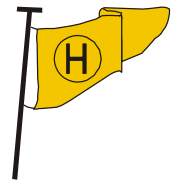


# HARLOW (BLACKWATER) SAILING CLUB



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## COMMODORES COMMENTS OCTOBER

Summer continued brilliantly through September so let's hope it continues through October

### LOOKING BACK

The big event in September was "Bart's Bash", 17 boats entered from HBSC and joined the 200 plus on the race around Osea. Unfortunately I was away so could not participate, however, I am told that the spectacle was awesome, the spirit great and the event a resounding success. I understand that this will now become an annual event – a date for the 2015 diary!.

### LOOKING FORWARD

**Saturday the 11<sup>th</sup> October** will be the 4<sup>th</sup> Harlow Blackwater Pudding Club social. This promises to be boys' food but all the girls are invited to join the fun. Sylvia tells me her puds are not fattening! Ring Sylvia to book your place.

**Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> October** – Cruiser recovery dates. However for those that want to continue sailing throughout October do not worry that we will all want to come out of the water on the 25<sup>th</sup>, we can find another date if needed.

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October.** 9.30 start Jetty Cleaning morning **\*YOUR JETTY NEEDS YOU\***

**Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> October** is the 'Cock of the River' race – a noon start, open to all. Come and prove you are the best boat on the river!!

### EVEN FURTHER AHEAD

The Club's administration year end approaches and our AGM is planned for Sunday the **30<sup>th</sup> November** 1pm start.

Both our longstanding Treasurer and Membership Secretary are standing down at the AGM and as a result we have vacancies. If you are interested in volunteering for either of these jobs – or any other committee post, please give me a call on 01371-872404 and I will tell you what is involved.

### ON ANOTHER NOTE

The club needs First Aiders available at all times - in case things go wrong – I can organize a half day first response course for as many of the club members that wish to attend. The course leads to a recognized first response qualification, and there will be no cost to members. Just let me know if your wish to attend.

Wishing you good sailing this autumn

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