

Skiffs at Castle Cove

A great showing from our Musto Skiff fleet at Castle Cove with Rob Richardson in 1st, Andy Tarboton in 3rd, Andy Rice 8th and John Piatt in 15th.



Sailing Results!



Tom Moore at Paignton

Tom Moore joined former member Pete Mackin pushing him hard for strong 2nd place at the POSH Rooster National Tour

ITCA Rooster Topper Southern Area Traveller series at Hamble River Sailing Club

Our Topper sailors in action again in a sunny Hamble River! Reuben Wealthy and Joel Keen coming in 2nd & 3rd in the 4.2 rig with Lucas Keen and Thomas Robinson also in 2nd & 3rd place in the 5.2. Consistent results from Team Topper!



Club Racing – with just a month left for the Weds & Sun Spring series it all to play for!

In the Asymm FH fleet, Bruce & Dan are battling Weds whereas Alex and Andy are fighting it out on Sundays. Dinghy fleet has Jeremy & Oliver in the Weds battle and Jason & Emma on Sundays. Consistent attendance from Nick & Malcolm keep them at the top of the ILCAs on Weds but it is Charlotte who is leading the way on Sundays. Gary, Dave and Andy are top of the Cats and it is Lucas out in front of the cadets.

Notices!

Sue Sharp is swimming the Solent to raise funds for GAFIRS. She has made some bags, available in the club to sell and has a

Just Giving page :

[Sue Sharp-Solent Swim Just Giving Page](#)

Please support her amazing endeavour!

Europe Nationals at Stokes Bay this weekend!

A reminder to members that we are holding this event from Thursday 29th onwards. Please come and enjoy the club and event. The bar is open Thursday, Friday & Saturday evening as well as Sunday from 1200.

Trolley Buggy – see next slide for instructions
These instructions on how members can use the Trolley Buggy for dinghy recovery, will be printed and posted in the club lobby and Rig Store.

**A BIG DAY AT STOKES BAY Sat 14th June
Less than 3 weeks away!!**

Open Morning 0930-1200 Please let Sue Nelson or Debbie know if you can help support the club!

Boat Jumble 10-12 Bring along used boating equipment & clothing to sell (and buy!) Cash is preferable so be prepared with change, or arrange a BACs transfer

Please email Debbie or Dave Moy if you wish to have table top space at the boat jumble administator@stokesbay-sc.co.uk

Turk Trophy The annual competition between local sailing clubs at **Stokes Bay 1230 first race start**. Many of our members will be doing their best to retain the trophy!

If you are not sailing then come down to watch all the action – bar is open!

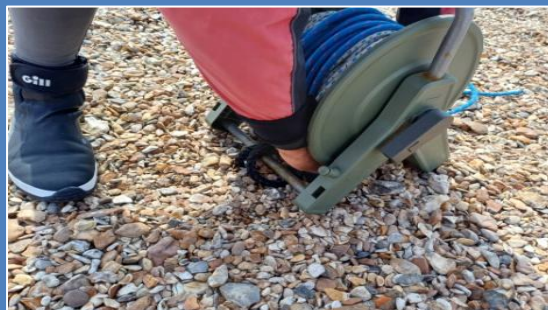
Please can members come down and cut their berths as the growing season is in full swing!! This will be beneficial to you & your near berth neighbours too. 😊



Using the Trolley Buggy to aid self-recovery of dinghies



Start! Buggy & tackle reel kept in west store



Step 1 Secure reel to ramp stop at top of slipway



Step 2 Ramp stop fed underneath reel towards the sea



Step 3 Secure ramp stop to blue line with a bowline



Step 4 Using snap shackle attach tackle to buggy



Step 5 With thick blue line set the reach down the beach



Step 6 With both lines extended, bring trolley buggy to meet your boat trolley



Step 7 Attach trolley buggy to boat trolley



Step 8 Pull in the blue/ white line



Step 9 Secure blue/white line to black cleat for 3 part purchase



Step 10 Once boat is recovered, rewind blue/white line onto reel ready for next user



Finish - Return Trolley Buggy to west store

A catamaran version of this is in the design stage

GOSPORT MARINE FESTIVAL

SBSC had a fabulous day at Gosport Marine Festival on Saturday 17 May, working alongside at St. Mary's Junior Sailing Club, we got 136 children sailing! Thank you to all involved; The Shires family were fabulous with Charlie and Poppy Shires there all day, thanks also to the Jones family, Alice and Hannah, an inspirational job helming! Stuart Jones, thank you for stepping in to an Oppie too! Also big thank you to our shoreside team; Carina Jones , Andy Kelley, Carl Downing, Lynda Reed. To our helms, Samuel Wade, Reuben Wealthy and Charlie Shires, to Nick and Ann Harrison for transport. And from SMJSC Sandra, Andrew, Erin, Emily and Lucia.

HOLD THE DATE FOR 2026 – 16 May!!

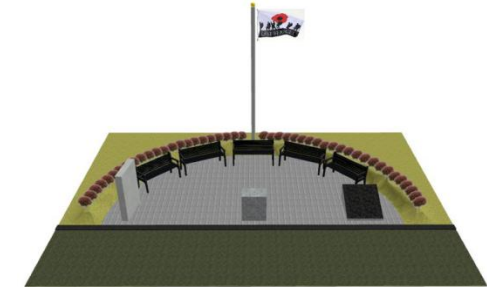


D- Day Memorial



You may have noticed works being undertaken to the west of the sailing club, this will be a new Memorial, dedicated to all who left from Stokes Bay on 06 June 1944 for the D-Day landings. This has been the result of an on-going project and dedication by the Gosport D-Day Fellowship, of which Tony Belben was a founding member.

The unveiling will be on Thursday 05 June, at 11.00. Dignitaries and invited guests will gather and march from the club, the control centre for the D-Day logistics.



Adult Sailing Nights 2025:



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Open to Full, Social & Watersports members

These sessions are aimed at beginners and intermediates of all ages; those that are a little rusty or need to gain more sailing or racing confidence.

Led and run by our own very experienced sailing members

Participants can use their own or club boats, just let us know in advance

ADULT SAILING DATES:

Friday 06 June
Friday 20 June
Friday 11 July
Friday 25 July

The Bar and Galley will be open each Friday for sailors & spectators!

If you would like to volunteer to assist on the evening, we need help in a variety of roles please contact Anna, anna.m.wood@icloud.com for more info.



How to register?

Email Lynda the following:-

- ❖ Name
- ❖ Telephone Number
- ❖ Level of Experience
- ❖ Club or own boat

Lyndareed.socialsbsc@outlook.com

You can book for any or all the above sessions.

To assist in planning please book your place in advance.

Meet 6pm, ready to launch at 7pm

ASN's are back for 2025 and this year we want our watersports members to be involved too!!

Paddling, swimming or bobbing come down and join in.

If conditions allow, we will have the club kayaks available for our members to use on the night! Or if you prefer, bring your own paddle board. We would love to see as many people on & in the water as possible!!

**Bar and Galley –
open from 6.30pm!**