

# BRADING HAVEN YACHT CLUB



*Programme  
2017-2018*



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		<b>Jenny Fox</b>	<b>Polly Schafer</b>	

Management Committee members shown are in bold.

## **WEBSITE**

Members are reminded that the website [www.bhyc.org.uk](http://www.bhyc.org.uk) provides a valuable source of information about the Club's organisation, facilities, and activities. You can find up to date sailing (racing, cruising, and training) and social programmes, racing instructions, boat hire conditions, and application forms, as well as the latest racing reports and results. Log on to the Members' Area to access all the information you need. Questions, comments, and suggestions for improvement should be addressed by email to [webmaster@bhyc.org.uk](mailto:webmaster@bhyc.org.uk)

## **NEWSLETTER**

The Club produces a Newsletter which is published every Wednesday; it keeps you up to date with the latest goings on at the Club and contains details of forthcoming events, both sailing and social.

Duty information is also included as well as details of work parties, event reports, competitions, promotions and much more.

Ideas and contributions for the Newsletter are always welcome and should be sent to the Newsletter editor [newsletter@bhyc.org.uk](mailto:newsletter@bhyc.org.uk)

Club Members should register to use the Members' Area of the BHYC website by clicking on the Members' Login Section of the BHYC website [www.bhyc.org.uk/cms-homepage.asp?page=login](http://www.bhyc.org.uk/cms-homepage.asp?page=login) you will then be automatically sent a link to download the newsletter as soon as it is published each week.

## **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

This year's AGM will take place in the clubhouse at 2000hrs on Friday 15th September.

## **HOUSE COMMITTEE**

The House Committee will be holding working parties throughout 2017. Please do come and give some help. Working parties keep the Club looking great for our members and at the end of the day you can go home with the warm satisfaction that your hard work has made a real difference. It is also a great way to get to know other members! If you are able to assist watch the Newsletter and notice board for details of the next working party or alternatively contact Vice Commodore House, Keith Gentleman or email [keithgentleman@gmail.com](mailto:keithgentleman@gmail.com)

## **CLUB GROUPS AND SECTIONS**

### **LADIES' LUNCHEON**

Meetings take place on the first Wednesday of each month at 12:30 for a 13:00 lunch (excluding the months of August and September). The group is open to any ladies who are members of the Club. Ladies Lunch invites a number of speakers that cover a variety of topics. Lunch is provided by the Club's Caterer, at a pre-set cost payable on the day. The AGM is held in May each year. New members are always welcome.

For more information please call Pam Edgerton, (616346) or Vice Chair (until May 2017) Virginia Lobb (812180) who will ensure you are made welcome or email [office@bhyc.org.uk](mailto:office@bhyc.org.uk)

### **BRIDGE CLUB**

Rubber Bridge is played every Thursday afternoon at 1400 - 1700 hours from October until April, with a break over the Christmas period.

A Christmas Lunch is held annually with an 'End of Term' lunch before the final bridge session in April. Details are put on the notice board and in the weekly Newsletter. New members are most welcome to join this fun and friendly group. Please contact Jillie Wheeler 873432, Annie Smith 875286 or email [office@bhyc.org.uk](mailto:office@bhyc.org.uk) for more information.

### **CADETS**

The cadet section is a very sociable and vibrant part of Club life. It is run by volunteers and we are always on the lookout for new ideas for events from cadets and their families and for volunteers to help out. Events are open to member children of all ages and their parents and carers whether or not they are budding or current sailors. Events are held at least once a month and parents and carers are encouraged to stay and join in the fun, it's a great way of meeting new friends, learning about cadet sailing opportunities and experiencing some very happy times. Cadets participating in on the water activities must be aged 8 or over.



We have lots of ideas under development in addition to the listed events, so please do sign up to the cadet contact group via the Club office and look out for details in the Club newsletter and on the notice board. Current suggestions include summer beach BBQs, a summer camp-out, picnic sails, sailing and racing workshops, on the water games and local cinema trips. We look forward to seeing you.

05 April	Gerry Price - Gardening BHYC all ages of cadets welcome
10 April	Easter training for cadets
03 May	Cadet sailing after school
05 May	On The Water Treasure Hunt all ages of cadets welcome
13 May	Push The Boat Out all cadets welcome to sail
18 May	Cadet sailing after school
15 June	Cadet sailing after school
26 June	'Beach Scavenge' all cadets and family members welcome
08 July	Picnic Day sailing round to Priory Bay
17 July	Cadet sailing after school
25 July	Summer sail training starts
03 August	Rib ride and beach games
07 August	Sail training
20 August	Cadet sail training
26 August	Sail training disco (all BHYC cadets and family members welcome)
28 August	Cadet Regatta
06 September	Build a campfire all cadets and family members welcome
23 October	Autumn training for cadets
28 October	Halloween party all cadets and family members welcome
08 November	Art Night all cadets and family members welcome
6 December	Craft Night with Jan Webb all cadets and parents welcome
23 December	Father Christmas visit

## **SOCIAL**

More events will be added as we go through the year so please check the Newsletter, the website, and the notice board for more details. If you wish to help out on any social event or have ideas for any future events please contact Jillian Stanbridge or the office.

