

CLUB OPENING

The Club is open every Sunday and Wednesday evening throughout the year and on Wednesday afternoons from 2 May to 26 Sept. Members are free to use the Club facilities at other times.

Tea and cakes will be served at 3.00pm on Sundays.

The Bar is open between races on Sundays and every Wednesday evening throughout the year from 7:30pm.

DUTY OFFICERS

Duty Officers (Officer of the Day, Assistant O.D. and Patrol Boat Helmsman) are responsible for the management of the sailing programme on each Sunday. It is most important that members fulfil their duty or arrange a "swap" via DutyMan.

Full Officer of the Day instructions are available in the Clubhouse and are on the website.

RACING

Races are sailed under ISAF and RYA Racing Rules. Sailing

instructions are posted in the racebox & on the website.

Race results will generally be calculated using both **boat handicap** and **personal handicap**. Full details are available from the Sailing Secretary.

PATROL BOAT

A patrol boat will be manned for all Club events. For instruction in the use of the patrol boat contact Bryan Clements.

CLUB BOATS

Club boats are available to members for both racing and informal sailing. Members needing help with rigging etc. or who wish to crew need to arrive at least 1 hour before the start of activity. If you require help, please contact Bryan Clements or Nigel Knowles. Sailing tuition can be arranged. Members will be responsible for any damage incurred while using Club boats.

ALL MEMBERS AND GUESTS SAIL AT THEIR OWN RISK

The wearing of buoyancy aids is recommended at all times. It is compulsory when racing and when using Club boats.

All boats must have valid Third Party Insurance and Environment Agency Licences. Members are required to maintain their boats in good condition and are responsible for the maintenance of their allocated berth.

CLUB RULES

All members must acquaint themselves with the Club Rules and Byelaws and comply with them at all times. Copies are exhibited in the Clubhouse and on the Club website.

CLUB OFFICERS

President	RODGER WHEELER	020 8979 7254
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AQUARIUS SAILING CLUB

PROGRAMME 2018

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Hon. Secretary: JEAN MARACCHI

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SAILING AND SOCIAL PROGRAMME 2018/19

All activities at the Club unless noted

DATE	11:00am	12:00noon	2:00pm	3:30pm
MARCH 2018				
Sat 17	Start Of Season Party 7:30pm dressed from the river	Illustrated Talk about artefacts dressed from the river		
Sun 25	Sunrise 1	Spring 1	TFC	SpA 1 / Bosun 1
APRIL				
1	Easter Egg Trophy. 4 races, best 3 to count			
8	Sunrise 2	Spring 2	TFC	SpA 2 / Laser 1
14	Mid Thames Trophy 2017 at Hampton SC 1 st race 11.00am			
15	Sunrise 3	Spring 3	TFC	Sprint 1 & 2
Sat 21	Continental Evening – supper and entertainment 7:30pm			
22	Sunrise 4	Spring 4	TFC	SpA 3 / Bosun 2
Sat 28	Working party 10:30am – 4:00pm with a late lunch provided.			
29	Sunrise 5	Spring 5	TFC	SpA 4 / Laser 2
MAY				
6	Chestnut Sunday Bushy Park 12:00noon - Club exhibiting			
6	Sunrise 6	Spring 6	Newcomers	Sprint 3 & 4
Sat 12	Open Day 10:30am – 4:00pm			
Sun 13	Open Day 10:30am – 4:00pm			
Sun 20	Open Day 10:30am – 4:00pm Training and Fun Sailing			
27	Sunrise 7	Spring 7	TFC	SpA 5 / Bosun 3
JUNE				
3	Sunrise 8	Spring 8	Newcomers	Summer 1 / Laser 3
10	Sunrise 9	Spring 9	TFC	Summer 2 / Bosun 4
Sat 16	AGSC Regatta			
17	AGSC Regatta with Strawberry cream teas			
24	Sunrise 10	Spring 10	TFC	Sprint 5 & 6
Wed 27	Mid Summer Cruise & pub supper leave 6:00pm			
JULY				
1	Sunrise 11	Spring 11	Newcomers	Summer 3 / Laser 4
8	Sunrise 12	Spring 12	TFC	Summer 4 / Bosun 5
15	Sunrise 13	Spring 13	TFC	Summer 5 / Laser 5
22	Sunrise 14	Spring 14	TFC	Summer 6 / Bosun 6
Sat 28	Hog Roast & Live Band 7:30pm.			
29	Earlybird 1	Autumn 1	TFC	Sprint 7 & 8
AUGUST				
5	Earlybird 2	Autumn 2	Newcomers	Summer 7 / Laser 6
Sat 11	DIY BBQ 6:00pm. & cruise to Sunbury Regatta fireworks			

SUNDAY SAILING

The 11:00am, 12:00noon and 3:30pm races are Series Races with separate trophies for each series.

Sunrise Series
Best 7 of 14 races (3/4 hr) at 11:00am from 25 March to 22 July

Earlybird Series
Best 7 of 14 races (3/4 hr) at 11:00am from 29 July to 4 Nov

Spring Series
Best 7 of 14 races (3/4 hr) at 12:00 noon from 25 Mar to 22 July

Summer Series
Best 5 of 11 races at 3:30pm from 3 June to 16 September

Autumn Series
Best 7 of 14 races (3/4hr) at 12:00 noon from 29 July to 4 November

Spring/Autumn (SpA) Series
Best 5 of 10 races at 3:30pm from 25 March to 4 November

Sprint Series
6 pairs of short races at 3:30pm monthly 8 April and 14 October

The Cundy Trophy long distance race will take place on a Sunday when conditions are suitable, and will also count for the scheduled race series. When conditions are suitable the Sunday 3:30pm race will be a Pursuit race.

The 3:30pm races in alternate weeks will also count for the Bosun and Laser Trophies in turn.

Novice & Young Persons trophies will also be awarded.

The 2:00pm activity will be Training, a Fun activity, or Cruising (TFC) with emphasis on giving less experienced members a better sailing experience. It will be arranged by the Officer of the Day with advice from the experienced sailors present.

The first Sunday of the month from May to September will include a 'Newcomers' talk and/or demonstration on basic aspects of seamanship, including sailing rules¹ and capsizes drill and patrol boat handling. For details see web site.

WEDNESDAY SAILING

Wednesday afternoon sailing will be from 3:30pm starting on 2 May and ending on 26 September. There will be an informal race starting at 6:30pm whenever conditions are suitable. A trophy will be awarded for the best of 5 races.