

River Dart Rally: 16th – 18th August 2024

In association with Dittisham Sailing Club  and Ditsum Regatta

Invitation and Registration Form



Dittisham Gaffer Race 2022



Start of Parade of Sail 2022

2024 Programme of Events

Friday, 16th August

HW Greenway Quay 16:32 Ht. 3.74m.

- 13:30 onwards Launching from the beach at Dittisham. This is very straightforward 3 hours either side of HW.
- 18:00 Gaffers' get-together and barbeque on the beach. There will be one large barbeque for general use. Please bring your own portable barbeque if you have one, food and something to drink. If the weather is bad, a local pub might be preferred.

Saturday, 17th August

HW 17:39 Ht. 4.08m.

- 14:30 onwards Launching from the beach at Dittisham
- 13:00 Registration and Skippers' Briefing at Dittisham Sailing Club
- 14:00 Parade of Sail (immediately followed by 'Gaffer Race')
- 15:00 approx. 'Gaffer Race' off Dittisham organised by Dittisham Sailing Club. The race entry fee/donation to RNLI is included.
- Afternoon Ditsum Regatta: Attractions on the beach adjacent to The Ferry Boat Inn
Food available on the beach by the Ferry Boat Inn.
- 18:30 Prize-giving and supper in Dittisham Sailing Club.

NB. DSC does not have an alcohol licence – PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN!

Sunday, 18th August

HW 18:31 Ht. 4.47m.

- 10:00 Cooked breakfast at the Red Lion Inn
- Morning Free Sailing downstream
- 14:00 Cruise in company up the River Dart for drinks/snacks at 'The River Shack', Stoke Gabriel at approx. 1600.
- Evening Depart for home or make own arrangements to eat ashore at Ferry Boat Inn or Red Lion Inn

Monday, 19th August

HW 07:02 Ht. 4.39m.

Late departure by 12:00, please, for those who have not left on Sunday

End of Rally

There are toilet facilities on The Ham and showers in the nearby Dittisham Sailing Club. There is a general store and post office in The Red Lion Inn. Food and drink are also served at the riverside Ferry Boat Inn and at the Anchorstone Café.

For non-sailors, there are ferries to Agatha Christie's Greenway House (NT) and Dartmouth.

This event is intended primarily as a sailing event and priority will be given to entrants bringing boats and their crews. Due to the space available in DSC, the numbers are limited to 30 crew in total.

REGISTRATION FORM - River Dart Rally 16th /18th August 2024

Name of Skipper	
OGA Membership Number	
Tel No	
Mobile	
Email	
Number of adults:	
Number of children under 18 years old:	
Name and type of boat (please provide a photo for the event programme)	
T(H)CF handicap	

The charge is £30 per person.

This covers:

On Saturday: Entry Fee for the Saturday Race; Supper in DSC Club room – this will be your choice of hot pies/pasties (see below), salads, French bread and a choice of desserts.

On Sunday: Breakfast at ‘The Red Lion’.

There is no charge for camping on the Ham or storing boats on the foreshore or at the Sailing Club but cars and campervans must pay the normal car park charges. A permit authorising the erection of a tent on the Ham or having a campervan in the car park overnight will be issued upon arrival.

Please reserve space for our tent/camper van (annotate as appropriate)	
I plan to arrive on (date time)	
Please indicate the numbers of the pies/pasties you require for the evening meal, below:	
Traditional Steak Pasty	
Cheese and Onion Pasty (V)	
Roasted Vegetable Pasty (V)	
Pork and Scrumpy Pasty	
Homity Pie (GF)	

Please return the registration form and make payment by BACS to South West Gaffers, Metro Bank PLC Sort Code: 23-05-80 A/C No: 40530002. for £30 per person as soon as possible, but no later than 6th August.

Please return both pages of the form to David Bewick, preferably by email to: smallboats@oga.org.uk.

or by post to:

7 Yealm Road, Newton Ferrers, Plymouth. PL8 1AH.

Mobile: 07971 621448

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