01 April	Charity Dinner Dance in aid of Make a Wish Foundation
06 May	Barn Dance
03 June	Race Night
05 August	Summer Ball
07 October	Laying Up Supper
21 October	Trafalgar Night
28 October	Halloween Disco
18 November	Murder Mystery Evening
23 December	Father Christmas at the Club
31 December	New Year's Eve Party
27 January	Burns Night
24 February	Barn Dance
17 March 2018	Fitting Out Supper

## **TUESDAY TALKS**

A wide-ranging programme of Tuesday Talks has been given during the winter months for several years and it is intended that this should happen again during the winter 2017/8. The topics are of general interest, are not confined to boating, are not technical and should appeal to all. It is hoped that members will continue to enjoy another interesting series of talks during the dark months at both the end of 2017 and the early part of 2018. The talks start at 8pm, the bar will be open on these evenings and a special supper menu will be available; guests are welcome so long as they are signed in. The dates of the talks for next winter are shown below; full details of the Talks will be published at a later date and will also appear in the Newsletter and on the notice board at least a week before hand.

2017:- 24 October, 07 & 21 November, 05 December.

2018:- 09 & 23 January, 06 & 20 February, 13 & 27 March.

## SAILING

Our aim is to encourage safe and enjoyable sailing for all members, whether it is Club racing, cruising, training activities or sailing for pleasure on your own. Please do ask a member of the Sailing Committee or the Boatman should you require advice or assistance (contact details below). All sailors and helpers taking part in Club-organised activities should familiarise themselves with the BHYC Safety Policy, which is available in the Club foyer, the office, Jubilee Centre or on the website.

### Contacts

Sarah Noyes	Rear Commodore Sailing Principle of Training	sailing@bhyc.org.uk
Jerry Summers	Chief Instructor/Boatman	chiefinstructor@bhyc.org.uk
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Peter Webb	Duty Roster	duty@bhyc.org.uk

## CLUB SAILING & TRAINING

BHYC is an RYA Registered Training Centre, Champion Club, and has RYA OnBoard status. We welcome all those who would like to learn and improve their sailing and powerboat skills.

An outline of sailing and powerboat training activities is shown in the Sailing Programme or under Training, but look out for further information in the Newsletter and on the website ([www.bhyc.org.uk](http://www.bhyc.org.uk)). There will be specific courses under the RYA Youth and Adult sailing schemes, along with advanced modules and RYA Powerboat Training during the year in a selection of Club training boats. Race Training for both cadets and adult members is available. The Club has a variety of dinghies that can be hired **for Club activities only**. Details may be found in the foyer of the Club House and on the BHYC website.

Sailing on a regular basis, participating in our evening theory workshops and racing to suit all is a continuing way to develop your sailing skills. Cadets and novice adults, including those wishing to learn to sail, may register on the various training sessions on offer during the year. Everyone is most welcome to join in the *Come Sail With Us* (CSWU) events which take place throughout the year

along with national RYA days such as *Push The Boat Out and Bart's Bash*. Adults and cadets who have gained their RYA Stage 3 or Level 2 certificate are especially encouraged to join *Adult Refresher Training, Hot Shots and Cadet Challenges* during the year. Instructors and coaches will be on hand to provide extra help and encouragement and get you ready for the season ahead. The primary Sail Training is as follows

**OPPIE SAIL TRAINING WEEK 2017** will be from Monday 7th August to Thursday 10th August. This is for any young cadets age 8 and above who have not sailed before and would like to get out on the water and sail.

**ADULT SAIL TRAINING WEEK 2017** will run from Monday 7th August to Thursday 10th August. This is for any adults who would like to learn to sail and those who may have sailed before, but would like to improve their sailing ability through RYA modules.

**PERFORMANCE SAILING WEEK 2017** will be from Tuesday 25th July to 28th July. This course is set up for those who have completed their RYA Youth Stage 1 to 4 and wish to expand their knowledge by doing an advanced module.

