

2017 DCA South Coast Summer Rallies



The DCA does not run a safety boat. Dinghy cruising on exposed waters is for experienced sailors only, but most venues may be reached by sheltered waters. Check marine weather forecasts and local conditions before you sail, and remember there is no shame in not sailing if you think conditions might be more than you can manage. For further information please Contact: the relevant host. It helps to let the host know if you intend to come. Members are welcome to propose and host additional events at times other than those listed, perhaps using the DCA discussion forum or, for Solent area rallies, Yahoo group *dinghysolent* to setup events.

Tides are HW BST Portsmouth except where indicated otherwise.

For phone nos. of host or further details, please email ebakeratwestfield@outlook.com.

Sat 4 March - Launch **Warsash** 11.00 for **Upper Hamble**. HW 15.24 hrs GMT. Contact: See *dinghysolent*.

Sat 18 March - Launch **Itchenor** 11.00 for **Bosham and Dell Quay**. HW 14.42 hrs GMT..Contact: Jamie Scott.

Sat 25 March - Launch **Bedhampton Broadmarsh** 10.30 for **The Kench (Langstone Harbour)**. HW 09.28 hrs GMT. Daysail with overnight option. Contact: see *dinghysolent*.

Sat 8 April - Launch **Warsash** for **Ashlett Creek** then **Calshot**. HW 10.46 hrs. Daysail with overnight option. Contact: Len Wingfield.

Sat 22 April - **East Head** daysail. Launch 11.00 **Emsworth Warblington Rd**. HW 09.00 hrs. Overnight option. Contact: Cliff Martin.

6-7 May - **Bembridge Harbour** western entrance beach. HW 21.42 hrs. Contact: Chris Peacock.

20-21 May - 19.33 **Newtown Harbour**, just above Shalfleet Quay. HW 19.33 hrs. Contact: Alan Moulton.

27-29 May - **Cody Sailing Club** have booked campsite at **Cleaval Point, Poole Harbour**. LW Poole Entrance 17.58, HW 10.46. DCA members welcome. Contact: Cody Sailing Club.

10-11 June - **Christchurch Harbour**, grid ref: 176 910, Hengistbury Head side of harbour near concrete block on beach. HW Christchurch 22.28 hrs, LW 17.22. Contact: Tom Kirby..

1-2 July - 18.09 - **Shipstall Point, Poole Harbour**. Grid ref: 984 884. Low Water Poole 10.41 hrs, HW 16.40. Contact: David Sumner

Sat 8 July - Launch **Warsash** 11.00 for **Eling** (or Marchwood). Daysail with overnight option. Hw 12.03. Contact: Len Wingfield.

22-23 July **Yarmouth (IoW**) Harbour pontoons. Portsmouth HW 11.12 hrs; Yarmouth HW Sat 10.31 BST Contact: Jamie Scott.

5-6 Aug - Lymington Oxey Lake (creek). Grid ref: 329 937

HW 11.04 hrs. Contact: Steve Bradwell

Sat 19 to Thur 31 Aug - **Cobnor camping fortnight, Chichester Harbour**. The Kench and Fowley Island overnight options could be offered during the camp period, plus the opportunity to participate in *The Hayling Challenge*, a circumnavigation of Hayling Island. This rally is based on shore camping with toilets and showers available. Boats larger or heavier than a Wayfarer are not permitted to use the slip, but can be launched at Itchenor of Bosham and sailed to Cobnor, then anchored upstream of the hard. For more information please email Liz Baker on ebakeratwestfield@outlook.co.uk.

Sat 16 Sept - Launch **Hardway (Gosport) Portsmouth Harbour** 11.00. HW 08.55. Daysail with overnight options. Contact: Len Wingfield.

30 Sept - 1 Oct - **Fowley Island** overnight.

HW: 20.38.Contact: Alan Moulton.

14-15 Oct - **Dell Quay** overnight with daysail option.

HW 07.09. Contact: Cliff Martin.

Sat 21 Oct - Launch Bedhampton Broadmarsh 10.30 for Langstone Harbour daysail.

HW 13.06. Contact: Joe Murphy.

