



ROYAL NAVAL SAILING ASSOCIATION FALMOUTH BRANCH AND THE ROYAL CORNWALL YACHT CLUB



CRUISING PROGRAMME 2019

Once again this year we have a combined programme RNSA and RCYC – we have many members in common and historically our most successful ventures have been as 'Combined Ops'

The weather is always the deciding factor and fortunately we already know that due to the considerable power of 'positive thought' this summer is going to be yet another outstanding one so please plan to attend every meeting – they will happen!!

We start with an evening bash in April at the RCYC organised by our Associate Members that is designed to be fully inclusive for all RNSA and RCYC Cruising people. John, Francis and George will let us know the full details when it is set up with the club.

We have included some interesting events in the Falmouth area that RNSA members may like to include in their cruising planning.

The programme is also entered in to the new RNSA Events Calendar in the members section of the website www.rnsa.org.uk

We hope to see as many of you as possible at the meets – please bring along, or pass along this programme to, any RNSA/RCYC Members that you may know off that may wish to join in. Email contact for us is: rnsafalmouth@gmail.com

4th April – Start the Season at RCYC

An evening social gathering en-mass at the RCYC to get the season going. Details on RCYC Weekly News letter

4th May Bank Holiday Meet at Helford [HW 1810 ish]

R/V in the Helford at 1600. Afternoon/evening session at HRSC.

24 May - 2 June [Fal River Festival](#)

25th May [HW 1000ish] Meet at Gillan – Picnic/BBQ on the quay.

Anchor off or 'borrow a mooring for a lunchtime meet.

1st June - [Azores and Back Race](#) Start - Falmouth

6th June NL75 - 75th Anniversary of the Normandy Landings - RNSA Meet
See RNSA website for details

14th - 16th June [Falmouth Classics](#) and [Sea Shanty Festival](#)

22nd June Queen's Birthday Mis-Musters - Roundwood Quay BBQ meet
[HW 2120ish]

'Splice the Mainbrace' on the Quay at 1900 - Loyal Toast

Meet afloat Roundwood Quay. - For details of location see:

<http://goo.gl/maps/1wtPW>

BBQ and walks in the woods - swimming and water sports from the quay.
Crabbing competition for the kids young and old
A fabulous location and always popular
Midsummer evening meet, walk and BBQ. Bring your own food to burn and a BBQ or
double up with someone.

13th - 14th July Meet at Fowey [HW 1545ish]

Reserved pontoon if numbers warrant. Meal ashore at RFYC or Gallants.

1st Aug Mid Week meet with RCYC Meanderers - TBD Coordinated with Hugh
Kellett 1300 Lunch - **numbers please**

9th - 18th August [Falmouth Week](#)

18th - 24th August [Fowey Regatta Meet](#)

Impromptu meet at Fowey for their Regatta - usual meet up is on the Wednesday,
rafting where able.

7th September Fish and Chip Supper in Meva (HW 1200ish)

A meet at Mevagissy - the crowds have nearly gone and enough room for 6 or more
boats on fore and afts in the harbour at all tides. Or anchor off if you prefer.

Fish and Chip supper in the Fountain Inn - yummy!! **Numbers needed to book please**
- see emails nearer the time.

Plan B - St Mawes - Rising Sun

November/December

Laying up/end of season/pre Christmas meet up - details to follow

RNSA Meet Afloat Protocol

- A Meet Afloat is declared valid when 2 or more boats join up at the declared location
- First vessel on scene assumes 'Meet Lead'
- To assist in achieving a meet afloat - all vessels are requested to set watch on IMM #77 30 mins before Meet Afloat start time.
- Photographic evidence of the meet and any general good times is to be submitted if possible
- Results of Boules Matches, Horse Balls or Geocaching are to be recorded.

We hope that you will be able to join in with the programme and all are welcome to take part whether RNSA or RCYC or both. For most of the events then it is just a matter of turning up.

The events that are highlighted in red we will need to know numbers for meal bookings etc and deposits may be required. We will let you know a bit nearer the time.

Let's all hope for a good summer - See you on the water

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