



# SPUNYARN

HARDWAY SAILING CLUB NEWSLETTER

5th Edition May 2018



## Commodores Comments

The refurbishment of the toilet facilities has been completed apart from a couple of minor points that the contractor is going to address. I think we can all agree it's a tremendous improvement and thanks to Dave Davies who managed the contract from start to finish. It's a shame, however, that less than two weeks after completion minor vandalism was discovered in the gents showers.

We are waiting to hear from the Council planning to seek permission to install a glass roof over the main entrance door to give some shelter. Once we have the design approved the temporary concrete ramp will be broken up and a permanent surface installed.

Hope you all enjoy the club and it's improving facilities, during the season.

**Mike Roberts.**



**The sun makes an appearance as the sailing season gets into full swing!**

Dinghy and cruiser racing started this month, and with positive numbers in attendance it's looking set to be a well supported season.

**Brief report on Page 2.**

Cruisers to date have attempted to tick most boxes already this month with abandonment due to lack of wind, a minor bump between two competitors and a couple of muddy groundings — all part of the charm when racing within the harbour.

Tuesday evening dinghy racing got off to a great start with RS 100, Lasers and a Pico on the start line, no looking back for one young man who will remain anonymous and has decided to hide his identity due to his Oarsome finish result while racing a Pico. NEW DINGHY - in the fleet this year is Herbie in a fireball . The newly cleared and smart looking dinghy flat area is now spotless ..... The new rule Mast Up storage has achieved a fantastic result and now we are looking like we mean business.....contact me Mike Lee      DINGHYCAPTAIN1@GMAIL.COM



Hardway Sailing Club



Winter Cruiser Storage &  
Crane Syndicate

2018 / 2019

Application forms available from the HSC  
website & in the folder in HSC reception.

Application closes 29<sup>th</sup> June 2018

LIFT IN DATE: 27<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2018

## LIFT OUT INSTRUCTIONS

I have put a poster up on the club notice board and a folder is now present in the reception / foyer of the sailing club that contains application forms which have the Conditions of Use on the reverse. We have slightly changed the format this year, applicants **must** fill in the form, signing that they agree with the conditions of use and submit the application, including a scaled template of their boat to the sailing committee for approval, who will then pass them to my good self or Keith Bannister. It is not necessary to include a cheque with the application form (as some people don't use them anymore). Instead once the deadline has expired (29th June) Keith will arrange and decide the compound layout, and I will invoice successful applicants for the full amount (storage / derrick / crane fee).

Antony Frasle

# Hello & Goodbye.

## **We would like to welcome the following new members:-**

ALLEN L.T.  
ATKINSON D.M,  
BROWNBILL S.  
CAREY G.E.  
CROSS H.  
DUCKWORTH L.T.  
EAMER C,  
EASTMAN L.S.  
ELLIS S.J.E.  
FENSOME G.R.  
FREEMAN D.  
GELL R.  
GEORGE T  
GILES D.  
GRINTER M.J.  
HARE D.  
HAYES-GERRARD G.  
HOARE C.  
JAMES M.  
JENKINS K,  
KENDELL G.L.F.  
LANGRIDGE J  
LAST D.  
MACDONALD S.M.  
MACEY A.D.  
MAGGS N.J.  
MARTIN C.  
MOORE A,  
RENNISON J  
SAMWAYS S  
SAXTON G.  
SPEYER M  
WHITEHEAD D.  
WILLIAMS N.  
WRIGHT A.N.  
WRIGHT K.

## **And wish a fond farewell to:-**

AMER D.  
ARMITAGE V.  
ANDERSON N.  
BIRD E.J.M  
BRADLEY H. S.  
BUNTING N.B.  
CAISTER P.  
CHAPPELL S.  
CROWLEY B.D.  
COURTMAN N.  
D'ARCY A  
D'ARCY O  
DEWHURST E-M  
DICKSON P.  
GUNNELL J.S.  
HALL J.F  
HUGHES J.  
JARROLD Z.  
KORTEKAAS J.  
LEESE J.  
PERKINS P.  
POWELL M.  
ROLF V  
SWORD C.  
THORPE J.  
THORPE S.  
TOOGOOD J.  
TOOGOOD D.  
WALKER R.A.  
WALKER J.C.  
WALTERS B.  
WILKINS K.

## **Sad to hear the passing of:-**

BUTLER E.W.  
MACDONALD M.J.  
VINALL B.P.

