



Royal Gourock Yacht Club

ASHTON, GOUROCK, PA19 1DA

NEWSLETTER 4-2012

Tuesday 24 January - Quiz Night with Phil Allan.

Paddy has created new menus for the new year. The New menus are shown on the catering web page.

Also there will be two gourmet nights.

Saturday 28 January - 19.00 for 19.30.

Gourmet Night in the company of Paddy. Why not come along and enjoy the first Gourmet Evening of 2012.

Menu shown on page 4 of this newsletter. Tickets £25.

The second gourmet night on March 10 will feature seafood.
Details later.

Tuesday 31 January - Quiz Night with Harry Osborn

Sat/Sun 4/5 February -RGYC will host an RYA Regional Race Management Seminar. These training courses are for Race Officers and lead to the RYA Regional Race Officer Qualification. Further details on page 6 of this newsletter.

Saturday 4 February - Burns Supper - £25, 19.00 for 19.30

The speakers will be-

Immortal Memory : Drew McKenzie

Toast to The Lassies : Ian White

Reply to The Lassies : Maureen Armstrong

Early booking advised for this popular event.

Menu is shown on page 5 of this newsletter



Tuesday 7 February - Quiz Night with Avril Stevens

Saturday 11 February - St Valentine's Dance with Ronnie Garrity and Suzanne McKenzie. Details to follow.

Sunday 12 February - Sunday Lunch with choice of three roasts. Details to follow.

Tuesday 14 February - Celebrate St Valentine's Day with Mary Currie's Lovies Quiz!

Friday 17 February - Join us for an interesting evening to help raise funds for PS Waverley. The evening will open with a talk by Captain Andrew O'Brian and hopefully a slide show, followed by live music from the ever-popular Sean, Gerry and Marksuncle and local folk band, The Drums. Tickets £10 are available from the bar now. Book early to avoid disappointment. Basket meals will be available on the night.

Tuesday 21 February - Quiz Night with Boab Hughes

Tuesday 28 February - Quiz Night with Stuart Tallach

Friday 2 March - RNLI fish supper party 17.30 till 21.00

Tuesday 6 March - Quiz Night with Hilary Robertson

Saturday 10 March - Gourmet Seafood Night - 19.00 for 19.30
Tickets £25. Book early to avoid disappointment!

Tuesday 13 March - Quiz Night with Boab Hughes

Sunday 18 March - Mothering Sunday



Tuesday 20 March - Quiz Night with Fiona McNeill

Friday 23 March- Open Mic Night with Fiona McNeill and Dave Currie.
19:30 for 20:00.

Two items for sale this week. If you have anything "boaty" to sell, e-mail the usual address.

Two week share in a Yacht Syndicate based in the Ionian Islands for sale. See attached for further details.

Seagull Silver Century Longshaft outboard motor for sale.



Approx 1977. In very good unrestored condition, it runs very well. It would suit small yacht such as Loch Long - £120.

For more details or to view it please contact Raymie Cracknell 07538724518
or

email raymecrack@yahoo.co.uk

Please report any news to rgyc-social@hotmail.com

Communicate with Admin to royalgourockyachtclub@hotmail.co.uk

The Club telephone Nos. are 01475 632983 (office)
and 01475 63719 (bar/catering)

RGYC Committee



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Gourmet dinner menu

January 28, 2012

Grilled asparagus spears served with smoked Scottish salmon dressed with a balsamic dressing.

or

Haggis fritters sided with an Arran mustard mayonnaise and leaf salad.

Vodka and basil sorbet.

Sweet potato and rosemary soup served with crusty bread and butter.

Slow roast shank of lamb cooked in garlic and thyme served with roasted vegetables and potato fondant.

or

Grilled fillet of turbot topped with a red wine, bacon and baby onion sauce.

Selection of fine Scottish cheeses served with crackers and chutney.

or

Warm butter crepes finished with an orange liqueur glaze sided with whipped cream.

Tea/ coffee and mints.

£25.00pp



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Burns Supper

February 4, 2012

Home made cured salmon dressed with cucumber yoghurt served with crisp salad

Haggis, neeps and tatties served in a tower.

