

CA East Coast Spring Bank Holiday Rally 2023

Saturday 29th April - Monday 1st May 2023 (Bank Holiday weekend)

Another event packed Bank Holiday weekend for all CA East Coast Sailors. Suffolk, Essex and Kent CA Members usually attend with a few from further away, and all are most welcome.

Date: May Bank Holiday weekend, arrive on Saturday 29th April, depart on Monday 1st May.

Venue: Royal Harwich Yacht Club on the River Orwell, IP9 1AT.

Transport: Arrive by boat (preferential mooring rates), car (free parking at RHYC), motor home (book and pay MDL Marina for parking on 01473 780206), bicycle or foot for all or some of the activities. Shared transport to Woodbridge.

Open to: Members of the CA, CS, and their guests.

Programme

Saturday 29th April

Passage "Race" – predict your time of arrival to Woolverstone whether you are coming by boat, car, motor home, bicycle or on foot.

17:30 "Pontoon Party" – held indoors at RHYC, a chance to meet the other participants, please bring your own glasses, a drink and a little food to share, savoury or sweet.

Sunday 30th April

Outing to Woodbridge

09:15 Meet on the RHYC lawn and depart for Woodbridge in shared cars.

10:10 Regroup at the Longshed, upstairs in the John Gibbins Gallery for coffee

10:30 Guided visits of the Sutton Hoo Ship Project and of the Woodbridge Museum

12:00 Free Time for Lunch and a walk around Woodbridge

14:00 Tide Mill guided visit, the wheel should start turning during the visit

Later: Return to Woolverstone in shared transport.

Evening

17:30 Royal Harwich Art Club Exhibition, viewing with a pre-dinner glass of Prosecco

18:30 Three Course informal Dinner, speaker Paul Rodhouse, The Galway Hooker

Starter

Brussels Pate with onion chutney and mini toast, or

Garlic Prawns (DF GF) pan fried with herbs, served on a bed of rocket

Main

Monika's Slow Cooked Beef Goulash (DF GF), served with rice and fine green beans, or

Tuscan Salmon with traditional creamy sauce, new potatoes and seasonal vegetables

Dessert

Homemade Apple Crumble (V) with Custard, or

New York Cheesecake (V) with Raspberry Coulis

Monday 1st May

10:00 Meet on the RHYC lawn for a walk through the woods to the Butt and Oyster and treat yourselves a drink.

Departure for home.

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