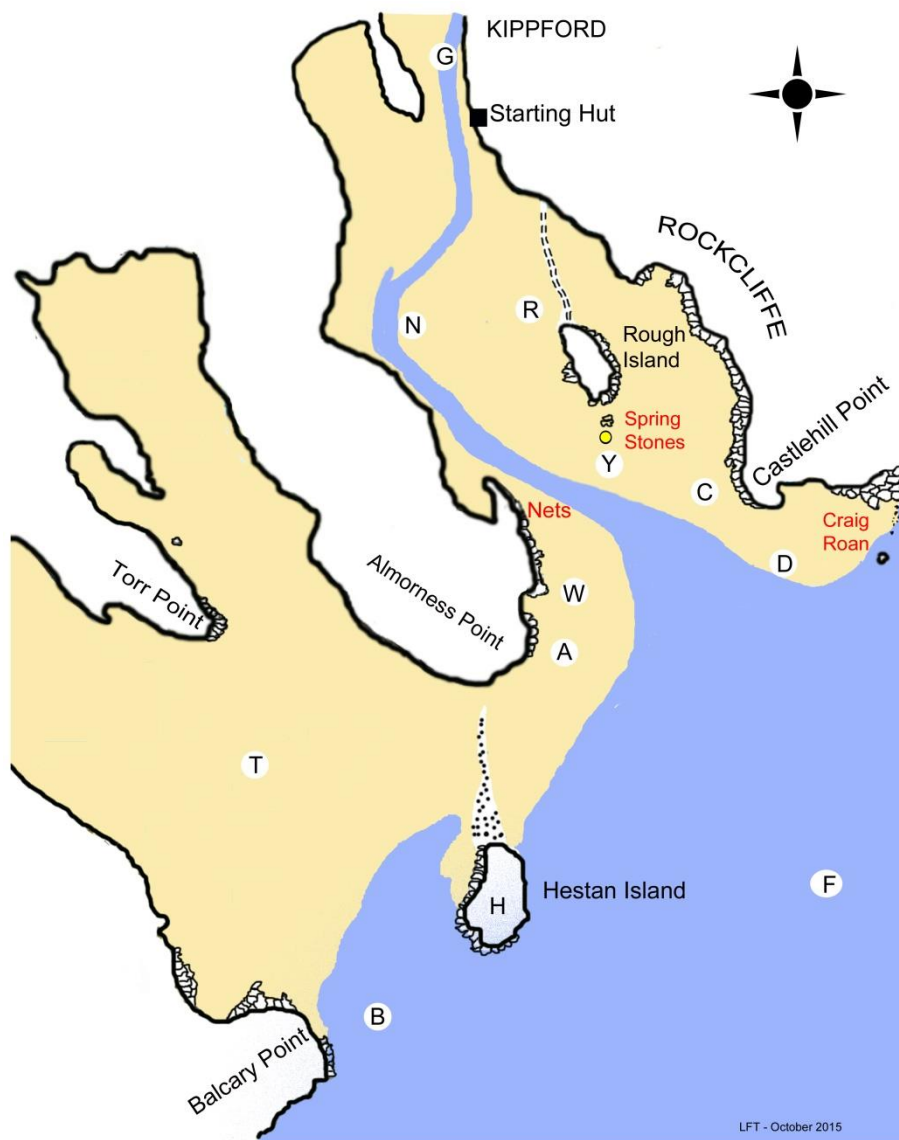


Sailing Area



SOLWAY YACHT CLUB KIPPFORD WEEK AND REGATTA

6th to 11th August 2017



**OPEN WEEK AND REGATTA FOR
DINGHIES - MULTIHULLS - OPEN KEELBOATS
(PN 600 TO 1400 INCLUSIVE)
CRUISERS
(MONO AND MULTIHULL)**



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WELCOME

Solway Yacht Club invites you to join us for our annual Kippford Week and Regatta, offering wonderful sailing in a great environment and in a setting of outstanding natural beauty. Kippford Week is a family friendly series providing competitive racing and after racing social events. It attracts regular competitors from all over Scotland, England and frequently beyond.

The clubhouse is in an elevated position with views over to Glen Isle. The Club site offers excellent launching, pontoons and guest moorings. The estuary dries out but flat areas have been created adjacent the pontoons.

ACCOMMODATION & PARKING

There are many hotels and boarding houses within easy walking or motoring distance as well as caravan, camping and holiday chalets nearby, but early reservations are advised.

There is limited car parking space at the club site and public car park. However, please respect local businesses' interests. For the safety of competitors and spectators, vehicles may not be driven onto the pier area and boat park other than to drop off or collect boats.

