

SailTime

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TSSC Hosts 2K meeting

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SailTime in-house magazine for Thornton Steward Sailing Club

Thornton Steward Sailing Club

Welcome all new members



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volunteer ethos of the club
....Mike*



Welcome to this August/September edition of SailTime.

A particular warm welcome to the recent influx of new members joining us over the last few months following our Open Day held in May, as this maybe the first SailTime issue received.

Many of our new members have joined through Catterick Garrison Sailing Club's (CGSC) group membership with TSSC and it's great to see some new faces at the club.

For the benefit of all, but particularly useful for new members, the following housekeeping tips should be taken on board (pun intended!).

There are a number of new security measures in place, see the details [here](#) and familiarise yourself with the new arrangements. Having suffered a recent break-in, we don't want a repeat.

Safety boat duty is an integral part of the volunteer ethos of the club....All single and family members are required to complete a minimum of 2 x SB duties during the season, even if you're only intending to use the club for Paddleboarding or Kayaking, all memberships enjoy the full facilities of the club, so, there is a trade off and a requirement to step up for your Safety Boat duty!

Our Bosun, Syd Nye, runs SB familiarisation days throughout the season, and it is important that all volunteers complete a session with Syd to understand all aspects of the TSSC Safety Boat duty, including boat handling and equipment preparation.....Plus whizzing around the water in the powerboat is great fun!

The SB-Fam course is free, based on 2 members per session, so a really useful day on/off the water learning the ropes (and knots and other stuff too!). Book a session with Syd, through our booking page [here](#)

The club operates a tuck shop, with Sweets, Crisps, Cakes, Cold Drinks as well as Tea & Coffee. A price list is displayed and a box for payment provided. Recording your purchases is necessary to control the inventory, however if you don't always have cash to hand, you can buy a "TuckCred" in advance, details can be found in this publication [here](#).

Want to use a club craft? The club has Fusion Dinghies, Paddleboards, Toppers, Wanderer and a Laser to hire through our booking system. Visit the [booking page](#) on our website to access the portal. Warning: Should you be venturing out on the water alone, please be mindful of the conditions and your own abilities... If in doubt, don't go out!

During the summer school holidays the club runs 4-day Junior courses for up to 12 Youths on each course, if you or family members are interested, see booking system for details, please also see the note from our safeguarding officer [here](#) regarding changing facilities when courses are running.

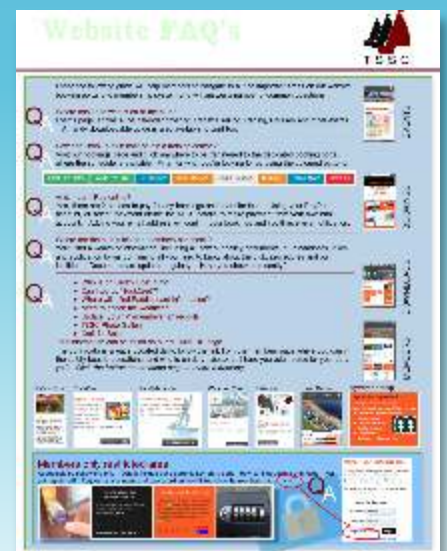
N.B. When a Junior course is in operation, our safeguarding officer would like to remind other members that the changing rooms in the clubhouse are reserved for Junior use and that the Annexe must be used for other changing facilities. The

room annexe is lockable and entry is by door code C1678. *Mike- Editor*



Safety Boat Rota

I have reproduced an earlier Q & A article all about the club website, booking system and membership portal as a reminder for members new or old (or even very old!)... of [where](#) to find information about the club. See [page 8](#) in this publication.



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“ **Racing.....**

It's the taking part that counts! ”

Sunday race series results can be downloaded and viewed by clicking the full result link below



Sunday Summer Series AM & PM Race results are in - summarised below.

