

# Solway Yacht Club Annual Programme 2025

Black – Dinghy<sup>1</sup> Blue – Work Parties  
 Red – Cruiser Green – Social

Date	Start	HW (At Heston)	Tide Height (m)	Event	RO Race Officer # Event Principal @ Organiser
Sat 15 Mar	10.00	12.25	8.1	Work Party	@ S McColm
Sun 16 Mar	11.00	12.50	8.1	Work Party / Lay Marks	@ S McColm
Sat 29 Mar	09.50	11.20	8.7	Spring Saturday Series 1 & 2	RO S Biggar
Sun 30 Mar	11.30	13.05	9.0	Spring Sunday Series 1 & 2	RO S Train
Sat 12 April	10.50 19.00	12.20	7.8	Craning in. Spring Saturday Series 3 & 4 Season Opening Supper	@ TBA RO J Broadbent @ L Train
Sun 13 Apr	11.15	12.50	7.9	Spring Sunday Series 3 & 4	RO W Patterson
Frid 18 Apr	14.00	15.25	6.8	Easter Eggstravaganza	@ J Harris
Sat 19 Apr	14.45	16.05	6.4	River Race Series 1 & 2	RO I Purkis
Sun 20 Apr	15.40	17.00	6.0	River Race Series 3 & 4	RO R Colbeck
Sat 26 Apr	09.45	11.10	8.3	Craning in Reserve Spring Saturday Series 5 & 6 RYA Cadet ILCA Coaching (Invitation only)	@ TBA RO A Glendinning @ E McRobert
Sun 27 Apr	10.20	11.55	8.7	Spring Sunday Series 5 & 6	RO S Gaughan
Sat 10 May	09.45 19.00	11.15	7.3	Whitehaven Cruise Scottish Open Challenger Championship Spring Saturday Series 7 & 8 Challenging Dinner	@ N Munro @ J Broadbent RO J Broadbent / S McColm RO J Broadbent / S McColm @ L Train
Sun 11 May	10.20	11.50	7.3	Whitehaven Return or to Maryport Scottish Open Challenger Championship Spring Sunday Series 7 & 8	@ N Munro @ J Broadbent RO I Purkis / S Train RO I Purkis / S Train
Tues 13 May		12.55	7.5	Return from Maryport	@ N Munro
Sat 17 May	13.40	15.10	6.9	Spring Saturday Series 9 & 10	RO C Filer
Sun 18 May	15.00	15.55	6.6	Pursuit Race Series 1	RO D Gillespie
Sat 24 May	09.30	09.45	7.6	Pursuit Race Series 2	RO S McColm / S Biggar
Sun 25 May	09.30	10.35	8.0	Spring Sunday Series 9 & 10	RO C Nurney
Wed 28 May		13.05	8.4	Kirkcudbright Cruise	@ N Munro
Thur 29 May		13.55	8.2	Cruise Return	@ N Munro
Sat 31 May	14.30	15.35	7.4	Pursuit Race Series 3	RO D Williams
Sun 08 June	09.45	10.35	6.8	Pursuit Race Series 4	RO J Broadbent
Thur 12 June		13.10	7.3	Visiting Cruisers from Kirkcudbright	@ N Munro
Fri 13 June		13.45	7.3	Cruisers return to Kirkcudbright	@ N Munro
Sat 14 June	13.00	14.25	7.3	Spring Saturday Series 11 & 12	RO K Veasey
Sun 15 June	13.40	15.05	7.2	Spring Sunday Series 11 & 12	RO G Daly
Fri 13 June	Date to be confirmed			5 Castles Regatta	@ S McColm
Sat 28 June	13.10	14.35	7.8	Maryport Cruise Spring Saturday Series 13 & 14.	@ N Munro RO F Train
Sun 29 June	13.50	15.20	7.5	Maryport Return Spring Sunday Series 13 & 14	@ N Munro RO C Nurney
Sat 12 July	12.10 19.00	13.35	7.5	Isle of Whithorn / Fleet Islands Cruise. N12 Open Meeting Summer/Autumn Saturday Series 1 & 2 Midsummer Barbecue	@ N Munro @ I Purkis RO C Nurney RO C Nurney @ L Train
Sun 13 July		14.10	7.6	Cruise Return N12 Open Meeting Summer/Autumn Sunday Series 1 & 2	@ N Munro @ I Purkis RO C Nurney RO C Nurney
Sun 20 July	10.00	07.35	6.9	CW Preparation Work Party	@ J Harris / E McRobert
Mon 21 July	10.00	08.55	6.9	Cadet Week – Training Shore-based Sessions Cadet Week Briefing – All	@ J Harris / E McRobert @ J Harris / E McRobert / S Biggar

