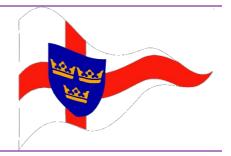
### Late Spring 2022 Newsletter



# East Anglian Cruising Club



#### Welcome

Hoping you are enjoying being back on the water with a full season of activity to look forward to! It was great to see so many of you enjoying our first EACC cruise last weekend!

The atmosphere was certainly electric for the Rigging Out Supper where over 40 people enjoyed a great evening of good company, good food and a great presentation from Ian Patience and Fiona Gordon on their Atlantic adventures in a fabulous venue!

Thanks to everyone who responded to our questionnaire and your committee is considering all the suggestions so please keep your ideas flowing in.

All focus is currently on preparing for Thurne Mouth Open Regatta which is less than a month away. See our website for all TMOR activities which includes competitions, water and land-based activities on Thursday. Don't forget to dress in red, white and blue – bake a platinum pudding and make a hat – also on Thursday!

Please enter the racing **before** the event using our new Webcollect system to save money and save queuing on the day! Visit <a href="https://webcollect.org.uk/ea-cc/event/tmor-2022">https://webcollect.org.uk/ea-cc/event/tmor-2022</a> to enter early!

I feel privileged to be leading such a great club where we thrive on our members volunteering willingly. Please be prepared to help where you can, particularly for TMOR which is fast approaching – whether you can bake a cake, help with set up or take down, serve behind the bar, do a stint in the safety boat or help with the catering – your club needs you!



I look forward to seeing you on the water soon. Happy sailing!

Liz Chettleburgh Skipper

# Safety Boat Training

We still have spaces on Saturday 14 May. Please contact <a href="Mate@Ea-cc.org">Mate@Ea-cc.org</a> asap if interested!

#### **Up Coming Events**

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> May** Safety Boat training

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May Spring Regatta

**Thursday 2nd thru Sunday 5th June** Thurne Mouth Open Regatta

# **EACC WhatsApp**

If you are planning a day out, a weekend, a night on the river somewhere or just going to pub this summer and you want some company, please feel free to put the word out on our EACC Facebook page or our EACC WhatsApp group.



To join the EACC WhatsApp Group, please email <a href="mailto:colin@chetts.me.uk">colin@chetts.me.uk</a>

#### TMOR T-Shirts Pre-Order

A special TMOR t-shirt has been designed for 2022, to celebrate The Queens Platinum Jubilee along with the Post Pandemic TMOR return.

Orders **must** be placed by **Monday 16th May** to ensure they will be available for TMOR, so place your orders early to avoid disappointment. To place your order, simply click this link and follow the instructions to complete your purchase:



The secure on-line payment method for the limitededition t-shirts is by Direct Debit via GoCardless. WebCollect will direct you to the payment screen for you to enter your payment details after you checked your basket out. Your payments are protected by the Direct Debit guarantee, which offers protection to customers in the rare event that there is an error in the payment.





You provided some great suggestions for the safety boat names. Your committee have shortlisted your ideas and would like you to vote again asap as the 'Red' Safety boat is currently out of the water for annual maintenance. It would be great to decide on a name by the time it goes back in the water.

Please choose 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> choices for both boats so the most popular names win! Go to <a href="https://forms.gle/zpvyETccpzoQNHq48">https://forms.gle/zpvyETccpzoQNHq48</a> to choose your names!

Thanks to our Bosun (Ian Stewart) and the Safety Boat team (Colin Chettleburgh, Mike Jones and Tom Moore) for organising the maintenance. The Aluminium Safety boat will have its annual maintenance following TMOR. Please look after these boats as if they were your own as they are important assets for EACC.





# **Trophy Appeal Update!**

Hurrah - the TMOR Perpetual Trophy has been found so we are just seeking any knowledge of the **TMOR 'Best Dressed Boat' trophy** – have you seen it?

Please contact <a href="mailto:mate@ea-cc.org">mate@ea-cc.org</a> if you can help!



## Our moorings opposite Thurne Windmill

Our moorings are looking great this year thanks to a small team of willing volunteers. Please play your part by keeping the site looking tidy throughout the season by volunteering to cut the grass or taking your beer cans etc home.

The club BBQ is available for anyone who wishes to use it on the club site but, please contact the moorings officer beforehand so we can keep tabs on who is using it. <a href="moorings@ea-cc.org">moorings@ea-cc.org</a>. Information on accessing it and using it will be provided. Please help us by keeping this usable and safe for all by cleaning it afterwards, as it is needed for club events.

Mooring is available for overnight stays on the club frontage, but if you wish to leave your boat there unattended, please pre-arrange with our Moorings Officer – contact moorings@ea-cc.org