**CADET SAIL TRAINING WEEK 2017** will be from Sunday 20th August to Friday 25th August (Briefing Saturday 19th August). Open to all cadets who have achieved RYA Stage 1 and wish to improve their sailing abilities through the various RYA Youth stages.

Places are limited to Members only and it is advisable to return applications very early. Details of courses and the necessary forms will be available on the website or through the office from February, the exact date to be given in the newsletter. The Prize giving will take place on Saturday 26th August followed by the STW Disco and Party.

**POWERBOAT COURSES** will be run from March onwards, see this programme for details. If there are enough members wishing to do a course outside the programmed times we will try and fit them in.

**POWERBOAT SAFETY COURSES** will be run this year on demand, fitting around our other sailing and training commitments. If you wish to do either of these courses please let us know of your interest.



## **PRIVATE LESSONS**

Private lessons will be available to those club members who want a little bit of training as a refresher, or to generally improve their sailing skills. Dates will be to suit you. Further information can be obtained by emailing [training@bhyc.org.uk](mailto:training@bhyc.org.uk) or the chief [chiefinstructor@bhyc.org.uk](mailto:chiefinstructor@bhyc.org.uk)

If you require more specific information please contact either Jerry Summers (Chief Instructor). All Courses are dependent on the tide and the weather.

[chiefinstructor@bhyc.org.uk](mailto:chiefinstructor@bhyc.org.uk) or [training@bhyc.org.uk](mailto:training@bhyc.org.uk) .

## **ON GOING CADET TRAINING**

The 420 and Pico Squad training that was started last year will continue this year, dates and times will be circulated through the various club forums. These sessions proved very successful last year and provided cadets with the regular short burst sessions to improve their sailing.

## **LADIES THAT LAUNCH (LTL)**

The Ladies that Launch group encourages and supports women sailors of all abilities and ages to spend as much time as we can out on the water improving our sailing, racing and boating skills.

It is expected this year that the Ladies that Launch group and others will have the opportunity to have regular planned training and or supervised sessions on the water.

We enjoy the fun, friendships and camaraderie we forge as we hone our confidence and technical skills out on the water. Many good friendships have been formed on and off the water on the back of our Come Sail with Us events (listed in this Sailing Programme), Club training courses and sessions, workshops, social sailing and racing activities which take place throughout the sailing season. We also enjoy a wide range of social activities, events and evenings throughout the year, details of which can be found on our section in the Club newsletter or on our lively Facebook pages.

If you are interested or would like to know more about joining us please contact Linda or Polly and email [ltl@bhyc.org.uk](mailto:ltl@bhyc.org.uk) for more details.

## **SCOW OWNERS**

We want to encourage as many Scows on the water as possible in 2017. Scows don't have to race, just get yourself out on the water and enjoy some sailing time with like-minded people. We have allocated a date for a sail round to Priory Bay for a summer picnic, bring the family. This will hopefully take place on Saturday 8th July.

We try to have Scow social suppers from time to time. If you have any other social Scow ideas please do not hesitate to contact the Scow Captain Anne Barlow by sending an email to [office@bhyc.org.uk](mailto:office@bhyc.org.uk). Anne would be happy to help you rig and tune your scow as well as answer any questions about the Scow class.

## **DINGHY CRUISING AND POTTERING ON RACE DAYS**

Those wishing to potter/cruise around the race course during race days **MUST Sign-On** using the appropriate sheet at the Jubilee Centre, the patrol boats will be alerted to your presence. The Race Officer will inform helms of the race course and advise as necessary.

**It is important that boats stay within agreed sailing areas, keep clear of marks, start and finish lines and return to BHYC with the racing fleet, when they should inform the race officer at the Jubilee Centre.**

Following on from the success of the Olympics the RYA like to have a day where they try to get as many boats on the water as possible. This is called "Push the Boat Out" and this year is planned for Saturday 13th May. So let see how many boat we can get out of the boat park and on to the water. 'Bart's Bash' takes place on Saturday 23rd September with races taking places all over the world.

## **OPEN DAY**

There will be an Open Day at the Club on Saturday April 29th, come along with your friends and go out on the water in different boats. We would like to see as many instructors and Club Members around as possible to take non-sailors and non-Members out on the water and all are welcome.

## **RACING**

All members are welcome to join in the racing. Full Racing Instructions covering all Club races will be available at the Annual Briefing on Saturday 18th March and afterwards from the bar,

the foyer or The Jubilee Centre. Racing instructions covering the events organised under the burgee of East Wight Combined Clubs (EWCC) will be issued in the summer as part of their Regatta Series Programme. **It is essential that helms sign the indemnity form in the Jubilee Centre before their first sail of the season. All helms must *Sign-On* at the race box.**

We start our main season at the Easter Series with a series of eight races. The idea is a quick blast hopefully in some good March sunshine. Please study BHYC Racing and Training programme in the middle of this booklet where full details are given; we have tried our very best to please everyone from racers to “just potterers” alike. More information will follow throughout the season in the Club Newsletter. Please pick up a EWCC 2017 Programme at the bar for details of Regattas around the region when available in April.