Sun AM Series Summary

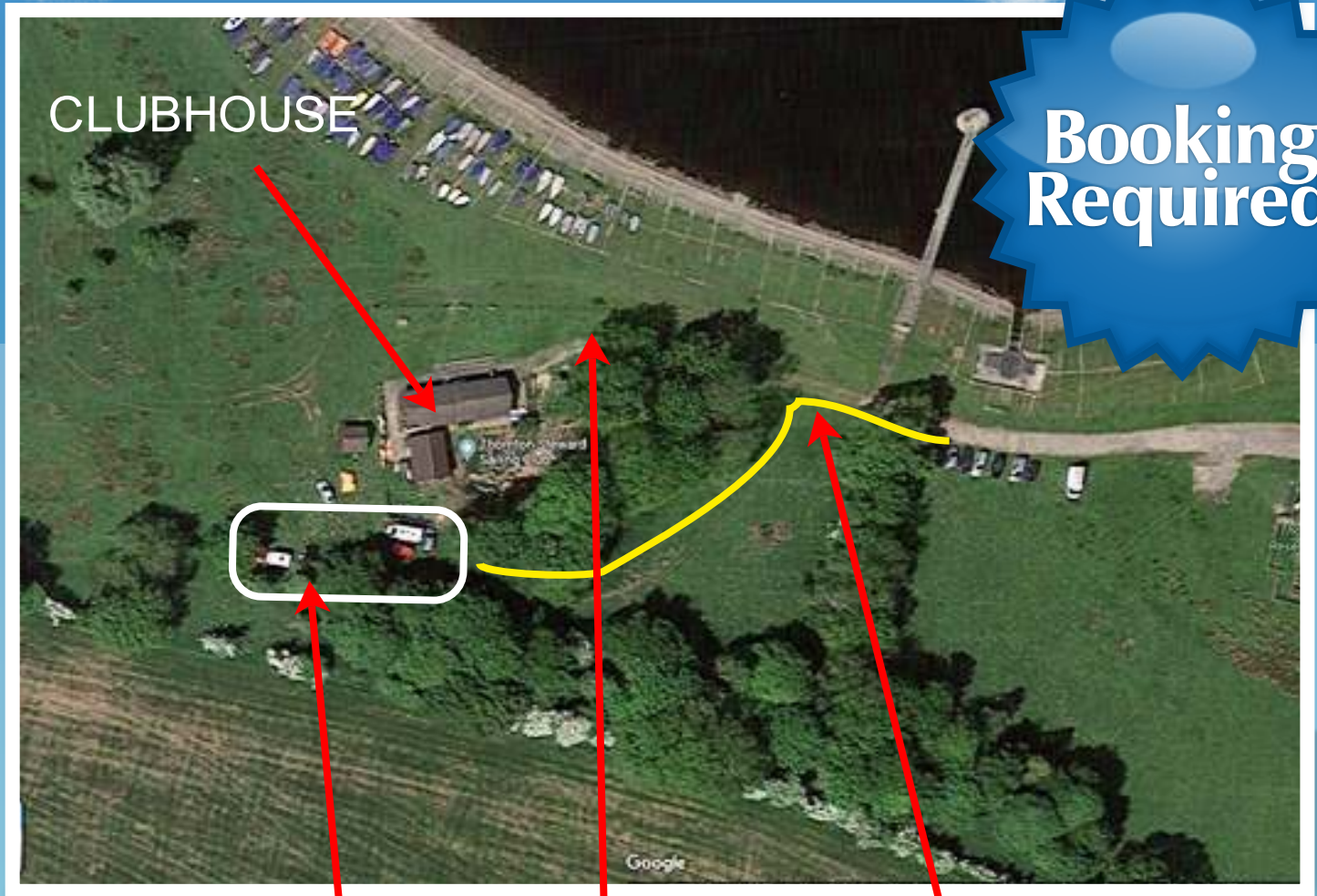
Series Results		1	5	7	8	11	Total Points	Discard	Score	Position
Trevor Bradley	2000	1	13	1	1	1	17	14	3	1
Phil Davies	Supernova	13	1	2	13	2	31	26	5	2
Ruth Pink	Fusion	RO	13	13	7		33	26	7	3
Jonathan Davey	Laser	3	3	13	2	3	24	16	8	4
Dave Sedgwick	Comet	2	13	13	13		41	26	15	5
Nick Hatch	Laser	13	2	13	13		41	26	15	6
Jacob Hyde	Laser	13	13	3	13		42	26	16	7
Kay Marriott	Hartley 12	13	13	13	3		42	26	16	8
Merrin Froggett	Hartley 12	13	13	13	4		43	26	17	9
Dave Oldacres	Laser	13	13	13	5		44	26	18	10
Ethan	Enterprise	13	13	13	6		45	26	19	11
Mike Smith	Laser	13	13	13	13	4	56	26	30	12

