historian and resident medals expert on the BBC television programme the Antiques Roadshow, Mark Smith MA.

In his talk, "Valour: The Story of the Victoria Cross", Mark will explore the creation of the UK's highest award for bravery, dispel some of the myths surrounding the Cross and illustrate some of the stories of those who have been awarded the VC.

[Reserve your seat and order your supper by 5pm on Friday 12th Nov - BOOK HERE!](#)



### Last week to book for our Annual Dinner!

Our black tie Annual Dinner will be taking place at the Club on Saturday 20th November, with guest speaker Dee Caffari MBE, one of Britain's most inspirational women. Dee will bring alive the drama, the challenges and the lessons hard learnt during her world-record setting voyages circumnavigating the world. Enjoy also a 4-course dinner, with wine and port, and of course the annual trophy presentations.

[Place your booking by midnight on Monday 15 November - DETAILS HERE!](#)



### 24 November: Day Cruise to Gins Farm

All members are welcome to join our November day cruise to the Royal Southampton Yacht Club at Gins Farm, on the beautiful Beaulieu River, on Wednesday 24 November. This is a cruise for sail and power, with lunch served at 1300. This is a popular location and the cruise is limited to 60 place, so book now to avoid disappointment!

[Find out more and book your places by Tuesday 16 November!](#)



### 11 December: Needles Relief Race

The Needles Relief was originally organised to provide Christmas relief to the crew manning the Needles lighthouse. Since the lighthouse was automated the Needles Relief Race has been run in support of the RNLI. All Club members and their guests are welcome to sail or motor, race or cruise or take the ferry to this well-supported fun festive event at the Royal Solent Yacht Club.

[Entry is now open! Last date to enter: 9 December at 1600 - ENTER HERE!](#)



### October double-hander events at RLymYC!

RLymYC hosted two double-hander class events in October, the 29er Grand Prix 3 on 16-17th and the RS Feva Autumn Championships on 23-24th. Two great opportunities for our Junior and Youth sailors to shake out their sails, with a number of new pairings in place since the summer events. Many thanks to parents and other Club members who helped and congratulations to our sailors for their solid performance.

[Read about the 29er Grand Prix 3 HERE](#) and the [Feva Autumn Champs HERE](#).



### 2021 Art Competition

Adorning many of the walls on the first floor of the clubhouse are pieces of art by members. Our annual art competition is running until 29th November. Take a look around the artwork on the walls of the Island Room, Needles Room and first floor landing - if you would like to vote for your favourite picture, please email its name and number either to [gillian@rlmyc.org.uk](mailto:gillian@rlmyc.org.uk) or [rjnieves1@mac.com](mailto:rjnieves1@mac.com) by 3rd December 2021.

### And finally...

Is it us, or is Christmas approaching faster than ever before?! If you're looking for Christmas cards and gifts, do pop into the Lyngmington RNLI shop opposite the slipway which is open Tuesdays to Sundays from 1200 to 1600 until Thursday 23rd December - alternatively visit the [RNLI online shop](#).

Oakhaven Hospice Christmas cards and 2022 calendar are available in their high street shops as well as in the [Oakhaven Hospice online shop](#).

Meanwhile another local charity, Hammersley Homes, which supports adults suffering from enduring mental illness, has Christmas cards designed by children available to purchase in their [Hammersley Homes online shop](#).



## Royal Lyngmington Yacht Club

Royal Lyngmington 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 managed by the world-renowned Mosimann's dining club.

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



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