There is a chart with all the racing marks to be used for BHYC Club racing available from the bar at £5 per copy.

## **KEY TO BHYC SAILING PROGRAMME**

H = Harbour Start (the Start Line is off the Jubilee Centre/Race Box)

CB = Committee Boat Start (outside the harbour from Committee Boat)

ICE = Icicle series race

LE = Lent series

EA = Easter series race

SP = Spring series race

SU = Summer series race

HOL = Holiday series race

AU = Autumn series race

FB = Frostbite series race

EV = Evening series race

CSWU = Come Sail With Us (all welcome for informal sailing)

LTL = Ladies that Launch

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(Tide Times & Heights Portsmouth)

DATE	HW	Ht (m)	START	LINE	RACE SERIES CLUB SAILING & TRAINING	NOTES
<b>JANUARY</b>						
Sun	12:49	4.7	11:30	H	ICE 1-2	
Sun	11:51	4.5	11:30	H	ICE 3-4	
<b>FEBRUARY</b>						
Sun	11:46	4.6	11:30	H	ICE 5-6	
Sun	11:18	4.6	10:30	H	ICE 7-8	
<b>MARCH</b>						
Sun	10:45	4.5	10:30	H	ICE 9-10	
Sat	14:25	4.2	13:30	H	LE 1	11:00 Pre-Season Briefing for ALL Sailors, Support Boat Crews & Race Officers)
Sun	15:04	4.0	14:00	H	LE 2	
Fri			19:00		Safety Boat Theory	
Sat			09:00		Safety Boat Course	
Sun			09:00		Safety Boat Course	
<b>APRIL</b>						
Sat	14:57	4.6	14:00	H	LE 3	
Sun	15:48	4.4	14:30	H	LE 4	
Sat	09:50	4.2	10:00	H	LE 5	
Sun	10:40	4.3	10:30	H	LE 6	
Mon	11:20	4.4			Easter Training	
Tues	12:05	4.5			Easter Training	
Wed	12:46	4.5			Easter Training	
Thurs	13:21	4.5			Easter Training	
Fri BH	13:53	4.4	13:00	CB	EA 1-2	<b>Good Friday</b> <i>Wayfarer &amp; Swan Series 1-2</i>
Sat	14:25	4.4	13:30	CB	EA 3-4	
Sun	14:57	4.3	14:00	CB	EA 5-6	<b>Easter Sunday</b>
Mon BH	15:36	4.1	14:30	CB	EA 7-8	<b>Easter Monday</b>
Tues	16:28	4.0	15:00		Training	

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Wed	19	17:28	4.0	15:00	Training	
Fri	21	19:00		19:00	Powerboat Course Theory	
Sat	22	09:00		09:00	Powerboat Course	
Sun	23	09:17	4.1	08:00	<b>Breakfast Race 1</b>	Powerboat Course
Sat	29	13:54	4.8		<b>BHYC Open Day</b>	<b>CSWU/ LTL</b>
Sun	30	14:46	4.7	14:00	SP 1-2	
<b>MAY</b>						
Mon	1	15:42	4.5	15:00	<b>Governors Trophy</b>	
BH	3	16:30		16:30	Gadet Sailing	Bembridge Sea Scouts
Wed	4	18:59	4.1	18:30	EV 1	
Thurs	5	18:00		18:00	Ryde Sea Cadets	
Fri	7	09:25	4.0	08:30	<b>Breakfast Race 2</b>	
Sun	10	16:30		16:30		Bembridge Sea Scouts
Wed	13	13:33	4.4	10:30	<b>RYA Push the Boat Out</b>	<b>CSWU / LTL</b>
Sat	14	14:01	4.4	13:00	SP 3-4	<i>Wayfarer &amp; Swan Series 3-4</i>
Sun	17	15:57	4.1			Scow interclub Yarmouth v BHYC
Wed	18	17:21		16:30	Cadet Sailing	Bembridge Sea Scouts
Thurs	19	18:27		18:00	Ryde Sea Cadets	
Fri	20	19:02	4.0	18:30	EV 2	
Sat	27	12:49	4.9	11:30	<b>Pursuit Race</b>	
Sat	28	13:37	4.8	12:30	SP 5-6	
Sun	29	14:32	4.7	13:30	RNLI Pennant	
Mon BH	30	15:27	4.6		Training	
Tue	31	16:26	4.5		Training	Bembridge Sea Scouts
<b>JUNE</b>						
Thurs	1	17:27	4.3		Training	Ryde Sea Cadets
Fri	2	18:27	4.2		Training	Scow BHYC v Yarmouth
Sat	3	19:31	4.1	18:30	EV 3	
Sat	10	12:39	4.4	11:30	CSWU/LTL – Lifeboat 150 Anniv	<b>Prince Phillip Cup</b>
Sun	11	13:16	4.4	12:30	SP 7-8	<i>Wayfarer &amp; Swan Series 5-6</i>

