## **SOLENT R.C.M.Y.C Scale Section**



#### **NEWSLETTER**

### Spring 2023

#### Welcome everyone to the Spring Newsletter.

#### **Captains Chat**

Well as soon as we thought Spring had sprung another cold snap appears to have kept our members at home in the warm. The Seasons have had an interesting effect on the Pond from almost drying out, frozen, flooding, and daunting potholes on the road! The flooding is slowly reducing after a very dry February and a large quantity of Road material has been deposited in the carpark which I assume is intended to fill the potholes, hopefully by the time you read this.

You will now be aware that we have scheduled our AGM for April, a Navy Day, a new style Sailing Day and an Exhibition. Our objective is to encourage a gentle recovery post COVID and get everyone involved again in activities after a long period of hibernation.

I am also aware that some of our Members have not been in the best of health over the last few months so I would like to wish you all a good recovery, the best of health and hope to see you all at the Pond in the near future.

Finally, a warm welcome to our new Members.

#### Charles

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#### **Dates for your Diary**

19 <sup>m</sup> April	AGM,	Church Hall,	Greenbanks	Close,	Milford o	n Sea,	SO41	0SQ

28<sup>th</sup> May Navy Day at Setley Pond

18th June Sailing Day at Setley Pond

23<sup>rd</sup> Sept Exhibition – Milford on Sea Community Centre, Sea Road,

Milford on Sea, SO41 0PH

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#### Membership 2022

As everyone should now be aware the club will be collecting subs this year. They are due 1 April onwards.

 Sole
 £10.00

 Joint
 £15.00

 Family
 £20.00

 Junior
 £ 5.00

#### **Bank Charges**

The club would like to advise members that the Bank now charge the club £5.00 per month for the account and the following charges.

Credit paid over counter £0.40 Cash cheque paid in £0.40

Cash paid in 0.40% of the value deposited.

Bill Payments into the account Free Standing orders paid into the account Free

The club would therefore prefer for subs to be made by Bill payment (bank to bank) but will still take cheques and cash.

The Club are in the process of opening an account with another Bank which is free. Hopefully by the AGM this will be completed.

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#### Newsletter and Website

The club are still going to produce Newsletters, hopefully 3 times a year.

If you would like an article or information included in the Newsletter, please advise Lorna and if you would like articles, information, photo's etc included on the website please contact Peter Taylor who will be happy to assist you.

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#### <u>Clothing</u>

The club have the following items for sale in all sizes.

Fleeces, Sweatshirts, Polo Shirts, Pilot Shirts, Caps (all one size)

Prices are on the website. if you would like any item of clothing, please contact Lorna.

#### **Badges**



Available now. Club enamel badges, badge diameter 25mm price is only £2.00each, they will be sold at the pond or can be posted, please contact Lorna if you would like one.

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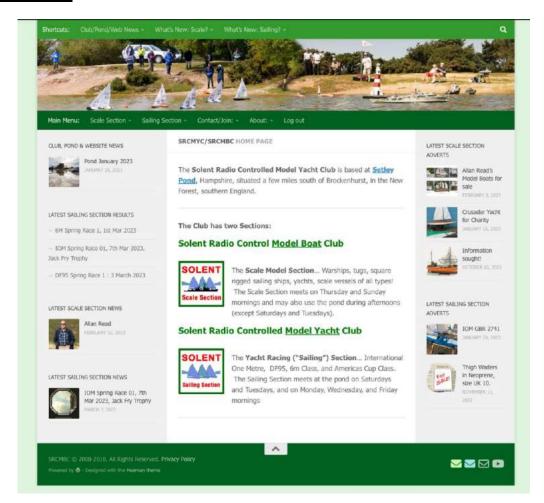
#### **Keyrings**



Peter a member in South Africa has recently made the club scale and sailing keyrings, the club are selling them for £2.00 each, if anyone would like one, please contact Lorna.