Sun PM Series Summary

Name	Craft	1	2	7	13	Total Points	Discard	Score	Position
Trevor Bradley	2000	11	3	1	1	16	14	2.0	1
Phil Davies	Supernova	1	2	11	2	16	13	3.0	2
Nick Hatch	Laser	3	1	11	11	26	22	4.0	3
Jonathan Davey	Laser	11	11	2	3	27	22	5.0	4
Ruth Pink	Fusion	2	4	6	11	23	17	6.0	5
Tom Pink	Laser	4	5	11	11	31	22.0	9.0	6
Mike Smith	Laser	5	6	11	4	26	17.0	9.0	7
Kay Marriott	Hartley 12	11	11	3	11	36	22	14.0	8
Nathan	Enterprise	11	11	4	11	37	22	15.0	9
Merrin Frogett	Hartley 12	11	11	5	11	38	22	16.0	10

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Camping on site is available from 24th August to 1st September



Booking
Required

PITCH

BBQ'S

ACCESS

CAMPING WEEK

Yorkshire Water grant TSSC times during the year when members are permitted to camp on site at the Club.

The next available week is 24th Aug to 1st Sept 2024.

The area where we can pitch tents/caravans, and the access route is shown in the image below.

**** Please only use the access route marked ****

The public have access to the Reservoir at all times, so be mindful of their enjoyment of the peace and tranquillity of the location.

Please observe the Countryside Code

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/1009626/countryside-code-summary.pdf

In particular no fires or BBQs except at the Club facilities, marked on the image above.

It would be appreciated if the last user at the end of each day would lock up the Clubhouse, and the Compound gates. *Enjoy!*



Thornton Steward Sailing Club

News from the Clubhouse

Tuckcred -- A reminder that for your convenience, we operate an advance payment option to buy credits for use in the tuck shop.... But it does rely on people recording their purchases and also keeping a running total of their balance remaining and of course topping up when needed.

Graham, our head of Tuck - points out that TuckCred is not a "slate" system and an up-front payment is required!



Buy your TUCKCRED
by visiting the TSSC purchase
shop here

People paying cash on the day also need to be reminded to record their purchases in the cash book please to aid stock and inventory control

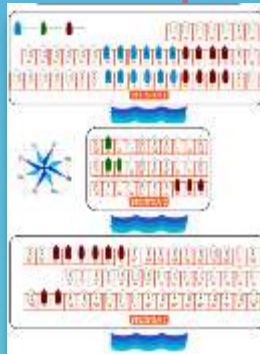
The tuck shop is operated on an honesty box basis.... Non-payers will be asked to walk the plank!

Graham Whittall

Boat Berth survey... Are your records up to date?

We are conducting our annual Boat Berth audit to check berth numbers and craft/s against the membership records.

If you find there are discrepancies between your MymemberMojo record and your berth/s in the boat park, please inform the membership sec [here](#)



You can check your membership record by visiting MYmembermojo...instructions for accessing your membership account is provided in the Q&A section of this publication.