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Thurs	16:20		16:30		Cadet Sailing	Bembridge Sea Scouts
Fri	17:10		18:00		Ryde Sea Cadets	
Sat	17:20	4.1	16:00		CSWU / LTL	
Sun	18:27	4.1	17:30	CB	SU 1-2	
Mon	19:36	4.2	18:30	H	EV4	Ryde Sea Cadets
Tues			17:00		<b>Inter Club Four way Mermaid</b>	
					<b>Racing at SVYC (18:00 Start)</b>	
Sat	11:47	4.8	10:30	CB	<b>Seafarers Race (Bottle of Champagne)</b> / CSWU/LTL	
Sun					SU 3-4	
Tues	12:38	4.8	11:30	CB	SVYC v BHYC racing in Mermaids	
27			17:00			
1	17:50	4.2	16:30		CSWU/LTL	<b>Round the Island Race</b>
2	18:41	4.1	17:00	CB	SU 5-6	
3	19:40	4.0	18:30	H	EV 5	Ryde Sea Cadets
8	11:40	4.3	10:00	CB	<b>Picnic Day round to Priory Bay</b>	
Sun	12:20	4.4	11:30	CB	SU 7-8	
Sat	15:58	4.3	15:00	CB	<b>Ladies Race Day</b>	
Sun	16:51	4.2	16:00	CB	SU 9-10	
Mon	18:29		16:00		Cadet Sailing	Bembridge Sea Scouts
Tues	19:05	4.2	18:30	H	EV6	Ryde Sea Cadets
Sat	22	4.6	10:00	CB	<b>Long Distance Race (Summer)</b>	<i>Wayfarer &amp; Swan Series 7</i>
Sun	23	4.7	10:30	CB	HOL 1-2	
Tues	13:58				Sail Training	
Wed	14:25				Sail Training	
Thru	15:10				Sail Training	
Fri	15:55				Sail Training	
Sat	16:23	4.4			<b>Bembridge Village Regatta</b>	<b>Cowes Week starts</b>

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Sun	30	17:05	4.2	16:00	CB	HOL 3-4	Paper boat Race.
Mon	31	18:33		17:00		Cadet Sailing	Bembridge Sea Scouts
<b>AUGUST</b>							
Tues	1	18:34	3.8	18:00		Ryde Sea Cadets	<b>Scow Parade</b>
Wed	2	19:41	3.8	18:30	H	EV 7	<b>Summer Ball</b>
Sat	5	10:38	4.2			<b>EWCC Dinghy Regatta: See EWCC Programme</b>	Sail Training
Sun	6	11:20	4.3	10:30	CB	<b>Scow Championships</b>	BSC Scow Week till 11th
Mon	7	12:02	4.5			Sail Training	
Tues	8	12:37	4.5			Sail Training	
Wed	9	13:10	4.6			Sail Training	
Thurs	10	13:40	4.6			Sail Training	
Fri	11	14:16	4.6			<b>BSC Regatta: See EWCC Programme</b>	
Sat	12	14:50	4.5			<b>BSC Regatta: See EWCC Programme</b>	
Sun	13	15:30	4.4	14:30	CB	HOL 5-6	<i>Wayfarer &amp; Swan Series 8-9</i>
Mon	14	16:18	4.3			<b>SWC Regatta: See EWCC Programme</b>	Sail Training
Tues	15	17:19	4.2			Seaview Village Regatta: Carr Cup	Sail Training
Wed	16	18:37	4.1			CSWU/LTL	
Thurs	17	19:50	4.1	18:30	H	EV 8	Briefing for all sailors and instructors
Sat	19	09:37	4.3	08:30	H	<b>Breakfast Race 3</b>	
Sun	20	10:36	4.5			Sail Training Week	
Mon	21	11:23	4.7			Sail Training Week	
Tues	22	12:09	4.7			Sail Training Week	
Wed	23	12:54	4.8			Sail Training Week	
Thurs	24	13:40	4.7			Sail Training Week	
Fri	25	14:22	4.7			Sail Training Week	
Sat	26	15:00	4.5			<b>BHYC Regatta: See EWCC Programme</b>	STW Prize-Giving & Disco
Sun	27	15:38	4.4			<b>BHYC Regatta: See EWCC Programme</b>	
Mon BH	28	16:15	4.2			<b>Cadet Regatta</b>	