**We wish their family our deepest sympathy**



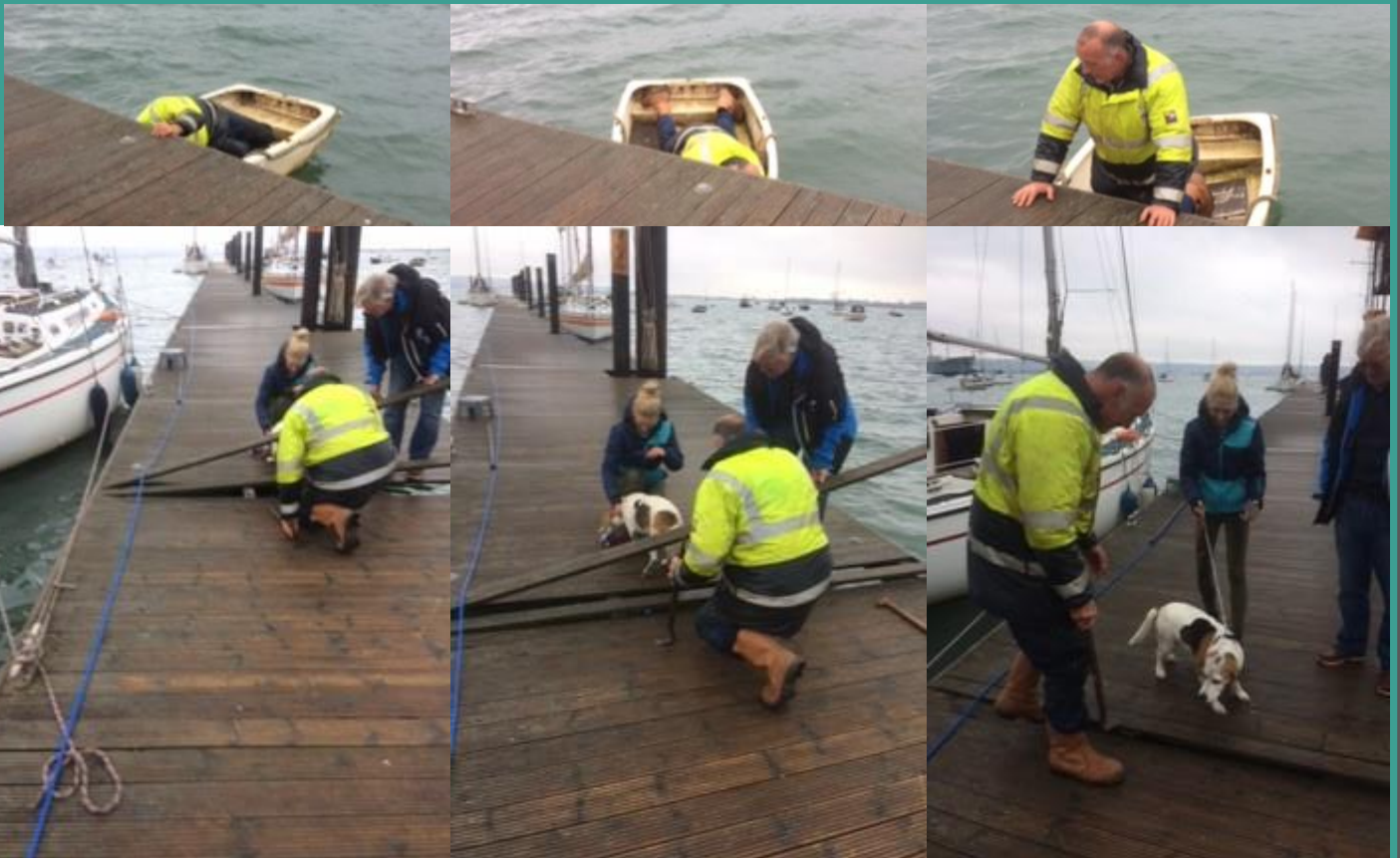


# THUNDERBIRDS

ARE GO

Commodore jumping into action, caring for ALL members of the Hardway Community — including the four legged variety. The adventurous pooch required rescuing after swimming under the pontoon, panicking, then climbing up on the tank underneath the pontoon decking, exhausted and frightened.

After a fraught 20 minutes, owner and dog show their appreciation and relief.