<<<<<< [here](#)

Mike Smith



Words from the Treasurer:

Following the most recent committee meeting, our Treasurer - Ruth reported the club's finances were on an even keel and in a healthy position.

We never know what's around the corner, such as our recent break-in has proved....costing a substantial amount, even with insurance claims. Through Ruth's hard work and careful budgetary controls and financial management, we will live to sail away into the coming year!

Thanks Ruth.

From our Bosuns

Bob has repaired both club Wanderers, all the kit is in the boats and ready to go. Hire through the booking system.

Currently all the Toppers have training sails fitted to the masts, we've been using the craft for the youth sailing courses, however, if you want to use a Topper with a full sail, you can find the full size sails on the Topper shelf. Remove the training sail (put it on the shelf in its bag) and fit the full sail.

Following the theft of the Suzuki Outboard, we have trialed the 10hp Honda engine on the Blue boat and surprisingly, it was a success, far more stable than the stolen engine, however we recommend using the Blue boat for instructors and assisting with training only.

We have been gifted a Laser if anyone is interested, it is currently in the trailer park. It's the yellow Laser that hasn't been used for a few years. We have all the kit for it and it is sailable.

A quick reminder....

May we ask that if you are using the Club boats please launch and recover from the slipway, the water level has dropped dramatically, therefore rocks are exposed with a risk of damage away from the slipway, and we would rather no more damage to the boats.

Happy sailing.

Syd & Bob - Club Bosuns



Our Painting party, lead by Graham Whittall has made a good start with the task of repainting the Clubhouse and Annexe, requiring remedial preparation work before the main event can begin.

Can you lend a hand? Contact Graham or ask to be added to the Painting Party WhatsApp group.

TSSC Hosts 2K Event

“ Sunday conditions were challenging!
...Trevor Bradley ”

A great weekend was had when the club hosted our first ever Laser 2K class event

Sat and Sun 15th & 16th June.

6 x Boats entered, 5 from other clubs and our home team of Trevor Bradley and Merrin Froggett made up the 6th entrant.

Although wind conditions on Saturday were light, this was more than compensated for on Sunday, when conditions were “Challenging” to say the least!

With a number of teams camping on site on Friday and Saturday, our planned evening meal of a Pie & Pea supper created a great atmosphere to the end of day 1.


Our superb catering crew led by Kay and Merrin provided not only a splendid 2-course meal on Saturday evening, but bacon rolls, packed lunches and various other cakes and goodies throughout the weekend.....Their hard work and quality of food were complimented by all teams attending.

We also christened our new credit card terminal and managed to take some card payments for food sales too.


With the introduction of Wi-Fi in the clubhouse, the Trooping the Colour coverage was even available on the Club TV!

A successful event all in all, and it is hoped to welcome the event back to TSSC again in future seasons.

Final result....



Thornton Steward Sailing Club
TSSC Bedale North Yorkshire HG4 4BQ



2000 Class Association
Latitude Series
15th and 16th June 2024

SAILING RESULTS – Final Results

Sail Number	Helm	Crew	Club	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5	R6	Score	Place
22676	Matthew Hartley	Caitlan Andrews	ASA	2	4	2	1	1	1	7	1
22734	Trevor Bradley	Merrin Froggett	Thornton Steward SC	1	1	1	2	2	2	7	2
22619	Mike McEwing	Alex Wilby	Rutland SC	4	2	4	3	NSC	3	16	3
22694	Alistair Rose	Matt Jackson	Ullswater SC	3	3	3	4	3	4	16	4
2173	Isobel Arkle	Olivia Arkle	Sunderland YC	5	5	5	5	5	5	25	5
22537	Graham King	Joy King	Yorkshire Dales SC	6	6	6	6	Rtd	DNC	31	6

2K event gallery now available....click images below to see full album



Thornton Steward Sailing Club

Website FAQ's



I hope the following guide will help members to navigate to all the important areas on our website, booking portal and membership system and will answer a number of common questions..