CATERING & BAR

Hot and cold catering will be available on all race days before racing, after racing or both depending on the race times. The Club is fully licensed and competitors and visiting members will be elected Temporary Members for the duration of their stay.

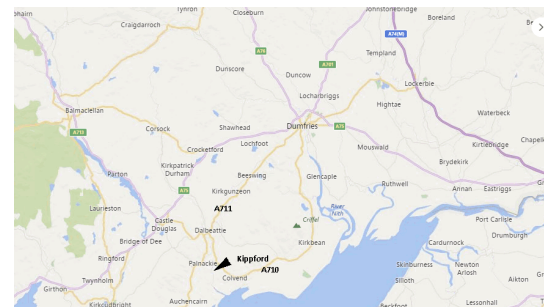
CLUB BOATS

Club boats may be available for hire for this event subject to availability. Payment for any hire will be required in advance of the event. Initial enquiries should be made to the Sailing Secretary; details on the entry form below.

CONDITIONS

1. The meeting will be open to all dinghies catamarans and keelboats with PN 600 – 1400. Cruisers will use the NHC scheme and will require a relevant handicap.
2. The racing will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) 2017- 2020, the event Sailing Instructions and the relevant Class Association rules.
3. The entrant will be deemed to be the Helmsman named on the entry form.
4. Changes of boat must be notified in writing and will require the approval of the Race Committee prior to commencement of the series.
5. During the series the crew may be swapped if notified in writing and with approval of the race officer prior to commencement of the race. Helms as indicated on the entry must always be part of the boat's crew.
6. Personal buoyancy must be worn by all competitors. Boat buoyancy may be subject to scrutiny. Relevant boats should carry an appropriate anchor with at least 10 metres of suitable warp. A painter of 5 metres must be carried on all boats other than cruisers.
7. Dinghy handicap fleets will be split into fast, medium and slow according to entries using PN.
8. At the discretion of the Race Committee, additional fleet starts may be granted to any class having enough entrants by the Monday before Kippford Week i.e. 31st July 2017.
9. At the discretion of the Race Committee fleet starts may be withdrawn for any class if there are insufficient entrants.
10. Visitors and competitors are asked to respect the local amenities and residents during their stay at Kippford.
11. Children under 14 are not permitted in the clubhouse after 22:00.
12. Dogs should be kept on a leash at all times.
13. Car numbers should be kept to a minimum and should be parked in club or public car parks and are not allowed on the pier once the series has started.
14. Any alterations to these conditions or other details of this entry form shall be at the sole discretion of the Commodore and Race Committee of Solway Yacht Club.

HOW TO FIND US



Kippford lies to the south of Dalbeattie along the A710. From the west, follow the A745 and then the A711 from Castle Douglas to the boundary of Dalbeattie. From the north, follow the A711 from Dumfries until the far end of Dalbeattie.

For both, now take the A710, which is signposted "Solway Coast". Follow this road for around 3 miles and then turn right at a sign for Kippford (also mentions sailing and golf). The clubhouse is just before the foot of the hill on the left and the boat park is on the right just round a sharp left corner.

RACING PROGRAMME 2017

Kippford Week - Dinghy Fleets

Monday	07 August	11:00
Tuesday	08 August	11:30
Wednesday	09 August	12:00
Thursday	10 August	12:40
Friday	11 August	13:10

Kippford Week – Cruiser and F15 Fleets

Monday	07 August	11:00
Tuesday	08 August	11:30
Wednesday	09 August	12:00
Thursday	10 August	12:40
Friday	11 August	13:10

Sailors should be aware that it can take some time to reach the racing area.
Please ensure you launch in sufficient time.

RNLI Regatta – Dinghy Fleets

Sunday 06 August 10:20 As indicated above

RNLI Regatta – Cruiser and F15 Fleets

Sunday 06 August 10:20 As indicated above

Entry Deadline

17:30 on Sunday 31st July 2016 (note this is earlier than in the past)
Late entries may be considered at the discretion of the Race Committee

Kippford Week – or part of week

Crewed £85 Single-handed £70 (Club Members £75/£60)

RNLI Regatta (all entry fees to RNLI Kippford)

Crewed £40 Single-handed £30 (Club Members £35/£25)