Roast rib-eye of beef topped with an Arran mustard cream sauce served with rosemary roasted baby new potatoes and roast medley of vegetables.

Raspberry parfait served with crushed home made meringue topped with toasted oats.

Selection of fine Scottish cheeses served with crackers.

Tea/ coffee and shortbread.

RYA Regional Race Management Seminar

The Race Management, Judge and Umpire Conference is scheduled to take place during the weekend of the RYA Scotland "Big Weekend". Not only will the above conference be taking place but there will also be an RYA Event Safety Workshop which may be of interest to you, please see the website at the link below for full details and on-line registration: [RYA Scotland Big Weekend Information](#).

There will be TWO RYA Regional Race Management Seminars in 2012 (subject to demand), these training courses are for Race Officers and lead to the RYA Regional Race Officer Qualification.

The first Seminar will be hosted by Royal Gourock Yacht Club (Western Scotland) on the 4-5 February 2012, The Royal Gourock Seminar application form can be downloaded from the link at this web page:
http://www.scottishsailingevents.co.uk/event_detail.asp?eventID=125

The second Seminar will be hosted by Chanonry Sailing Club (Northern Scotland) on 11-12 February 2012. The Chanonry Seminar application form can be downloaded from the link at this web page:
http://www.scottishsailingevents.co.uk/event_detail.asp?eventID=126

More information regarding the RYA Race Officials Training Scheme can be seen at this website: [RYA Race Officials Web Pages](#).

Please forward this e-mail to anyone that you think may be interested in attending either the Conference or the Seminars.

David JW Kent

Scottish Sailing Institute

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2 weeks or 4 weeks or 6 weeks share
2001 "Jeanneau Sun Odyssey 40" sailing yacht – Ionian Sea, Greece

Based in one of the world's most beautiful sailing areas, the Greek Ionian southern Adriatic Sea. This unique area offers expansive and highly varied sailing as well as stunning panoramas, beautiful local towns and stress free sailing conditions
The yacht is based in "Vlycho", just south of the main town "Iefkas" in the Ionian Islands

Direct weekly Sunday flights from London or Manchester to 'Preveza airport' which is only 30 minutes away are operated by 4 UK travel groups. Alternative weekly Thursday direct flights are also available from Manchester or London to 'Preveza airport'
Direct flights from most UK airports are also available to Corfu, Cephalonia, Zante and Athens which permit the yacht to be reached all year round with the aid of a slightly longer bus/ferry journey

We are a well established syndicate and our yacht has been lovingly maintained by all of the owners.
The holiday usage dates are completely flexible and are decided at annual AGM held in November of each year
The season is 24 weeks long and as such, 2 weeks share is 1/12th, 4 weeks share is 1/6th and 6 weeks share is 1/4th – occasionally the season can be longer at 25 or 26 weeks depending on available flights and these extra weeks are normally free to whoever would like them after discussion with other syndicate members

Features/specification:

The yacht is the "owners version" with 2 large double cabins, 2 spacious heads each featuring a toilet and shower (1 head is the master cabin en-suite), a large attractive saloon with large dining table, fully fitted galley, chart table, bimini, spacious deck area and deck shower etc. Dining area becomes a double bed if required. Everything is in excellent condition.
2012 new furling main, 2011 new furling 140% Genoa, 2011 new outboard dingy engine, 2011 new stereo system, 2010 new dingy
All electronic aids, GPS, depth sounder, Speedo, log, wind indicators etc
Life raft, Harnesses, Life jackets, Safety lines, Flares, Tool kits, Fenders, All berthing lines, springs, long shore lines, etc
65 meter remote controlled windlass anchor, spare anchors and chain
2 holding tanks, 460 litre water tank
Bimini

2 week share price = £5 495 (1/12th of the yacht - total yacht value approximately £90 000)
4 week share price = £10 995 (1/6th of the yacht - total yacht value approximately £90 000)
6 week share price = £16 495 (1/4th of the yacht - total yacht value approximately £90 000)
Monthly £30 direct debit to syndicate bank account covers annual running costs per 2 week share

The new owner needs to hold a minimum of a day skipper qualification

Please feel free to contact me for more details and/or photos.

All my best regards

Vic Canata - 07798 655 198

