



Gravesend Sailing Club Newsletter – January 2019

Happy New Year

Environment Agency Floodgate Replacement - Ongoing

Safety

May I remind members that parts of our North Yard are being used by the contractors and you should take notice of the barriers and not stray past them.

Liaising with the site management team

We have a working group that has been meeting with the EA and the site contractors and will continue to do so during the work. I would ask that if you have any concern or queries you should either email

Commodore@gravesendsc.org.uk or phone the club duty number and we will find the answer.

Ladders

If you have ladder in the South Yard please make sure that it is secured; any that aren't will be removed and chained up by the facilities committee.

Jobs List

Roy has had some responses to his request for help with jobs around the club in last newsletter. However he would like more and asks that you email him directly at royt.firefly@outlook.com

Roy's Job list

Floor repair to soft patch in bar

Prepare and liquid polish main clubroom floor (and bar and galley) (polish available)

Lay new flooring to corridor between bunkrooms (material available)

Renew missing part of corridor ceiling next to gents toilet (Paul Robbins has volunteered but will need a helper)

Renew missing part of exterior soffit above outside door

Replace light fitting to external soffit with LED one

Clean off damaged paintwork in the double sized shower, paint the wall with anti-damp and emulsion. (Paint available)

Remove ceiling fan from West Wing

Patch plaster repairs to small areas in West Wing

Topcoat to loft hatch and frame in West Wing (paint available)

Shampoo carpet in West Wing

Coat of woodstain to window frames in West Wing

Hang new door to West Wing

Finish application of reflective paint to roof of extension (paint available)

Renew worktop and fix frame outside galley (under window)

Remove old yale lock from external door and fill hole and make good.

Fix new anchorage point for club mast (require chemical fixing and large drill, we have a suitable bit)

High tide times in italics are after sunset or before sunrise.
 All times are local.
 Tides for Gravesend are indicative only and not to be used for navigation.

January 2019	
15	06:18 (5.4m) Tue 19:10 (5.3m)
16	07:21 (5.3m) Wed 20:23 (5.3m)
17	08:42 (5.3m) Thu 21:39 (5.5m)
18	10:03 (5.5m) Fri 22:42 (5.7m)
19	11:07 (5.8m) Sat 23:37 (6.0m)
20	12:02 (6.1m) Sun -
21	00:27 (6.2m) Mon 12:53 (6.3m)
22	01:14 (6.3m) Tue 13:42 (6.5m)
23	02:00 (6.4m) Wed 14:30 (6.6m)
24	02:45 (6.5m) Thu 15:17 (6.5m)
25	03:30 (6.4m) Fri 16:04 (6.4m)
26	04:15 (6.3m) Sat 16:52 (6.2m)
27	05:00 (6.1m) Sun 17:42 (5.9m)
28	05:50 (5.9m) Mon 18:37 (5.6m)
29	06:50 (5.6m) Tue 19:45 (5.4m)
30	08:08 (5.4m) Wed 20:56 (5.4m)
31	09:24 (5.4m) Thu 22:02 (5.5m)
February 2019	
01	10:29 (5.6m) Fri 22:59 (5.7m)
02	11:24 (5.7m) Sat 23:47 (5.8m)
03	12:10 (5.8m) Sun -
04	00:29 (5.9m) Mon 12:50 (5.9m)
05	01:04 (5.9m) Tue 13:25 (5.9m)
06	01:35 (6.0m) Wed 13:58 (6.0m)
07	02:05 (6.0m) Thu 14:31 (6.0m)
08	02:36 (6.1m) Fri 15:05 (6.0m)
09	03:08 (6.1m) Sat 15:39 (5.9m)
10	03:42 (6.0m) Sun 16:14 (5.8m)
11	04:17 (5.9m) Mon 16:51 (5.7m)
12	04:57 (5.8m) Tue 17:33 (5.5m)
13	05:43 (5.6m) Wed 18:24 (5.4m)
14	06:41 (5.4m) Thu 19:30 (5.2m)

Dates for your Diary

Saturday 19th January – Moroccan Evening Meal (1830)

Come along and enjoy an evening of Moroccan food at GSC on Saturday 19th January. One of our members has kindly offered to cook up a delightful 3 course Moroccan feast. Costing £16 per person.

On the menu:

Starter

Spiced vegetable soup (v) or Tomato and lentil soup with minced lamb

Main

Lamb shoulder Ras El Honout or Roast Moroccan style Chicken or Roast squash ravine (v) all served with rice/couscous

Dessert

A selection of traditional Moroccan desserts (v)

Spaces are limited to 40 persons, so please book to avoid disappointment! We also need to know which starter and main dish you would like, so please send us your choices when you book.

To book your place and give your choices please contact the social team via email or phone:-

Email: Social@gravesendsc.org.uk

Tel: 07769177942

Saturday February 2nd – New Members Tea (1900 Hours)

Last year we held a buffet for new members before the AGM and this appears to have been quite successful, so we are doing it again this year. As the AGM starts at 2000 this is a good opportunity to for members to meet and welcome the new members to the club beforehand while having some finger food.

Saturday February 2nd Annual General Meeting (2000 Hours)

The notice for the 124th Annual General Meeting will be going out in the post shortly. This is your opportunity to have your say in the running of the club and to ask questions of the General Committee. It is also the time when the new committee for the following year is elected; a notice is available in the clubhouse. Supporting documents for the meeting will be emailed out to those with an email address before the meeting.