

Telltales

The official newsletter of Scammonden Water Sailing Club



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Dates for the diary:

Spring Bank Series	25th to 27th May
Enterprise Open	2nd June
Fathers Day Trophy	16th June
Captain v Commodore	23rd June
Captains Day	30th June
Open Day	13th July
Supernova Open	14th July

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FROM THE COMMODORE

Finally it feels like winter is behind us and we have had some great sailing at Scammonden over the last couple of weeks. As we look ahead we have lots to look forward to this year. Firstly we have some exciting news that Paul will explain in his Sailing Captains piece, we are also planning an Open day on the 13th July which you will see an advert for in this addition of Telltales, (please please please pin it up somewhere for us) . We have also already re-booked the Pennine Manor Hotel for our Dinner Dance that will take place on the 23rd November – tickets will be available soon.

The season began back in March with a big working party, thank you so much to everyone who came to help, we got so much done and I'm sure you are all appreciating the improvements. The day was topped off nicely with a brilliant meal cooked by Yvette Yates and a beer at the start up party. Since the working party the Ladies have had some new showers fitted, Angus has kindly fitted new lighting to the men's changing rooms and Mick Meaker is doing a fantastic job at tidying the club grounds and improving drainage etc etc. Thanks again to everyone who is helping. There is still plenty more we can do to make Scammonden an even better place for you and your families to spend time at, with this on the Committee's mind we are going to put up a list in the Club house of jobs we think need doing. If anyone has any spare time and is willing to help complete these jobs then as always I would be very great full.

The Saturday Club is now up and running and is proving more popular than ever. I really need to thank the Ratcliffe family and one or two others for all the time and commitment they give every week to this. We have however got to the stage where if we don't get any more help we may have to limit places for new members which would be a great shame. Can you spare the odd Saturday afternoon to come and help, it's always good fun?



We still have a couple of spaces available on our RYA level1 and RYA level2 training course if you know anyone who is looking to learn to sail, the dates are on our website. Don't forget Wednesday night now start at 7.30 so you may now be able to make it, there has also been hotdogs available in the Bar afterwards....thanks Sophie.

Finally a first for SWSC, we are holding two ladies only training days on the 1st of June and the 6th July, please let Ben know if you are intending to attend.

I hope you all have a great summer and I look forward to seeing you at Scammonden.

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Ladies training day

- **Saturday 1st June and Saturday 6th July**
- **Official RYA coach Katie Mapplebeck will be running dedicated ladies only training days at SWSC.**
- **These days are for all abilities of sailors.**
- **Please let Ben know if you intend attending.**

Dinner Dance & Prize Giving

23rd November

Pennine Manor Hotel

Tickets available soon

CAPTAIN'S LOG

The season is now in full swing, the weather is now warming up and I hope you are all looking forward to getting out on the water this summer as much as I am.

We've already had some trophy winners, the Saturday Club is thriving, Saturday and Sunday racing is hotting up and Wednesday night sailing is back.

I would like to thank all those who helped out with the Working Party earlier in the season, it has really helped prepare the club ahead of the new season.

We have purchased new radios for the OD and rescue boats and instructions on how to use these are in the OD hut.

The OD duties are in this edition of Telltales, on the club's website www.scammondensailing.com and they're posted up in the clubhouse. Email reminders will also be sent out.

Dates for July and August will soon be live on Dutyman and if there are any duties that you would like to do, or are unable to do you can request this via Dutyman.

It is my pleasure to announce that Scammonden Water SC have received a grant of £10,000 from Sport England towards the purchase of 2 new Wayfarer training boats. These are on order and are due to be delivered in June and will be available for all members to use and try out.

Plans are in progress for an Open Day on Saturday 13th July which will generate income for the club and help publicise our training courses and club. We hope as many club members will volunteer to make the day a success. Speak to Sophie Yates if you can help.

Paul Cornish

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Scammonden Water Sailing Club is holding an Open Day

Everyone welcome, come and see some boats and talk to members of the sailing club, food and drink will be available.

Take a trip out in a dinghy and have a go at sailing! It's a great day for all!



**Sat July 13th
10.00 till 16.00**

*Scammonden Water Sailing Club
Sledge Gate
Huddersfield
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May - June Duty list

Sat, 25 May Spring Bank Series 14:30

Race Officer John Schoolar, Rescue 1 John Whittel, Rescue 2 Torin Glazer

Sun, 26 May Spring Bank Series 13:00

Race Officer Sophie Yates, Rescue 1 Andrew Holland, Rescue 2 Dominic Turner

Mon, 27 May Spring Bank Series 13:00

Race Officer Malcolm Gardner, Rescue 1 Stephen Walker, Rescue 2 Tim Branton

Wed, 29 May 2nd Wednesday Series 19:30

Race Officer Tom Lyons, Rescue 1 Philip Shire, Rescue 2 John Boocock

Sat, 1 June Summer Saturday Series 14:30

Race Officer Mike Goodwin, Rescue 1 Bruce Calverley

Sun, 2 June Enterprise Open 11:00

Race Officer 1 Ben Ratcliffe Race Officer 2 Alison Ratcliffe, Rescue 1 Phil Osborne, Rescue 2 Sally Ratcliffe, Rescue 3 John Horwood, Rescue 4 Gus Allurt

Wed, 5 June 2nd Wednesday Series 19:30

Race Officer Tony Morris, Rescue 1 Julian Taylor, Rescue 2 Katherine Pygott

Sat, 8 June Summer Saturday Series 14:30

Race Officer Derrick Jackson, Rescue 1 Dominic Pumfrey

Sun, 9 June Summer Sunday Series 13:00

Race Officer Stephen Yates, Rescue 1 Barbara Higgins, Rescue 2 John Scott

Wed, 12 June 2nd Wednesday Series 19:30

Race Officer Simon Spencer, Rescue 1 Bill Sage, Rescue 2 Bruce Calverley

Sun, 16 June Fathers Day 13:00

Race Officer Joanne Douglas, 13:00 Rescue 1 Paul Cornish, Rescue 2 Torin Glazer

Wed, 19 June Mid-Summer Pursuit 19:30

Race Officer Malcolm Gardner, Rescue 1 John Whittel, Rescue 2 Dominic Turner

Sat, 22 June Summer Saturday Series 14:30

Race Officer Fiona Hipkins 14:30 Rescue 1 Christopher Hipkins

Sun, 23 June Captain V Commodore 15:00

Race Officer Steve Webb, Rescue 1 Michael Meaker, Rescue 2 Tim Branton

Wed, 26 June 2nd Wednesday Series 19:30

Race Officer Ian Lees, Rescue 1 Jeremy Child, Rescue 2 Andrew Harris

Sat, 29 June Summer Saturday Series 14:30

Race Officer Stephen Walker, Rescue 1 Mike Goodwin

Sun, 30 June Captains Day 13:00

Race Officer Tom Lyons, Rescue 1 Chris Lancaster, Rescue 2 Charmian Johnson, Rescue 3 Anthony Smith