



March 2019 Newsletter

Dear Wyverners,

Welcome to the March Newsletter. The sailing season is almost upon us, we kick off with the Rigging Party on Good Friday, followed by the Easter Cruise then the Tony Tomkins cruise. Information about these is included below as well as details of new safety requirements for boats and the club training weekend.

New requirement for Carbon Monoxide alarm on Boats

‘From the 1st April 2019 a carbon monoxide alarm will be required on all boats in scope of the Boat Safety Scheme (BSS) requirements that have accommodation spaces.’

Please see included handout from the BSS for details.

All GWYC boats need to comply with this.

Further information is available at

[https://www.boatsafetyscheme.org/stay-safe/carbon-monoxide-\(co\)/](https://www.boatsafetyscheme.org/stay-safe/carbon-monoxide-(co)/)

2019 Cruises

The full 2019 club calendar is included with this newsletter. There will be five club weeks, one at Easter and four in the summer. The dates of this year’s cruises are as follows:

Easter Cruise:	Saturday 20th April	to	Saturday 27th April
Summer Week 1:	Saturday 20th July	to	Saturday 27th July
Summer Week 2:	Saturday 27th July	to	Saturday 3rd August
Summer Week 3:	Saturday 3rd August	to	Saturday 10th August
Summer Week 4:	Saturday 10th August	to	Friday 16th August

Booking forms can be found on the Documents area of the Club Website.

Early booking is recommended as places are limited by boat and skipper availability.

Comments from the Sailing Secretary :

- Easter Cruise - 20th - 27th April
 - is booked with more boats this hopefully warm week. We invite others to cruise In Company or meet up during the week. We will be starting at Cantley with the Rigging Party supper being on Friday the 19th at The Reedcutter. (Contact secretary@greenwyvern.org.uk for dinner booking).

- Summer Cruises - four weeks - 20th July - 16th August
 - are filling up so all should get their forms in very soon. Potentially a 'closed' week could open up if I know now who wants to sail allowing me to try to recruit skippers, mates and boats. Please email sailingsecretary@greenwyvern.org.uk or call me at 07725815494 if you want more information on availability, forms, etc



For bookings please contact Lisa Reed the sailing secretary on sailingsecretary@greenwyvern.org.uk

Rigging Party

As per the calendar the rigging Party is being held at The Reedcutter Inn, Cantley on Good Friday, 19th April.

There will be a meal of Chilli, Rice, Chips and Salad at £9 per head. Chilli options are hot, mild or vegetarian. Payment can be made on the night, but we need to know numbers a week in advance.

If you plan to attend please send an email by Friday 12th April with numbers and preference for hot, mild or vegetarian chill to secretary@greenwyvern.org.uk

Tony Tomkins Cruise - weekend of 4/5 May

Please note the plan is to scatter Dave Valentine's ashes Saturday 4th.

Here is the outline plan from John Duff for the Tony Tomkins cruise :

Friday 3rd - assemble at our moorings, wherever they may be

Saturday 4th - lunch at Rockland (High Water 2 pm); evening at Cantley.

Sunday 5th - up The Yare (venue to be decided); dropping back to Reedham Street for the night

Monday 6th - home to our moorings

Dave Valentine's ashes will be scattered on this cruise. The provisional plan is that this will be late afternoon at Cantley on Saturday 4th.

I have not set a starting point, as boats are based on both The Yare and Waveney. Those moored on the Waveney may wish to move to Reedham on the Friday in order to avoid plugging the tide on the Waveney on Saturday morning.

I hope to see you all there.

John Duff

Training Weekend

A club training weekend is planned for 22nd & 23rd June, 09:30 to 16:30, this will be based at Cantley. Mates, 1st Mates, Skippers, Assistant Instructors, Instructors and Senior Instructors are welcome, those sailing on this year's summer cruises are especially encouraged to attend. Accommodation is expected to be available onboard club boats for those who need it.

A sandwich lunch is provided on the course, but own arrangements need to be made for breakfast and evening meal (probably onboard or in the Reedcutter Inn).

If you are planning to attend or need further information the contact email is: chiefinstructor@greenwyvern.org.uk



We look forward to seeing you all on the rivers this spring.

Mike Burwood (Club Secretary)

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