# Positive response to storage re-organization

After a lack of updating for a couple of years all the storage database was a bit out of date. From January, I started processing renewal returns into a table in order to dispense with wads of paper. This helped me draw up a basic way of finding out who owned what through a simple search in Excel. At Easter I was finally given a means of re-inputting this data into the club system, and it took just under 50 hours in all - but the task is still continuing with the deceased and lapses from the previous and current year. I'd like to thank those members who were very helpful in correcting their storage records, sometimes with two or three emails, so they will not have to annotate their renewal sheets again next year (which some had been doing for years, judging by a few of the comments made). We also had a clear-out of stickered boats that had not been claimed, and these were moved to the winch area of the compound on the 7<sup>th</sup> April (Thanks again to those members who came and helped resulting in a very neat and tidy Flat which members can now access). There has been ample time now for people to claim these boats which are in poor condition and are in a huddle awaiting disposal, having not paid any winter storage and resulted in the flat area being blocked all winter. At the same time, the new sticker system went live in a slightly subdued format, as I was not able to provide a list that I wanted for the Duty Officer to check because the IT side is still not up to speed to achieve this, and so stickers for dinghies, toast racks, and outboards were given freely to anyone who asked. Some times in the bar, there was a small queue of people waiting to have their stickers printed by the machine and it was evident that many members had been wanting to identify their vessel with a sticker. Duty Officer at the club will be checking payment has been received and distributing them over the coming weeks, once you've received your sticker please display as shown below.

**Ed Pascoe**

Any storage queries : [storage@hardwaysailingclub.co.uk](mailto:storage@hardwaysailingclub.co.uk)

**DUTY OFFICER STICKER DUTIES**

Check the person is a member. Please write the big sticker with the big pen and the outboard sticker with the little pen as below.  
Write legibly and slowly as the demos show.

Dinghy sticker Correct model Good sized numbers		✓
Engine sticker Correct model Visible number		✓
Incorrect models Too small, illegible Too thin, not written		✗

PLUS DINGHY £35 PA  
CHECK EXTERIOR C28 ITEM  
ONLY GOT CHARGED 2000 DON 7 f...ding







# HARDWAY SAILING CLUB

## Going Afloat



***Giving the opportunity  
to those who want to  
sail or learn to sail.***

**All HSC Members Welcome**

**Starting on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> of May.**

All of those wanting to take part and or help  
organising must email for further information.

Those wanting to participate in sailing  
activities must be 6 years old and above.

### Going Afloat

Fun Activities out on the water or in the club house.  
Juniors and parents 10am to 1pm  
Adults 2pm to 4:30pm

### Learn to Sail

Dinghy instructors available to assist you in learning to sail.  
Those who want to do training are required to attend the  
shore based training session on the 10<sup>th</sup> of May at 7pm

### BBQ & Galley Food

Buy food from the BBQ or galley, BBQ from 1pm, bring  
your own food & we will BBQ it for you, drinks from the bar.

Contact: Steve Jayne

[goingafloat@hardwaysailingclub.co.uk](mailto:goingafloat@hardwaysailingclub.co.uk)

# COMBINED HARBOUR REGATTA

SATURDAY 2ND JUNE

@ Hardway Sailing Club

**Hardway would like to welcome Fareham  
Sailing & Motorboat Club and  
Portchester Sailing Club.**



**Cruiser Racing  
Dinghy Racing  
Fun Events**

**Bar Open from Midday  
Food available**

**Entertainment by**

**Big Noise Samba Band  
&  
Hard Shoulder**





# **HARDWAY 100 DINGHY RACE**

◀ **H** Sunday 24th June - 1100hrs Start **H** ▶

Open race for dinghies around the cans in the harbour, which dates back to 1965. Originally it was a prize of 100 shillings, however, as time has passed it has been updated to a prize fund of £100 split between the first three boats after handicap corrections.

If you require further details please contact

Mike Lee :- [dinghycaptain1@gmail.com](mailto:dinghycaptain1@gmail.com)

**1st Prize £ 50**

**2nd Prize £ 30**

**3rd Prize £20**

## **Boris and Betty Barnacle**





Remember to  
book a berth on  
the Bembridge &  
Lymington  
Rally!

## **WHATS ON IN JUNE**

**Sat 2 Jun Combined Harbour/Club Regatta /  
Interclub Race 2**  
**Tue 5 Jun Dinghies Early Summer Series Race 2**  
**Wed 6 Jun Cruisers Early Summer Series Race 1**  
**Sat 9 Jun Bembridge rally**  
**Sat 9 / Sun 10 Jun Sunsail Portsmouth Regatta**  
**Tue 12 Jun Dinghies Early Summer Series Race 3**  
**Wed 13 Jun Cruisers Early Summer Series Race 2**  
**Sat 16 Jun Solent Series Race 2 - Tin Can Cup**  
**Tue 19 Jun Dinghies Early Summer Series Race 4**  
**Wed 20 Jun Cruisers Early Summer Series Race 3**  
**Sat 23 Jun Solent Series Race 3 Nab Tower /  
Interclub Race 3**  
**Sun 24 Jun Dinghies Hardway 100**  
**Tue 26 Jun Dinghies Early Summer Series Race 5**  
**Wed 27 Jun Cruisers Early Summer Series Race 4**  
**Sat 30 Jun Lymington rally**



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