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<b>SEPTEMBER</b>						
1	19:51	3.6	18:30	H	EV 9	
2	09:17	3.9	08:00	H	<b>Breakfast Race 4</b>	
3	10:15	4.1	10:00	CB	AU 1-2	
9	13:52	4.7	13:00	CB	<b>Long Distance (Autumn)</b>	
10	14:26	4.7	13:30	CB	AU 3-4	<i>Wayfarer &amp; Swan Series 10</i>
15	19:39	4.0	18:00	H	EV 10	
17	09:27	4.3	08:30	H	<b>Breakfast Race 5</b>	
23	13:52	4.7	13:00	CB	<b>Barts Bash</b>	
24	14:25	4.6	13:30	CB	AU 5-6	
29	06:21		19:00		Powerboat Course Theory	
30	07:45		09:30		Powerboat Course	
<b>OCTOBER</b>						
1	08:11	3.7	09:30		Powerboat Course	
7	12:46	4.9	11:30	CB	AU 7-8	
8	13:48	4.9	12:30	H	FB 1	<b>Laying Up Supper 19:30</b>
13			19:00		Safety Boat Course Theory	
14			09:00		Safety Boat Course	
15			09:00		Safety Boat Course	
21	12:44	4.7	11:30	H	<b>Pursuit Race</b>	
22	13:21	4.7	12:30	H	FB 2	
23	14:33				October Training	
24	15:03				October Training	
25	15:35				October Training	
26	16:09				October Training	
29						<b>BST ends 29th Oct</b>
<b>NOVEMBER</b>						
4	11:04	5.0	10:30	H	FB 3	
5	11:43	5.1	10:30	H	FB 4	



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Sat	18	10:42	4.7	10:30	H	FB 5
Sat	19	11:20	4.7	10:30	H	<b>BHYC Nouveau</b> (Bottle of Wine Race)
Sat	25	14:48	4.0	13:30	H	FB 6
Sun	26	15:38	3.8	14:30	H	FB 7
<b>DECEMBER</b>						
Sat	2	09:29	4.8	08:30	H	<b>Breakfast Race 6</b>
Sun	3	10:37	5.0	10:00	H	FB 8
Sat	16	09:36	4.5	08:30	H	<b>Breakfast Race 7</b>
Sun	17	10:20	4.5	10:00	H	FB 9
Sat	23	13:44	4.3	12:30	H	<b>Christmas Cracker</b>
<b>JANUARY 2018</b>						
Mon	1	11:30	4.8	10:30	H	New Years Day Race
Sun	14	10:50	4.1	10:00	H	ICE 1-2
(for Slow H/C & Scows only. All races in Harbour )						
Sun	21	15:10	4.4	14:00	H	ICE 3-4
<b>FEBRUARY</b>						
Sun	4	15:10	4.7	14:00	H	ICE 5-6
Sun	18	14:10	4.6	13:00	H	ICE 7-8
<b>MARCH</b>						
Sun	4	14:00	4.8	13:00	H	ICE 9-10
Sat	17	12:40	4.6	11:30		<b>Pre-season potter and shakedown; Fitting-out Supper 19:30</b>
Sun	18	13:10	4.7	12:00	H	ICE 11-12
Sun	25					10:00 Pre-Season Briefing for ALL Sailors, Support Boat Crews & Race Officers); <b>BSI Starts</b>
Fri (BH)	30	11:40	4.6	10:30	CB	EA 1-2
Sat	31	12:30	4.7	11:30	CB	EA 2-3
<b>APRIL</b>						
Sun	1	13:10	4.8	12:00	CB	EA 3-4
Mon (BH)	2	13:40	4.8	12:30	CB	EA 5-6
Good Friday						
Easter Sunday						
Easter Monday						

