

ALL-DAY MEDITERRANEAN SECTION SEMINAR

AT CA HOUSE

Sunday 8th March 2015

10:00am until 16:15pm



MEDITERRANEAN CRUISING

09:45-10:00 Registration **Tea and Coffee**

10:00-10:10 Welcome and Introductions

10:10-10.50 **Vyv Cox - Anchors and Anchoring**

The application of engineering design principles over the past twenty years has resulted in anchors that both set and hold exceptionally well. Older designs continue to be popular. This talk attempts to explain why some work better than others but, using underwater photography, shows that good technique remains crucial.

10:50-11:30 **Keith Pettican - The costs and savings of long term cruising.**

" I have sailed the Adriatic, Ionian and Aegean over the last 10 years, taking in Croatia , Greece and Turkey . My talk compares the costs and savings of keeping a yacht in the UK with the area I have sailed and briefly looks at the logistics of sailing abroad."

11:30-11-50 **Coffee Break**

11:50-12:30 **Tony Montgomery-Smith - Sailing in the Western Med**

Many, maybe most, yachtsmen rush through the West Med in a hurry to reach Greece or Turkey. I hope to show that the Balearics, Sardinia and Corsica are worth a prolonged stay, and can be enjoyed inexpensively. I also want to persuade you that it is possible to voyage in the Med with little use of your engine, and that folding bicycles can double your enjoyment.

12:30-13.10 **Jim Baerselmen - Rules and Regulations in the Mediterranean, including recent updates**

13.15-14.15 **Buffet Lunch.**

Afternoon Session - Parallel sessions in Council and Assembly Rooms from 14.30-15.30

14.30-15.45 **Cruising Information Tables (Assembly Room)**

- Western Mediterranean
- Eastern Mediterranean
- Adriatic
- 'Morning Presenters'

14.30-15.45 **MyCA, MedNet and CAptains Mate (Council Room)**

Need any help using the CA website MyCA or puzzling over the App, 'CAptains Mate' or want to use the Forums? We can help you!

15.45-16.15 **Results of the competition, any questions, AOB & farewell**