Q Where can I see what's on at the club?
A [Events](#) page, shows a live calendar covering: Regatta sailing, Racing, Courses and other events
 A handy downloadable guide is also available to print too.



EVENTS

Q How can I book a club boat or join a training course?
A Visit our bookings page and click anywhere to be transferred to the dedicated booking portal, where the schedule is available. Filter for what you're looking for by using the coloured buttons.



BOOKINGS

Q And....can I Pay online?
A Yes, there are 2 options to pay for any bookings and boat hire fees: Using your PayPal account, or select "payment offline" for BACS details to make payment from your own bank account. Adding your email address will confirm your bookings and you'll receive a notification.

Q Where are the club rules and members handbook?
A You'll find a wealth of information, including all new our policy documents, club handbook, rules and application forms containing all you need to know about the club, procedures and our facilities. Documents are updated regularly....Have you checked recently?



DOWNLOADS

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- Who is on Safety Boat duty?
- Can I top up "TuckCred"?
- Where will I find Paddleboard Information?
- Need to check the weather?
- Update your "Mymembership" records,
- TSSC Photo Gallery
- Craft for Sale

This information can be found on our [MEMBERS](#) page
 The duty rosta is always updated daily, follow the link from the members page where you can see if the safety boat is operational and who is on duty...better still have you volunteered for your duty yet? *Click the button on the same page to make a booking.*



MEMBERS

Safety Boat



TuckCred



Paddleboarding



Weather Check



Sail wear



Boat Berths



MyMembership



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Members only restricted area

As a full member, you can access important information about the running of the club, including policy documents and committee meeting minutes. To enter the restricted area, you will need a login and password. Not registered yet? To receive your log in credentials, request an account.

Login for Access

Username:

Password:

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What's on?

Single class racing will be returning to TSSC on:

8th September for the Laser Trophy and...

22nd September for the Fusion Championships.

Our Annual Bart's Bash racing Sunday will be held on 15th Sept

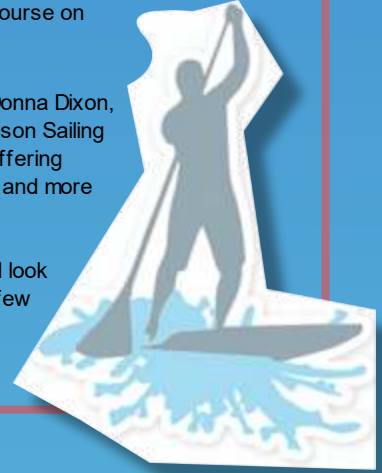


Coming soon!

We hope to stage a SUP training course on Saturday 21st Sept.

Full details to be announced, but Donna Dixon, SUP instructor with Catterick Garrison Sailing Club will be running the course, offering guidance and advice to beginners and more experienced paddlers alike.

Make a note in your calendars and look out for booking details in the next few weeks.



Our annual championship races.

22nd Sept 2024



Sunday 22nd September - Fusion Trophy will consist of three races - First Race 11:30, lunch, then two races back to back starting at 14:00.

Open to single or double hander, reefed Fusion, a Fusion and a Fusion with Genneker. All will be treated equally.

Trophy will be awarded at the annual prize awards evening. Note there are four TSSC Fusions on a first come first served basis, no booking required and it is hoped that the CGSC Fusions may also be available on the day.

Please be ready to rig and prepare a Fusion in time for the start time!

8th Sept 2024



Sunday 8th September - Laser Championships.

Consisting of three races - First Race 11:30, lunch then two races back to back starting at 14:00.

Open to ICLA 4, 6 and 7, Laser 4.7, Laser Radial and Laser.

All will be treated equally.

Trophy will be awarded at the annual prize awards evening.

