

# Notts County SC News Nov 2021



# **Dates for your Diary**

## **November**

**Sat 20**<sup>th</sup> **Nov** End of season supper £12 – book via info@ncsc.org.uk, covid providing Sun 21<sup>st</sup> Virtual AGM – papers will come out via your email in next week.

Water use permitted Sat 6,13,20,27<sup>th</sup> Nov along with Wednesdays and Sundays

#### December

**Sun 19**<sup>th</sup> **Fuddle** – all welcome, bring food to share, covid providing

Water use permitted 20, 21, 23, 27, 28, 30 th Dec along with Wednesdays & Sunday

#### **January**

1<sup>st</sup> Jan – First of year Race Water use permitted 3/4<sup>th</sup> Jan, along with Wednesdays and Sundays 29/30<sup>Th</sup> Jan – County Cooler

**Permitted water use days**: From November to 2nd Feb its Sun / Wed at present, plus days shown in calendar above.



University taster days where a great success





#### Commodore's Corner

Haloween Sunday sailing presented those taking to the water with the scary mixture of heavy rain and heavy winds, well done to all those that took part - with plenty of juniors proving that it was perfectly sailable. Thanks especially to the race and safety teams who managed the appalling conditions and no shortage of action with great fortitude. It is a great strength of a membership club like ours that we all contribute in the many different ways that we do, be the going tough or easy. The great times we experience only being made possible by the volunteering of others.

This month the club's AGM will take place. For the second year in a row it will be over zoom with the papers and proposals being provided ahead, please have a look and take the opportunity to contribute to the thinking about the club's future plans and actions, much of which was also fed back to us in the responses to the recent questionnaire.

After two years this is my last newsletter as Commodore. It has, of course, been interesting times but thanks to the great team that makes up NCSC we have come through strongly and able to plan forward with confidence to deliver what you, the members, wish the club to do. We have had to learn to be careful and considerate to deal with a direct risk, and I hope this can be carried on into all that we do together. As ever, I look forward to seeing you on the water and around the club.

Yours aye, james







#### **Notices**

Reminder 21st Nov (AGM) & 19th Dec (Fuddle) racing is back to back.

**Club logoed clothing**: Wondering about Christmas presents, we do have some club clothing a small amount come to the club but the company procures and embroiders the clothing. <u>link to clothing site</u>

Club Supper 20<sup>th</sup> November This will be roast and sweet, at £12. Please contact <a href="mailto:info@ncsc.org.uk">info@ncsc.org.uk</a> to book on, if there are not enough numbers before 14th Nov (or Covid intervenes) it will be cancelled. Please note the windows will need to be open so it will be warm clothing.

**Fuddle** (bring food to share) after the back to back race on 19<sup>th</sup> December – normally starts around 2-2.30pm all are welcome, it's not just for those who have raced. This event is subject to the prevailing Covid 19 conditions and may be cancelled at short notice.

**AGM:** Papers will be emailed out by the weekend (except Treasurers report which should be emailed before the meeting). Volunteers are invited for these vacant posts: Rear Commodore, Social Secretary, Welfare Officer, a number of fleet captains. The papers will also be available to logged in members on SCM on this page (empty at present).

Awards evening 5<sup>th</sup> Feb 2022 the normal Country Club venue has been booked for an Awards evening, please contact Kathryn Hinsliff-Smith for details – but if nothing else put the date in the diary, this will depend on the Covid situation.

Please note the **incident forms** are in the first aid cupboard, the relevant parts of the forms should be filled in for near misses, accidents and any damage to boats etc (ie potential insurance claims). The important parts are date, time, what happened, leave blank items that are not relevant. Please inform a member of the Exec when you complete a form, thankyou.

**Covid 19 status** – a significant number of club members young and old have had Covid, so please continue to be considerate and sensible when at the club. Doors and windows should be open to ventilate interior spaces, Heating should not be on. Please bring warm clothes. Mask wearing is being considerate, it is anti social not to wear one if the clubhouse is crowded, especially when moving around whatever the government rules are. Thanks for your co-operation.

**Driving speeds**: we are still getting many speeding, it is 10mph on the club's grounds and 15mph on the track to the club, this is not only for safety (there is a bridleway crossing the track) but to protect the condition of the track. This applies to all users; sailing, windsurfing, SUP, duty persons, visiting, birdwatching, and swimmers equally. You will note road repairs are being instigated to reduce potholes.







## **Boat Park/Membership**

Shortly renewal notices will come out after the AGM in November. If you are thinking of selling your boat can you make contact as we have new members looking, especially for Toppers and Lasers. If you no longer need your berth please do let us know









October training at the club, thanks to all the volunteers who make it possible. Powerboating, adult and junior courses and the new Terra boats (part grant funded for juniors)





Below (I to r) Guy Sprekley foiling, (4th in National series), Graham back on the water, and halloween racing

