

# ROYAL NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE YACHT CLUB

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# WHO WE ARE

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- ▶ MAINLY CURRENT AND RETIRED ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE PERSONNEL.
- ▶ THE CLUB WAS STARTED IN 1947 BY SERVING RNVR/RNR OFFICERS WITH AN INTEREST IN SAILING WHO MET IN THE NAVAL CLUB IN LONDON
- ▶ IT HAS A MEMBERSHIP OF NEARLY 450 AND HAS PROVIDED A FIRST 40.7 FOR THE USE OF MEMBERS.
- ▶ ITS MEMBERS ARE BASED ALL OVER THE UK

# OBJECTIVES OF THE CLUB

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## *Objects*

*The objects of the Club are:*

- (a) to provide members with an annual programme of economical sailing opportunities, including cruising, racing and sail training, and social and educational events;*
- (b) to maintain access to craft for the use of members;*
- (c) to uphold the privileges and prestige of the Club as a Service Yacht Club by every means possible; and*
- (d) to foster relations with and encourage the recruitment of new members from the Royal Naval Reserve, other Maritime Reserves and the Royal Navy (including University Royal Naval Units), the Royal Marines, the Royal Fleet Auxiliary and their Commonwealth equivalents.*

*The DNA of the Club is sailing for the maritime reserves.*

# HOW IT USED TO BE

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# HOW IT IS TODAY

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# WHAT WE AIM FOR

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WE WANT MORE PARTICIPATION FROM RNR UNITS PARTICULAR FROM THOSE OUTSIDE OF THE MAIN CATCHMENT AREA OF LONDON

TO DO THIS WE ARE DEVELOPING A PROGRAMME FOR YOUNGER MEMBERS.

TO BOTH ATTRACT NEW MEMBERS AND RETAIN EXISTING MEMBERS

WE CAN ONLY FUNCTION AS A SAILING CLUB WITH THE INVOLVEMENT OF ACTIVE SAILORS



- ▶ CAMBRIA IS ONE OF THE MOST ACTIVE PARTICIPANTS OUTSIDE OF LONDON.
- ▶ IT HAS SUPPLIED MEMBERS AND NON MEMBERS TO BOTH OUR SAILING AND SKIING EVENTS.
- ▶ ALTHOUGH MANY EVENTS ARE “SOLENT CENTRIC” THE CLUB IS TRYING TO GET MORE EVENTS OUTSIDE OF THE SOUTH EAST
- ▶ WE HAVE AN EXTENSIVE WEST COUNTRY SAILING PROGRAMME THIS YEAR AND HAVE BERTHS AVAILABLE ON VOLUNTEER FOR EITHER THE CRUISE OR THE POSITIONING VOYAGES.
- ▶ WE WOULD LIKE TO GET MORE EVENTS ARRANGED IN MORE AREAS THAN PRESENT



- ▶ CAMBRIA'S BALTIC CRUISE PARTICIPATION WAS MUCH APPRECIATED BY THE CLUB







# CAMBRIA ON PARADE



# CAMBRIA ON STAND BY

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# 2017 FASTNET CAMPAIGN AND RACING

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- ▶ THE CAMPAIGN IS BEING MANAGED BY SIMON TURNER (HMS VIVAD) AND OZ RHODES (HMS FLYING FOX)
- ▶ IT WILL HAVE CREW FROM CAMBRIA AMONGST OTHER DIVISIONS.
- ▶ THE INTENTION IS TO USE VOLUNTEER FOR FURTHER OFFSHORE RACING IN 2018.
- ▶ ADDITIONALLY IT IS THE AIM TO PUT TOGETHER A COWES WEEK CAMPAIGN INVITING CREWS FROM DIFFERENT DIVISIONS TO PARTICIPATE ON DIFFERENT DAYS IN 2018

# THE FUTURE

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- ▶ THE CLUB WANTS TO PLAY ITS PART IN GETTING THE MARITIME RESERVES TO SEA.
- ▶ WE BELIEVE THOSE RESERVISTS WHO SAIL WITH US WILL BE LONG TERM MEMBERS OF THE CLUB
- ▶ THE CLUB HAS ASSETS IN EXCESS OF £140,000.
- ▶ IT WANTS TO USE THESE FUNDS TO PROMOTE ITS OBJECTIVES.
- ▶ BY JOINING YOU CAN BE PART OF THAT FUTURE

