



Llandudno Sailing Club News and Views

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GP14 Welsh Championship Saturday 23rd & Sunday 24th June

Mirror Welsh Championship

Thank you to all those who contributed to the success of this event. Although the weather proved unsuitable for sailing on Sunday, everyone was highly complimentary about the Saturdays racing, the friendly atmosphere and our organisation.

The Mirrors will be back next year for their Nationals, which is likely to be over a four day period. Once we have looked at the tides, we will fix dates and let you know.

One down and two to go! The next one is not very far off, in fact only three weeks away! The

GP14 Welsh Championship

takes place on Saturday and Sunday 23rd and 24th June. We anticipate a similar number of entries for this event with the same number of workers. As before we will be mixing old hands and new hands in the race committee so that everyone can get a little more experience. The duty roster will be on the NB shortly.

Are you out there?

Who? My successor! I intend to resign from my position as Championship Secretary at the next AGM in November. It would be much easier if someone stepped forward now to shadow me on the organisation of the GP Welsh Champ and the 9er Nationals. It is a very interesting job but after nearly 30 years of being involved at all levels, I think it is time to hand over to someone else – Tony Lockett

Kitchen & Bar rotas

In addition to the activities on the water, the kitchen and bar have to be staffed. Over the Mirror weekend help was a little thin on the ground particularly in the kitchen. Please ensure that you sign up early so that the work load can be more evenly distributed.

Southport Junior Twelve Hour Race

Saturday 30th June

Come and support our Junior Team in this first ever Twelve hour race.

Venue Cymru

Over the weekend of the Mirror Championship, Venue Cymru hosted a major event in the new Exhibition Hall. This required the 'ramp' to be placed outside the doors of the emergency exit onto our car park. This was for the two events (one the previous weekend) only.

The Management Committee will be looking into how this worked and the impact it had on our parking arrangements, etc. Meanwhile, members are requested not to approach any staff from Venue Cymru with regard to this matter until the Management Committee have reviewed the situation.

Club logo clothing

Samples of the new range of clothing (hoodies, sweatshirts, polo shirts, fleeces) are on display behind the bar with prices.
Orders to Hugh Lomas

Dates! Dates! Dates!

Saturday June 9th Development Committee @ 10.30
Monday June 11th Sailing Committee @ 18.45
Management Committee @ 19.30

Saturday June 23rd and
Sunday June 24th **GP14 Welsh Championship**
Saturday June 30th Southport Junior Twelve Hour Race

Constable Buoy Race

This will take place on either the 3rd June or the 17th June. For those new to the Club, this is a race out to the West Constable Buoy, approximately 5 miles due north of the Club. Because this is out into the open sea the conditions have to be right for the race to take place. An alternative race is scheduled in the Bay if the Constable Buoy race cannot take place.

Only experienced sailors should take part in this race.

Bar Duty

6th June Ian Dickson
13th June David Williams
20th June David Hatcher

23rd & 24th June **GP14 Welsh Championship – see duty roster**

27th June Stan Ellis
4th July Chris Jowett

The Bar Duty list for the next six months has been placed on the door of the bar.

Please check your duty dates and note the telephone numbers of the barman on duty before and after yourself.

Recycling

There are now three separate bins, clearly labelled, for cans, bottles and other items. Please make sure that YOU place the articles in the correct bin.

Tying boats down

In April there were a couple of days of very strong winds. Several boats were observed rocking back and forth on their trailers, one had actually half blown over and was only being held in place by its mast resting against another mast. Insurance companies take a dim view of damage caused by this lack of care, but more importantly, damage to other members boats can cause some bad feeling in the club, particularly if it means missing out on their racing.

It is the owner's responsibility to ensure that their craft is securely tied down in the dinghy park!

Everything comes to him who goes after the things that other people are waiting for