



Happy New Year from the Commodore



Happy New Year

Well here we are again another year over! There are lots of this coming up in the next few weeks so get those new diaries and smart phones out now. Normally at this time of year the cold weather has got to most of us but we have been enjoying the unseasonably warm weather as long as you can stand the rain! Wishing everyone great sailing in this New Year.

We are taking bookings for the Chinese supper at the Clubhouse on the 6th of February and the Annual Dinner Dance on the 12th of March. Personal finances can be tight over the Christmas period so we are happy to take names and numbers for now.

RYA Training Centre

2016 should bring our RYA training centre status into play and a boost to our profile and membership. Are you interested in supporting our training team? We are looking for people to become assistant instructors (AI) we plan to hold one training course in 2016 over 2 days so there won't be too great a demand on you time and many of us have been operating informally as AI's during our taste of sailing courses.

Dinghy Show

Are you interested in attending the Dinghy show, March 5-6th? If there are enough people interested in visiting we can possibly arrange some shared transport.







Trophy Return

Mike Stout

Would all last year's trophy winners please return their trophies to the clubhouse before the middle of January, to enable them to be enaraved before the Presentation dinner at the beginning of March. Many thanks.

GP14 Captain Ralph Webb

Just a heads up from the GP Captain...

If you are thinking of trailering your boat next season now is a

good time to check your trailer bearings and get those hubs greased! (I have a new fully loaded grease gun if you want to take advantage!)also be sure to keep your tyres pumped up on both trailers and trollies it will help to stop the sidewalls splitting and avoid blowouts on the road!

Don't forget to store your sails at home (especially Spinnakers). We have our 'little furry friends' floating about and they do like a GP14 nibble on a spinnaker or two!

Happy New Year to one and all!

Committee members needed!

We will be looking for new committee members for the next committee year. The key role that we will need to fill is for a new Treasurer, as Catherine Fryers will be stepping down. Do you have any experience of bookkeeping or being a treasurer? If you are interested please get in touch with Jonathan or Phil.

Committee

Committee post

Please feel free to get in touch with any of your committee members. Full details below.

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Upcoming Dates

Saturday 6th February

Chinese New Year Buffet

Saturday 12th March

Annual Dinner Dance

Annual Dinner Dance & Presentation of Prizes

Saturday 12th March 2016 7.00 for 7.30pm

The Disco is back!

Stourport Manor Hotel, Hartlebury Rd, Stourport-on-Severn DY13 9JA

Tickets £27.50 each

Contact Jonathan 01299 210354



Celebrate Chinese New Year with a Chinese Buffet supper

The Club House, Trimpley Saturday 6th Feburary 2016 7.30 for 8.00pm

Tickets £7 each

Contact Jonathan 01299 210354 jwebsdell@hotmail.com