Note there is only one TSSC Laser available so arrive early, rig and prepare..... or borrow a Laser from a friend!

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With welfare in mind....

From our Welfare Officer....

Use of changing facilities when young people are on site.

When youth courses are taking place at the club or when families are present, changing facilities and use of toilets needs to be separate for adults and children/young people.

During youth courses the changing rooms in the clubhouse are for the use of youths only please.

All adults must use the annexe changing & toilet facilities. Any child / young person who is not on the course may use the clubhouse changing rooms alongside the young people on the course.

Similarly when families are at the club, adults who are not related to children/young people should not be present in changing spaces at the same time as the children/young people.

Children or parents changing with children are therefore asked to use the annexe facilities.

If you have any welfare or safeguarding concerns, please contact me:

My details are on posters in the club house

E: welfare@thornton-steward-sailingclub.co.uk

Or call -

M: 07930340649.

Kay Marriott - Welfare Officer



First Aid Training

On 8th June 4 x TSSC sailors and a visitor from Yorkshire Dales SC did the RYA First Aid course at the club.

The trainer was Ellie Meadows. During the course of the day she taught us how to assess a casualty, and how to deal with injuries including choking, head injuries, concussion, stroke, cold water shock, burns and fractures.

We practised applying bandages to each other, putting the 'casualty' in the recovery position and administering CPR - fortunately for this we were able to practise on dummies rather than each other!

Ellie's teaching methods were superb, she made the course very relevant to us and overall gave us the confidence to 'have a go' if we do find ourselves in a situation where First Aid is required.

She gave us some helpful mnemonics to help remember key points. The course is a requirement for instructors but 2 of us did it simply to acquire new skills & knowledge. I thoroughly enjoyed the day, learned a lot and do now feel equipped to put my new found skills into use.

It is hoped that the course will be run at TSSC again and I would encourage anyone who doesn't have first aid training to do it.

Kay Marriott



Thornton Steward Sailing Club

Stop the spread...



Invasive non natural species (INNS) pose a very real risk to Yorkshire Water operations and Yorkshire's environment and wildlife. They can impact on the ability to provide safe drinking water and return waste water safely to the environment, cause direct harm to human health, reduce local biodiversity, block pipes and valves, clog reservoirs with weed, affect fish and diminish our enjoyment of nature.

As users of a drinking water reservoir we have a real responsibility to protect Thornton Steward from the import of water weeds, killer shrimp, crayfish and more.

At this time of year boats are being moved about for competitions and holidays; SUPs and kayaks are affected too.

If you are bringing or returning equipment to TSSC that wasn't washed down at the last body of water it was used on, you must wash it down on arrival at the club.

Please use the area behind the annexe and the hose reel which is in Trevor's shed.

Yorkshire Water will soon be installing a dedicated hose and water supply behind the annexe - but let's make sure we don't import any little "nasties" in the meantime.

Thanks



2000 Nationals

The 2000 Class Nationals were held at the Royal Torbay YC - a big deal for Trevor as honourable Class President. The class certainly knows how to put on a championship and make it truly family friendly. With several previous champions absent from the field it was a chance for new teams to occupy the leader board.



Trevor and Merrin didn't quite make it into a podium position, finishing one place outside that of the bronze fleet - another 2000 Class twist to keep the lower half of the field of 42 boats competitive to the end. However team TSSC didn't come home empty handed as Kay was awarded a bottle of bubbly for "exceptional" services to the beach team.

Sailing conditions were great throughout except for day four on which a quarter of the field, including T&M stayed ashore so that the two DNC's had to be the discards...a bit of a handicap in the rankings, in which they finished 28/42.

Undercutting the windward mark a couple of times was perhaps evidence of not regularly competing on tidal waters. Being poleaxed while on starboard in the 4th race lost a few places but throughout Trevor excelled on the downwind legs. By the final day the settings on the boat were just right for the upwind legs too!

Who knows what next year will bring!





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