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Tues 22 July	09.30	10.05	7.0	Cadet Week – Race Series starts	
Wed 23 July	09.40	11.10	7.4	Cadet Week	@ J Harris / E McRobert
Thur 24 July	10.40	12.05	7.7	Cadet Week	RO S Biggar / W Patterson
Fri 25 July	11.30	12.55	7.9	Cadet Week	
Sat 26 July	12.10	13.40	7.9	Cadet Week	
Sun 27 July	10.00 13.00	14.20	7.8	Work Party: CW Clear Up Summer/Autumn Sunday Series 3 & 4	@ S McColm / J Harris / E McRobert RO G Daly
Thur 07 Aug	10.00	11.20	6.8	Lay Outer Course Marks	@ S McColm / J Broadbent
Fri 08 Aug	10.00	12.00	7.2	Work Party – KW Preparation	@ S McColm
Sat 09 Aug	10.00 11.10 19.00	12.40	7.6	RNLI Briefing RNLI Regatta Kippford Week Briefing	@ S McColm / J Broadbent / W Patterson RO W Patterson / S Biggar @ S McColm / J Broadbent / W Patterson
Sun 10 Aug	11.45	13.15	7.9	Kippford Week	
Mon 11 Aug	12.20	13.50	8.1	Kippford Week	
Tues 12 Aug	13.00	14.30	8.1	Kippford Week	RO W Patterson / S Biggar
Wed 13 Aug	13.40	15.10	8.0	Kippford Week	
Thur 14 Aug	14.20	15.50	7.8	Kippford Week	
Fri 15 Aug	10.00	16.35	7.4	Work Party: KW Clear Up / Lift Outer Marks	@ S McColm
Sat 23 Aug	11.10	12.40	7.9	Whitehaven Cruise Lakes& Borders ILCA Grand Prix Summer Long Race	@ N Munro @ J Broadbent RO J Broadbent / S McColm RO J Broadbent / S McColm
Sun 24 Aug	12.20	13.20	8.0	Cruise Return Palnackie Pursuit Race	@ N Munro RO D Gillespie
Sat 06 Sept	10.00	11.35	7.5	Adventure Day	@ W Patterson
Sun 07 Sept	10.45	12.15	7.9	Summer/Autumn Sunday Series 5 & 6	RO S Train
Sat 20 Sept	10.15	11.45	7.7	Summer/Autumn Saturday Series 3 & 4	RO C Filer
Sun 21 Sept	10.50	12.20	7.9	Summer/Autumn Sunday Series 7 & 8	RO A Glendinning
Sat 27 Sept	13.50 19.00	15.20	7.1	Craning Out Summer/Autumn Saturday Series 5 & 6 Late Season Dinner	@ TBA RO K Veasey @ L Train
Sat 04 Oct	09.30	10.25	7.0	Summer/Autumn Saturday Series 7 & 8	RO S Gaughan
Sun 05 Oct	09.40	11.05	7.6	Summer/Autumn Sunday Series 9 & 10	RO R Colbeck
Sat 11 Oct	13.30	15.05	8.1	Craning Out Reserve. Summer/Autumn Saturday Series 9 & 10	@ TBA RO S Wilson
Sun 12 Oct	14.20	15.50	7.5	Summer/Autumn Sunday Series 11 & 12	RO H MacDonald
Sat 18 Oct	09.30	10.35	7.3	Summer/Autumn Saturday Series 11 & 12.	RO S Biggar
Sun 19 Oct	09.45	11.15	7.6	Summer/Autumn Sunday Series 13 & 14	RO J Broadbent
Sat 25 Oct	10.00	14.20	7.6	Work Party: Put Club Boats away / lift Marks	@ S McColm
Sat 08 Nov	14.00			AGM	
Sat ? Jan	To be agreed with RNLI			Season 2025 Prizegiving	

<sup>1</sup> With the exception of Kippford Week, although not dinghies, Flying Fifteens and Hawk 20s may participate in the dinghy Club racing programme.

Series Discards Policy: Up to 3 races sailed, no discards; 4 - 5 races sailed, 1 discard; 6 - 7 races sailed 2 discards; 8 - 9 races sailed, 3 discards; 10-12 races sailed, 4 discards; 13-14 races sailed, 5 discards..

OOD Points: In Club series up to 25% (rounded down) of the races sailed in the series may be claimed as OOD points.

The Club Championship will be decided by scoring each of the Spring and Late Season series as if it were a “race” (ie the series winner scores 1, 2<sup>nd</sup> 2, 3<sup>rd</sup> 3 and so on with DNCs scoring the number of competitors in that series) and then treating scoring the 4 series as if they were races with one score discarded.

Cadet Week 2026 will be Mon 27<sup>th</sup> July – Sat 1<sup>st</sup> August.

Kippford Week 2026 will be Tues 11<sup>th</sup> – Sat 15<sup>th</sup> August with the RNLI Regatta on Sun 16<sup>th</sup> August.