Combined Entry if sent in at same time

Kippford Week plus Regatta as above

SOCIAL PROGRAMME

Saturday	05 August	19:00	Bar opens for briefing at 18:30
Sunday	06 August	16:00	Prizegiving - Regatta
Monday	07 August		Commodore's Reception
Tuesday	08 August		Free
Wednesday	09 August		Quiz Night
Thursday	10 August		Mystery Social
Friday	11 August	18:00	Prizegiving – Kippford Week End of Week Disco

Fleet Starts

+ 0 mins start	HCP1
+ 5 mins start	HCP2
+ 10 mins start	HCP3

Fleet Starts

+ 0 mins start	F15
+ 5 mins start	CHP

SOLWAY YACHT CLUB

6th to 11th AUGUST 2017

Please consider entering online at <https://webcollect.org.uk/syc>

ENTRY FORM

Please use BLOCK CAPS for clarity

Helm's First Name _____ Helm's Surname _____ Date of Birth _____

Crew's First Name _____ Crew's Surname _____ Date of Birth _____

Class _____ Sail No _____ Club _____
(please be precise e.g. Laser Radial, RS Feva XL)

Boat Insurance Company and Policy No. _____

Address _____

_____ Postcode _____

Tel _____ Email _____

Please list the name of your party if additional people will wish to use the club's facilities, with ages if under 18.

Name _____ Name _____

Have you been to Kippford Week before Y/N ?

If not, how did you find out about the event:

Please indicate if any of your party would be happy to help with any activities Y / N.

If you have indicated yes please complete the volunteer form provided overleaf

I agree that Solway Yacht Club accept no liability for damage or injury to, or caused by my boat, her equipment or crew, or other personal belongings ashore, however arising. I accept full responsibility for myself, my crew and my boat and possessions whether afloat or ashore and I confirm that my boat is covered by third party insurance for minimum amount of £3,000,000. I declare that I am an amateur member of a Yacht or Sailing Club recognised by the RYA and that the boat has a valid Class Certificate and that the sails to be used have been officially certified, where necessary, in accordance with the class rules. I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and by all other rules that govern this event.

Signed

Date...../...../2017

Please make cheques payable to Solway Yacht Club and post with Entry Form to:
Sailing Secretary, Solway Yacht Club, The Clubhouse, Kippford, Dalbeattie, DG5 4LL.
Email sailsec@thesyc.co.uk. You may also enter online at <https://webcollect.org.uk/syc>.

Medical Form Kippford Week 2016

Please make the club aware of any allergies, ailments, illnesses or conditions that need to be taken into consideration if injured or taken ill while on the water or in club premises below. If none exist please insert NONE.

It is your responsibility to make known any potential medical conditions that may affect your own personal safety during activities associated with sailing.

List Here:

Declaration: I consider myself physically fit to take part in this event/course.

Signed: Date:

Parental / Guardian Consent form for entrants under the age of 18:

I, the parent / guardian of give permission to the qualified first aid / medical personnel, who may or may not be participating in activities during Kippford Week 2016 to administer any relevant treatment or activities to the above named person, when / if necessary. I shall inform the organising body of any known medical conditions and medication requirements.

In addition, if the case arises, I authorise the members of staff to take the above named person to hospital and give full permission for any treatment required to be carried out in accordance with the hospital's diagnosis. I understand that I shall be notified, as soon as possible, of the hospital visit and any treatment given by the hospital.

Parent / guardian's consent: (signature)

Name: (please print)

Relationship to the above:

Volunteer Form – Catering, Bar & related Volunteer Help

In past years volunteers have run Kippford Week and this year will be no exception. We are always grateful to those who volunteer their services during Kippford Week. Below is a table of jobs that you may wish to consider helping with. Please note that rescue boat teams will, wherever possible, be made up of qualified drivers and crewed by persons working towards a driver's qualification and/or attended the SYC training days and/or have a first aid certificate. Therefore, when completing the table please enter qualification or training.

The bar will be open after racing and will need to be tended. Anyone wishing to volunteer for the bar is required to undertake statutory training. You will be contacted prior to Kippford Week to arrange.

There is a table of duties below. Please fill in the table with your initials.
If you have a preference for the day that you wish to help,

If you do not have a preference, we will allocate a day and time to you, which will appear on the Master Duty Sheet on the kitchen door. If this turns out to be unsuitable, please arrange to swap with someone

Job	Volunteer 1	Volunteer 2
I will help with the bar		
I will help with food preparation during racing		
I will help in the kitchen after racing		
I will help with launching and recovery		
I will help with safety boats I hold an RYA PB2 qualification Yes / No I hold a first aid certificate Yes / No		
I don't mind what I do		

Please print your name(s) and, if you agree, telephone or mobile numbers as contact details:

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