



Sailability

Scotland SCIO

Scottish Charity Number SC047162

Tack-Tick! April 2019

Membership and Boat Lease

The membership fees have not changed for this year, it remains at £15 for active members and this is due today! The annual boat lease fee also remains the same at £200 which includes insurance.

Pre-register

This is something new. If you know you are going to attend a regatta then you must read the notice of race as you will need to pre-register with the either the host club or ourselves.

We will not be covering the cost of the pre-registration fee, but for those who have pre-registered we will pay the balance of your entry fee. If you do not pre-register, then you will have to pay the full entry fee.

As this is a new procedure, there will be some discretion.

Discount Available. If you pre-register for 5 regattas, the sixth one is free. So, you can book all of your regattas in one block and receive a discount. OR The discount is also available if you pre-register each month. However you pre-register, you will receive a discount for taking part in the whole series.

Please remember to pre-register.



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T1 Challenger and Hansa Event

The first regatta of the season is being hosted by Galloway Activity Centre on Loch Ken over the weekend of 27/28 April.

GAC is activities centre and set in the Galloway forest north of Castle Douglas. There is camping and glamping available at GAC, please book directly with them. Or within 45 minutes there is a variety of accommodation at Kirkcudbright in the West, Castle Douglas to the South and Dumfries to the East.

The entry fee is £35 for this event, but for members who pre-register it is just the £10 pre-registration fee; your charity will pay the balance.

AGM 16 March 2019

We had a great AGM in March and it was well attended. Some highlights from the meeting include:

- We received a cheque from Clyde Corinthians YC
- Liza Linton (RYAS), Seonaid Reid (CCYC Commodore) and John Figgures attended
- There was a presentation on Sir Thomas Lipton
- Trophies were presented, including the new Judi Figgures award

Outgoing Trustees – now Independents

We have two outgoing trustees, Derrick Robinson and Stephen Thomas Bate. They are now 'independents' on our committee. This is to help with continuity and their additional role is to receive any issues from members and represent them at committee meetings. They are not trustees but will be at committee meetings.

New Trustees

I am pleased to welcome Neil MacDougall and Dorothy Bennett to the committee as trustees. Neil is from Fife Sailability amongst other clubs and Dorothy you will already know from CCC (Bardowie).



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EVENTS

Monklands – 13 and 14 April 2019

We are having a Challenger training session at Monklands in two weeks time. We have two Challengers there which need building up before going on the water. If you are interested please contact Duncan or Dik.

If you have not been to Monklands before, please bear in mind it is not wheelchair accessible at the moment.

You will need to bring you own food and drink.

See you there.

Round Shuna 1 September 2019

How do you fancy doing something a little different? On the weekend of 1 September the Round Shuna Race will take place and it is organised by Clyde Corinthians YC. It is the weekend before the T6 at Fort William and the weather forecast is said to be very warm with gentle breezes.

There is a Challenger trophy for the winner of the Challenger class, so you have a very good reason to take part.

Dik Toulson (chairman) will be taking part in this event and raising funds for Sailability Scotland SCIO. If you are interested in taking part in the event, please consider raising funds for us.

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