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#### **Club Website**



The above is how the Website looks on the home page, if anyone would like to put any articles, photos, information for everyone to read and enjoy, please contact Peter or Lorna.

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#### **Boats for sale or free**

On the Adverts page of the club website the club have some boats for sale, have a look and if interested contact current owner or Lorna.

Or if any member would like to sell their boats, please contact Peter Taylor or Lorna to arrange items to be put on website.

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#### **Members Information**

Please visit the Website regularly as this is the place for important information, Exhibitions, what's going on, new information, Boats for sale.

Please read your emails it might be important, and sometimes saves a phone call.

If any member has recently changed address or any other information, please advise Lorna.

Please wear your badge at the pond at all times, it helps the committee and other members, as in recent years new members have joined.

If you have lost yours or need a replacement badge, please contact Lorna.

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#### Forestry England

When sailing any motorboat or yacht, please could all members follow the Setley Pond operating rules enclosed in this newsletter, and keep to your section. Please be sensible as the Forestry have limited the club to 12 boats on the water, it is in everyone's interest to be safe when sailing, also please be considerate to other members who want to sail, this might mean taking your boat off the water to enable another member to sail.

Sailing times are 9am to 7 pm.

The Sailing Section are in the process of renewing the permit for this year, the club. will advise when completed. It has been signed but the sailing section is just waiting for invoice, the club will keep you up to date.

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#### Club contact details

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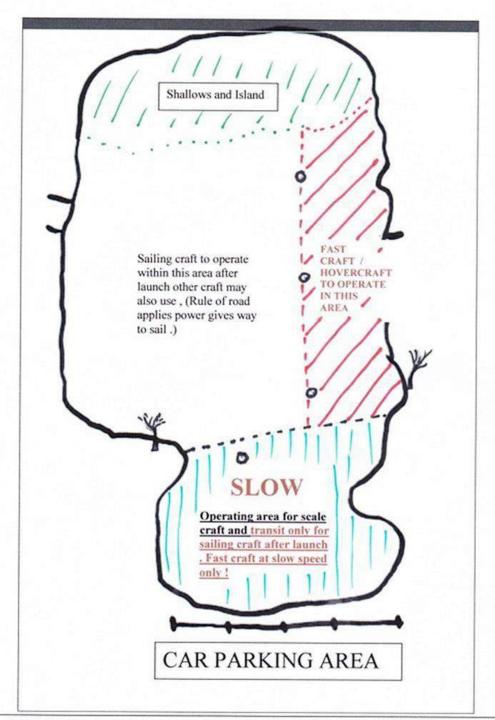
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# SETLEY POND OPERATING AREAS ON CLUB DAYS



Note re <u>FAST CRAFT AND HOVERCRAFT OPERATIONS</u>: These may be operated at high speed only within the designated area, operators should be able to see and control their craft at all times and take action to avoid collisions. During times when fast craft are not operating others may use this area but be prepared to exit it and remain clear it if required.

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#### **NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

#### Wednesday 19th April 2023

# At All Saints Milford, Greenbanks Close, Milford on Sea SO41 0SQ (Where we used to have September Exhibition) TIME... 7.00 PM

#### **AGENDA**

- 1. Minutes of last meeting (see website for details)
  - 2. Matters Arising
  - 3. Captains Report
  - 4. Treasurers Report
- 5. Election of Officers and Committee for 2023/2024
  - 6. Website Update\_... Peter Taylor
  - 7. Club Exhibition at Milford on Sea
    - 8. Club events for 2023
      - 9. Xmas Lunch

**12.AOB** 

# NOMINATION FOR AN OFFICER OR COMMITTEE MEMBER FOR 2023/2024 TO BE ELECTED AT THE AGM TO BE HELD SRING 2023.

I would like to nominate for the
position of and he/she agrees to serve.
Signature of Nominee
Proposed
Seconded
If anyone would like to complete this form, please do so now and return it to Lorna, also if anyone would like to discuss the positions and what it would entail, please contact Lorna.