

# 2018 RBYC Cruising Events



## Mile Building and Skills Development Sailing Trips

Events are open for registration on the RBYC website. A £50 **non-refundable** deposit will secure your place on the trip. Please book as soon as you can via the club website so we can secure the right number of boats at good prices. Note that some dates have changed since version 1 was published.

All prices shown are based on our usual 75% berth occupancy rate and are provisional so, of course, prices may go down or up. All events are planned in good faith but may be subject to change.

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Trip	Dates	Sailing Duration	Event Description	Charterer	Est. Cost/person
1801	2 – 4 March	Fri pm to Sun pm	<b>Skippers' Trip</b> Annual Club Skippers' planning & social trip - this year on Purple Mist.		
1802	16 - 18 March (Springs -4)	Fri pm to Sun pm	<b>Skills: Pontoon Manoeuvres under Sail and Power</b> Sailing in the Solent for this early season weekend of "pontoon bashing" and sailing. Plenty of time for socialising of course.	Fairview, Port Hamble	£185
1803	20 – 22 April (Springs +2)	Fri pm to Sun pm	<b>Skills: Yacht handing under sail</b> Learn the basics or brush up on your existing skills in the Solent: sail management & basic manoeuvres under sail, with opportunities for mooring, man overboard, coming alongside & more.	Fairview, Port Hamble	£195
1804	4 – 7 May 7 <sup>th</sup> Bank Hol	Fri pm to Mon pm	<b>Mile Builder: Offshore – France?</b> Leaving Friday evening, out of the Solent and back over a long weekend. Should include some night sailing.	Hamble Point Charters	£225
1805	21 – 25 May	5 days (Mon – Fri)	<b>Mile Builder: Mid-week cruise. NB dates changed.</b> A more relaxed chance to head further away from the Solent. If people who register would prefer to extend this to a week-long cruise this might be possible.	Hamble Point Charters	£260
1806	Probably June 9 -16	One week	<b>Foreign Cruise – Looking like Sweden</b> Based on the current response it is looking like the choice is Stockholm. Significant deposits will be needed to book this trip and people will have to make their own travel arrangements. More interest might lower costs.		Approx. £430

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1807	13 – 15 July (Springs -2)	Fri pm to Sun pm	<b>Skills: Sailing on Springs</b> Develop your planning, sailing & seamanship skills on Spring tides in the Solent.	Hamble Point Charters	£215
1808	17 – 19 Aug (Neaps -4)	Fri pm to Sun pm	<b>Mile Builder &amp; Skills: Our own Round the Island</b> A weekend to venture outside the Solent and sail round the Island. Will it become a race? Sign up to see.  (Sat Portsmouth HW 0521 BST)	Fairview, Port Hamble	£220
1809	7 – 9 Sep (Neaps +2)	Fri pm to Sun pm	<b>Skills: Solent Pilotage</b> A chance to practice your pilotage, seamanship and sailing skills around the Solent.	Fairview, Port Hamble	£240
1810	12 – 14 Oct (Neaps +1)	Fri pm to Sun pm	<b>Skills: John Mountain Cup 2018</b> The annual Club Challenge testing yacht-master and seamanship skills for skippers, mates and their crew. It's competitive, fun, exhausting, sometimes wet & cold, but probably our best event of the year.	Fairview, Port Hamble	£200
1811	TBA (early Nov)	Fri pm to Sun pm	<b>Skills: Charity Regatta for Tall Ships Youth Trust</b> Solent Racing in a fleet of yachts to raise funds for the Tall Ships Youth Trust charity; plus a Sat night party in Cowes.	Charterer: TSYT	Est. £200
1812	16 -18 Nov (Neaps)	Fri pm to Sun pm	<b>Skills: Buoy Hunt.</b> A sort of orienteering treasure hunt! Use the wind and tide to visit as many buoys as you can around the Solent. Some buoys score higher than others, so it's all about the planning.	Hamble Point Charters	£160