



HARLOW (BLACKWATER) SAILING CLUB



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The 2015 sailing season is coming to an end with the last cruiser recovery planned for the 31st October, and the last dinghy race 'THE HELMS TROPHY' scheduled for Sunday 1st November.

For those wishing to continue sailing through the winter months you are invited to the Maylandsea Bay Winter series and the Blackwater Icicle (to be run this year by Maylandsea Bay Sailing Club).

With the bad weather not far away we note that there are a number of boats at the club that require attention to their covers and tie downs, please check that yours is OK.

Unfortunately we have been unsuccessful with our grant application to fund a replacement jetty, so the AGM meeting planned for the 29th November at 1pm will now be an ordinary general meeting to discuss the way forward with the jetty repairs and how to fund the work.

The AGM will now be held on the 17th January 2016 at the club at 1pm. A formal notice will follow shortly.

We still need people to join our main committee which has run at half strength throughout the year. Interest! Contact me.

We are also looking for 2-3 people to be 'Fire Marshals' to meet the requirement of the clubs Fire certificate. It involves attending a short training course (paid for by the club) and helping in the event of a fire. Interested? Speak to Ray Revell.

Firework Night is on 7th November with a 7pm start – just turn up with 1 or 2 fireworks to add to the show.

And finally: - our Christmas Dinner and Prize Giving evening will be on the 5th December – It's never too early to tell Sylvia you are coming.

Rod Martin
HBSC - Commodore

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