## Race Series 2017

Series	Dates	Series Total Races	No. of Races on Day	Start Line
Icebreaker Series (ICE)*	15 Jan - 12 March	10	2 Races Slow H/C	Harbour starts and finishes (Racing in Harbour only)
Lent Series (LE)	18 March - 09 April	6	1 Race	Harbour start and finish
Easter Series (EA)	14 April - 17 April	8	2 Races	Committee Boat starts and finishes
Breakfast Race	23 April - 16 Dec	7	1 Race	Harbour start and finish
Spring Series ( SP)	30 April - 11 June	8	2 Races	Committee Boat starts and finishes
Evening Series (EV)	4 May - 15 Sept	10	1 Race	Harbour starts and finishes
Summer Series (SU)	18 June - 16 July	10	2 Races	Committee Boat starts and finishes
Holiday Series (HOL)	23 July - 13 Aug	6	2 Races	Committee Boat starts and finishes
Autumn Series (AU)	03 Sept - 7 Oct	8	2 Races	Committee Boat starts and finishes

Frostbite Series (FB)	08 Oct - 17 Dec	14	1 Race	Harbour starts and finishes
Wayfarer Series	26 March - 01 Oct	12	1 or 2 Races	Sailed within other Series and Races
Swan Series	26 March - 01 Oct	12	1 or 2 Races	Sailed within other Series and Races
Icebreaker Series (ICE)* (Racing in Harbour only)	14 Jan - 08 March 2018	10	1 or 2 Races	Harbour starts and finishes

\* This series is open to all Island sailors

## Single Races

Governor's Trophy	01 May		1 Race	All classes race together
Pursuit Race Spring	27 May		1 Race	
RNLI Pennant	29 May		1 Race	
Midsummer Race	24 June		1 Race	
Ladies' Race Day	15 July			
Long Distance Race (Summer)	22 July		1 Race	
Long Distance Race (Autumn)	09 Sept		1 Race	
Bart's Bash	23 Sept		1 Race	
Pursuit Race Autumn	21 Oct		1 Race	
BHYC Nouveau	19 Nov		1 Race	
Christmas Cracker	23 Dec		1 Race	All classes race together
New Years Day	01 Jan		1 Race	All classes race together

## **FORMAT OF RACING**

To reduce congestion in the harbour and to reduce the risk of collision, the majority of starts at summer weekends will be from a committee boat outside the harbour as identified below. There will still be starts from the Harbour Line for all races in the Icebreaker, Lent, Breakfast, Evening and Frostbite series. Where two races are designated, the points from each race will contribute towards the series totals. Between Easter and June a number of Cadet Challenges will be organised in conjunction the Racing. This is primarily for cadets and novices (although all welcome), at the discretion of the training programme leader on the day. There will be a number of short races from a committee boat, depending on the weather.

The schedule of racing for the season is given in the sailing programme. Apart from the Icebreaker Series, which is for Slow Handicap boats only, and other special races as indicated in the racing instructions, dinghies will race in four separate groups depending on numbers; Fast Handicap (PY 1194 and under), Slow Handicap (PY 1195 and over) Swans (if more than five or more in the series) and Scows with 5 min between starts. For Home Starts there will only be two starts Fast and Slow with the Swans and Scows starting in the Slow Handicap. The start time and starting line, Home (H) or Committee Boat (CB), shown in the programme is that for the first race. For the committee boat starts please allow enough time to sail out of the harbour and get to the committee boat.

## **SAILING SUPPORT CREWS "DUTYMAN"**

All competitors are encouraged to sign on to "Dutyman", on the website. It is your chance to volunteer to be Race Officer, Race Officer's Assistant, Safety Helm or Safety Crew. You can do as many duties as you like. The next few weeks' diary of duties is always put in the newsletter and more than those few weeks if available on the website. Should you have any difficulties with "Dutyman" please speak to anyone on the Sailing Committee who would welcome your question.

Helms require a minimum of RYA Powerboat Level 2 Certificate and preferably a VHF Certificate. Crews need no qualifications but are expected to be reasonably fit and agile! Crews wishing to gain qualifications should watch the notice board and newsletter for details of courses. Offers of help for support boat duties should contact [dutyman@](mailto:dutyman@)

bhyc.org.uk Race Officers should arrive **1 hour** before the race start. Crews should report to the Race Officer **1 hour** prior to Committee Boat (CB) Start and at least **45 minutes** before a Home (H) Start.

## **NOVICES**

There is not a specific race for Novices outside the Cadet and Novice Regatta on the 28th August. However any novice is **always welcome** to join in any race and we will try to have a coach on the water to assist you round the course. If on any day there are a number of Novices who would like to race separately we will try to organise a separate course. A novice is someone with less than two seasons' racing experience. In each single-hander (including Scows) the helm must be a novice but an experienced advisor may be carried.

