

Hi Everybody,



Fish and friend...



SUNDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER 2025

SAILING RESULTS

Autumn Series

Race Officer:
Kevin Mason

Safety Boat:
John Blagbrough

<p>Race 3</p> <p>1st - Joe Atherton - Laser Radial 2nd - Stuart Ashwood & Sam Atherton - Dart 18 3rd - Andy & Carol Grout - Dart 18</p>	<p>Race 4</p> <p>1st - Joe Atherton 2nd - Stuart Ashwood & Sam Atherton 3rd - Andy & Carol Grout</p>
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From Andy Grout.

Good competitive sailing between the two dart 18's made for an enjoyable morning on the water.

I was on the bar when the sailors came in dripping with smiles on their faces, which must be a good sign.

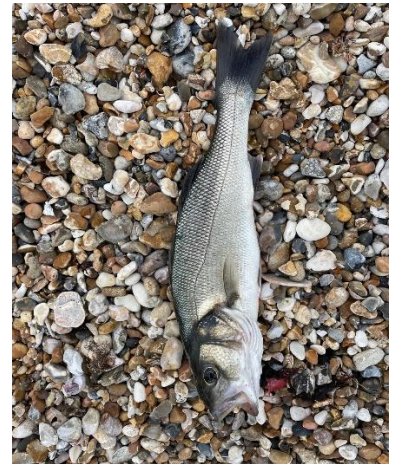
Sailing Calendar

October

4th Saturday Sailing Session
5th Sunday Autumn Session Races 5& 6
11th Saturday Sailing Session
12th Sunday Commodore's Cup Races 13 & 14
18th Saturday Sailing Session
19th Sunday Autumn Series Races 7& 8
26th Sunday Final Trophy Races 1 & 2

November

22nd Saturday Prize Giving
26th Saturday De-Rigging & Work Party.



Angling & Fishing

This week started well with Pete Warren catching a 50 cm bass on Monday!
Rocky and Jack went out on the boat catch a few schoolie bass and one at 52cm Jack stayed out all day a caught a few more well Done.

Angling beach match was very hard fishing in great conditions with Jim winning the match with a schoolie bass and a whiting, second was Gary with one schoolie.
I had the most bites, but I was fish feeding not fishing. Always stand by your rod and pay attention yes I was having a natter with Pete when it happened rod headed to sea! By the time I run to attend yes dinner had got away with along with no chance of winning the match.
Jim 10 points £25.
Gary 5 points £15.

Great to see 8 anglers taking part the next match is on 12th of October 12 noon to 5pm.

This will be followed with a night match in Selsey. Information to go out on angling chat group along with blog.

That's all from RC Angling Paul.

Paddlers/Water Sports

Finally, the cold weather has got to us! Last week saw only two members turn up so it wasn't worthwhile putting the rib out and, after half an hour and one glass of wine, Jill gave in and closed the register. Sadly, whilst it may look like a sunny afternoon, by 6pm the air temperature drops by 6 or 7 degrees and makes it unpleasant for anyone to either sit outside or enter the sea. So... we have decided that now is the time to put paddlers to bed for the winter. Sorry about that to all you hardy persons but it's for the best. See you all next year!

Meal Raffle

After the busy Saturday night with the band, Sunday was a much quieter day than usual. Despite that, amongst the eight winners for the raffle we had JD along with Commodore Paul and, unbelievably Kevan P still managed to win three of the prizes! How does he manage to do that? Lots of really good prizes this week due to Carole's wonderful shopping talent but, to give her a break (and for babysitting!), next week the Hon Sec Jill will be showing you what she has purchased. So, do come along to see what is on offer and buy your tickets.

Charity Weekend Update

Thank you to all the helpers, organisers, sponsors and donors, who helped our charity event weekend become a great success. With one of our member's employers, who doubled our efforts, we have been able to donate to our chosen charity, 'Breast Cancer Now', the final sum of **£6151.54**.

List of Donors for our 'Breast Cancer Now' Event

In alphabetical order:

The Bear Public House
Alison Corbett
David Gosnell
Joan Hannington
The HR Dept
The inglenook Public House
Jordan's Pharmacy
The Lamb Public House
The Lion Public House
London Tea Room
Paolini's Wine & More
Signs4Golf
Small Fry

Susan Thompson
Vans2Campers

Macmillan Coffee Afternoon

Thank you to everyone who attended our Macmillan Coffee-Afternoon; lots of laughter, chatter and cake were had by all. Well done to Tina, her helpers and to all those who supported and donated, ensuring yet another successful event, raising, so far, over £500.00 and counting...



A great raffle (guess who won the scotch hic...), cake auction (enjoy Sandra) and the wonderful bric-a-brac and jewellery stalls. Kevin Page won 'How Many Sweets in the Jar' – 131. Lucky man. I was way off.

AGM

You will see that attached to this blog is the Notice to Members of the forthcoming Annual General Meeting (AGM) of PYC on Sunday 30th November 2025, which is now posted in the Club, on our website and on our Facebook. This details the process and timings for the Election of Club Officers and the Notification of Business - that is, any agenda items that members wish to be raised.

Please note that on **Sunday 5th October** the notice detailing the Election of Club Officers and the Notification of Business will be posted and will be taken down on **Sunday 2nd November**. No further nominations will be accepted once the notice is taken down.

Please also note that Sunday 2nd November is the last date for any business a member may request to be discussed at the AGM, including any proposals.

We are hopeful that one of the issues that will be on the agenda is to authorise the cost of the initial area of the development programme, provided all three companies approached have come back to us for price comparisons. Just a reminder that all members are welcome to attend the AGM and to voice their opinions, but only FULL members are entitled to vote.

Social Events

Friday Night

After the rowdies from the Macmillan Coffee Afternoon had finally left the building, we had:

Play Your Cards Right



Bob won £50.00. You don't see many of those around!

Saturday

PYC saw the England Women's team win the Rugby World Cup Final. Congratulations to the Red Rose, you were phenomenal.

And later **'The Menny Moore Show'** brought the house down. A great crowd, great dancing (watch out Strictly) and a great atmosphere. Tina hopes to stage more Saturday evening entertainment, so come along and have some fun.



Future Entertainment

You are in for a treat, this coming Saturday at 8pm we are welcoming back singer and guitarist Luke Elder.

Dates For Your Diary

October

Saturday 4th 8pm Luke Elder – Singer & Guitarist

Sunday 12th 3.15pm Olivia Kinghorn – Pop, Rock, Country, Funk & Soul singer

Sunday 19th 3.15pm Archie Mac – Vocalist

Friday 31st 8pm till Late – Ghoulish Play Your Cards Right!

November

Saturday 1st 8pm till Late – Halloween Party featuring 'High Tide'.



Any Other Business

Thanks to all those who have contributed to this week's blog...keep it coming!

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