



Notts County SC News January 2021



Happy New Year everyone.

This year is the 60th year since Notts County was formed, so we hope we can celebrate at some point, later in the summer, Joe is starting to plan, but needs help so anyone who can help in planning and at the event please contact social@ncsc.org.uk - thanks.

We are hoping to produce a short history so any one with photos or stories from the past would be gratefully received.

Lockdown

Unfortunately, the grounds, clubhouse & water are closed in accordance with the law. The clubhouse code is changed. We would not expect anyone to drive down for exercise (see Government Guidelines). The club will be checked regularly. We are not public open space and the Government has instructed all outside venues must close.

As soon as we are permitted back we will let you know. Meanwhile some memories from last year below and overleaf.



What a year!

January – The First of the Year race started things off with an excellent turnout and some great weather, it was just a shame I couldn't join that one. There were windy windsurfing days and a great set of races with some of our local clubs in the County Cooler series.

February – More wild weather, the floods arrived and disrupted things, as well as washing away some of our precious blue dye! The Uni students were not to be put off and two big events, Pondlife and Snakebite, were held with big numbers and in great weather.

March – We all got racing with the Black and White series, for a while. The workparties continued to keep the place shipshape and much planning was in hand for the big spring and summer of sailing to come.

April – Not a lot on the water, but a virtual regatta and fun, zoom-style, celebrations for some. The new training hub development stayed on course.

May – Back on the water, casual style. The youths leading the way.

June – Racing, of a sort, again. Pauline back in business – takeaways at least

July – Sun, Sailing, SUPs, Sailboards, Swimmers, Spectators....just a whole lot of S

August – more of the S's, who needs Spain anyway – seems they came to us. Youth training bonus at the club, including RYA Youth race course.

September – More race series, and lots more recreation. Just trace and track.

October – Autumnal chills – sailing for the keen as desired

November – AGM time, planning for the future, a time of Tiers. But the water stays there.

December – The zealous still out on the water, including the youths of course.

Next year will have all of this, without so much of that, I look forward to it. I look forward to not speaking through a screen, I look forward to plain old sailing business as usual, I look forward to properly celebrating 60 years of NCSC!

Yours James

Please note everything [underlined links](#) to more information and please like our Facebook page & Twitter page for latest news [Twitter link](#) [Facebook link](#). The News page (linked from www.ncsc.org.uk has events and photos. See Calendar for future events.



Notices

From the Training Section

What a year!

No training since the middle of March but with the vaccines on the horizon we will hope that this will change in 2021.

Courses are pencilled in for the coming season and will be on the website soon. There will be no Easter courses this year, the first planned course is the Spring junior/adult. Please register interest in any of the courses we provide by emailing training@ncsc.org.uk

Training is looking to the future and making a long term plan to develop and extend the offers of training for members and non members.

Finally thank you to the members who give their time to helping with training hopefully we will be back in action before long.

Membership reminders - thank you to all the members who have paid for their 2021 membership. If you have not received an invoice or there is a query please do not hesitate to contact Kathryn on membership@ncsc.org.uk

For those who have taken delivery of a new SUP or kayak reminder you need to complete a permit request prior to using for proof of insurance cover ([available here](#)).

A warm welcome to new member Chris Stubbs with a Solo and a RS200 who's recently moved to the area.

Below: Some photos from the year

