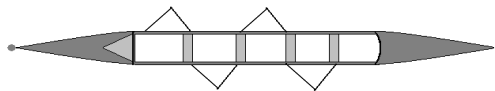


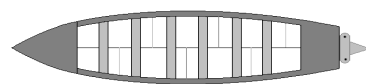
Paignton Amateur Rowing Club

Newsletter

June 2015



Skiff racing since 1890



Gig racing since 2007

Big hopes for the Upcoming Season

With the skiff season fast approaching and the gig season already in full swing, Paignton ARC has high hopes for the upcoming races.

First for the skiffs is Plymouth on Saturday 13th June. Paignton have entered a large number of crews that push our boat fleet to the brink. All of our three quads, two doubles and four singles will be needed on the day. The club has high hopes of winning a championship this year, which would be a great achievement for our 125th anniversary. With 5 fours, 3 quads, 3 doubles and 6 singles entered for Plymouth Regatta there is a good possibility of bringing home some trophies. Fingers crossed!

As for the gigs, although they haven't raced at any regattas yet this season. The guys are keen to row at Carradon mixed and vets regatta on the 27th and 28th of June and then every weekend after that including Cattewater on the 4th of July, Rock on the 11th, Teignmouth on the 18th and then Rame on the 25th. If you fancy a row at any of those regattas, just let Amanda know.

Dart Totnes ARC Mourns Loss of Great Man



Dart Totnes ARC have announced the death of former captain Ed Burnett, 43. Ed was one of the most successful naval architects of his generation, designing many yachts based on classic lines. Most notably he designed Gloriana, the royal barge built for the Queen's 2012 Thames Jubilee Pageant. Ed was found dead in his home on May 26th with no suspicious circumstances.

Former DTARC club chairman Peter Rouse gave the following statement to the press:

"He contributed to and improved every area of the club; he was really capable and talented and it's a tremendous loss.

"Everyone who knew him is absolutely devastated."

Such a sad loss of a great man and good friend to many, at not just Paignton ARC but the entire south west rowing community. Rest in peace Ed.

Former Member Finds Part of PARC History

Former member Steven Marshall, now rowing with Brixham Gig Club, found a piece of Paignton ARC history when routing around some old medals at a local car boot sale this month.

Steven found the WEARA Novice Championship medal of E.F. Down won in 1949.



E. F. Down was part of a men's crew with Dave Yeoman, Maurice Tarrant and A. R. Salter, who in 1949, won the Men's Novice Championship, then a year later won the Junior Championship (equivalent to Senior B). Also in 1950 they went on to win the Eton Mission Cup at the National Junior Championship of Great Britain. (Their certificate is on display in the bar). It is easily Paignton ARC's greatest achievement. Maurice Tarrant now lives in Canada and still runs 10km races in under 1 hour. Not bad for an 85 year old. Dave Yeoman still lives in Torquay.

Member of the month:

Amanda Falconer

Joined the club: 2009

Club positions: Gig Captain 2015

Not only does Amanda sort out the training for gig rowing but she also helps Phil Pring (BR Coach) on Friday lunch times with our 'Learn to row' courses.

Best achievement: 66th at the CPGA World Championships and rebuilding the gig side of the club.



Final Instalment of Memberships now due

Please contact Tracey Western.

Adult Membership £105 (or three instalments of £35 Apr, May, Jun)

Junior Membership U18: £80 and U14: £70

(Three instalments accepted)

Social Membership: £20 Coxswain Membership: £10

This year, membership includes a 125 year celebratory T shirt! As well as membership to British Rowing!

125th Anniversary Meal

See the back page for details and how to book tickets.

Results:

No results for the month of May :-)

Upcoming Fixtures:

Saturday 13th June: Plymouth Regatta

Saturday 20th June: Wimbleball Regatta

Sunday 27th and Sunday 28th June: Carradon Mixed and Vets Regatta

Saturday 4th July: Cattewater Gig Regatta

Saturday 11th July: Exeter Regatta/Rock Gig Regatta

Entries closed

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Entries to Amanda by 13th June

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Entries to Rob and Amanda by 27th June

125th Anniversary Dinner

Saturday 21st November

This year is Paignton ARC's 125th Anniversary year. So we are going to celebrate in style.

We are holding a sit down meal at Living Coasts in Torquay.
Which has stunning views of the entire bay.

Tickets will cost £26 per adult and £20 per U16. Email Karen Gidley to book now!

karenlynnegidley@gmail.com

The price includes a three course meal (menu below) and we have also booked a live band to dance the night away.

7pm start until midnight

On the evening there will be a silent auction with the chance of winning some fantastic sports memorabilia amongst other prizes!

Starters

Roasted vegetable soup with crunchy croutons

Mozzarella, sun dried tomatoes, black olive salad with a basil dressing

Creedy carver duck liver parfait with red onion chutney and croutes

Mains

Supreme of chicken on crushed garlic potatoes with a creamy Mediterranean tomato sauce

Loin of pork on a whole grain mustard mash with a cider jus
tomatoes stuffed with ratatouille, sweetcorn croute (V)

Dessert

Lemon posset, chocolate design and raspberry coulis

Mint chocolate cheesecake, chocolate soil, mint sugar, chocolate sauce

Trio of local cheeses, chutney, grapes, biscuits