

## **Tata Steel Sailing Club CORONAVIRUS – 18<sup>th</sup> UPDATE**

## **Resumption of Sailing/Windsurfing Programme**

You may have seen that the Welsh Government has brought forward the date for organised outdoor activities for 30 people to Monday 26<sup>th</sup> April, a week before the previous date referenced in the Commodore's recent update. The revised programme of sailing is as follows:

**28<sup>th</sup> April**: Wednesday 1 series commences. There will be one race starting at 19:00, gate will open at 18:00 for rigging and launching. The Wednesday 1 series will run to the 23<sup>rd</sup> June, 9 races. Although Wednesdays are primarily for racing, casual sailors and windsurfers can also attend.

 $2^{nd}$  May: Sunday Spring series commences, two 45 min. races back-to-back,  $1^{st}$  start at 11:00, gate will open at 10:00. The Sunday Spring series will run to the  $27^{th}$  June, 18 races. Casual sailing/windsurfing is from 14:00-16:00.

**3<sup>rd</sup> May**: Bank Holiday mini series, three short races back-to-back, 1<sup>st</sup> start at 11:00, gate will open at 10:00. Casual sailing/windsurfing is from 14:00-16:00.

There will be an online booking system which will be available from the 21<sup>st</sup> April. Where you can book up to 7 days in advance and you must book at least 24 hours before the event. As in last year's sailing, there are no clubhouse facilities available. So you must arrive changed or change in the car park and bring your own refreshments.

The current under-18s coaching sessions that DJ Edwards kindly runs, and the Sunday maintenance sessions will continue to the 25<sup>th</sup> April.

**Important**: The OOD rota was cleared for the period before the 3<sup>rd</sup> May so if you've booked then you'll need to rebook. There are now large gaps in the rota. If you haven't booked your OOD duties, please do as without the duty teams there's no sailing.

Best regards and please stay safe.

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