## **BHYC REGATTA**

The BHYC Regatta will be on 26th and 27th August. Details and racing instructions will be available on the BHYC website and in the East Wight Combined Clubs website ([www.ewcc.co.uk](http://www.ewcc.co.uk)) and their Programme which also provides information on other local regattas. The Cadet Regatta will be on 28th August, There will be a race outside the harbour followed by fun and games off the clubhouse. Full details will be posted on the notice board

Bembridge Village Regatta on Saturday 29th July, hosted by BHYC with BSC. This is followed on the Saturday 5th August by the EWCC Dinghy Regatta.

Scow Open Championships will take place on Sunday 6th August, Parade of Sail around the fort on Tuesday 1st August.

Full details of all the Regattas can be found in the East Wight Combined Clubs (EWCC) Programme available from the Club bar from April.

## **INTER-CLUB RACING**

Apart from the EWCC Regattas, there are 'home and away' interclub team events for Scows. These are against Yarmouth and other local clubs. BHYC competes with four other clubs in Mermaids and a team race against SVYC during June and July. Dates for these will appear in this Programme. All are welcome to these events both to sail and support.

## **WAYFARERS AND SWANS**

The Wayfarer Series for the coveted Wayfarer Cup will run throughout the season. The Wayfarer Shield will be awarded to the crew who have managed the most race starts over the course of the season.

With the growing number of Swans within the club we shall include a special series of 10 races throughout the season for a Swan Cup. The Club has a Swan "Scotty Swan" that can be hired for these races. There is also a budding Swan Owner section starting to get as many Swans sailing as possible.

## **HIRE OF CLUB BOATS**

There are a number of Club boats that can be hired when there is a Club event on. If you wish to book a boat then please fill in the interactive form on the website and submit it.

## **CUPS & TROPHIES**

Cups and Trophies will be awarded to the overall winners in the Fast Handicap, Slow Handicap and Scow Class in each of the series. The Sailing Committee will consider the addition of cups for other classes at the end of the season.

The prizes will be presented twice a year. At the **Fitting out supper** in March prizes will be presented for the Frostbite and Icebreaker series also special prizes such as "The most single handed races" for the previous year.

At the **Laying up supper** in September all the prizes from the Easter to the Autumn Series are presented along with the special races for that season.

Any cups or trophies for the regattas will be presented on the last day of those Regattas as laid out in the EWCC programme.

A full breakdown of the prizes presented and the winners is available on the BHYC Web site via the Club's results page.

## **"LAST OF THE SUMMER WINE" GROUP**

This team does amazing things! A mix of retired talent from all walks of life who carry out projects around the Club and celebrate their completion with a jug of ale! Projects this year have included rebuilding pontoons, maintenance of gangways and refurbishment of the workboat "Goshawk" and work around the site. You do not need to be a sailor to be a part of this team so if you wish to join in please come down on a Wednesday morning and see the crowd or contact David Godfrey at [davegodfrey11@aol.com](mailto:davegodfrey11@aol.com)

# **CRUISING AND MOTOR BOAT SECTION**

## **MOTORBOAT**

Although the BHYC Motor Boat Section has now been incorporated into the Cruising Section and therefore does not technically exist, a small number of us still meet in the Club every Wednesday evening at around 20:30 to put the world to rights and to sink a pint or two. Anybody is welcome to join this gathering whether their motive power is sail or motor. Pre-booking is not necessary – a sense of humour is though! Just turn up and join the mostly light hearted chat.

## **CRUISING**

Captain: Ian Jefferies

## **CRUISING SECTION PROGRAMME 2017**

April 26th - 28th	Cruise to Yarmouth Thursday others join for walk and lunch
May 24th -26th	Cruise
June 12th -14th	Cruise, then on to West Country
July 29th	Cowes week begins
August 5th	Cowes week ends
September 6th - 8th	Cruise
September 15th	Day Cruise combined with walk and lunch
October 13th	Morning walk AGM and lunch
October 18th - 20th	Cruise to Portsmouth
November 17th	Morning walk and lunch
December 1st	Morning walk and lunch
December 8th	Festive supper

Details of each event will be circulated by email, the BHYC Newsletter and the Notice Board. The programme will also be published in the Sailing/Cruiser Section of the club website.

The cruising dates may also be subject to change due to weather and chosen destination.

Please let me know if there are any changes to your email address.  
anneprince.2009@gmail.com

## **CATERING**

Galley opening times and menus can be viewed, and printed if required, by clicking the links on the Club website [www.bhyc.co.uk](http://www.bhyc.co.uk)

If you wish to attend a Club function, please use the booking form displayed on the notice board in the Club Foyer or contact the Club, either by email to [office@bhyc.org.uk](mailto:office@bhyc.org.uk) or by telephone on 01983 872289.

Private parties and functions can be accommodated and catered for. Please speak with a member of the Bar staff for more details.

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