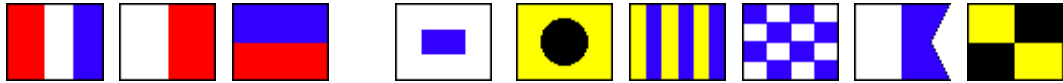




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Newsletter Of Swarkestone Sailing Club.

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Boxing Day Racing

The start time for the Boxing Day Race is 11.00am followed by a social in the afternoon ~ < Hik > **BRING MINCE PIES !!**

Please Write an Article

Please share your experiences and write an article for the next newsletter. Articles to: thesignal@sailswarkestone.com or to Ken Butterfield

Have You a Skill?

To keep membership prices to an absolute minimum working parties help keep our club in pristine condition. If you have a skill which can help us keep costs down, whilst maintaining and developing our facilities please let a committee member know as soon as possible.

SWARKESTONE
SAILING CLUB



NEED YOU

Club Working Party Days - Winter 2006

As in previous years, there are a number of maintenance jobs that need doing around the club to keep things shipshape and we would like you to come along and join in with the Sunday morning work parties, **9.30am - 1.00pm**, from **January 8th till March 12th**

Unlike previous years, there is no special 'dinghy class' day to come - just come when you can - the more the merrier! As an incentive, anyone who turns up before 10.00am will be entered into a draw for a case of wine - an entry every time you come along.

Useful things to bring: old clothes/ overalls, gloves, tools, saws, paint brushes, rags, shovels and sailing kit for jobs on the water/island.

We are especially interested in borrowing a couple of **wheelbarrows** this winter as there is a fair amount of digging out to do for drainage.

On the list below, you will notice some jobs have volunteer's initials beside them. If **you** can be responsible for undertaking any of the jobs on the list, please give Martin a ring on 01332 602298 (after 6.00pm) or 07720 666 479 (anytime) to let him know. All costs for materials etc will be reimbursed.

Job	Initials
Dinghy park gates	MA
Slabs in front of green box	
Shelving in office area	CA/CH
Trees on island to be trimmed	
Barbed wire to perimeter fence	JR/ ?
Drainage around training boat area	
Electric supply to old club house and race box	DF / ?
Ladies modesty door in changing room	
Roofing felt on old clubhouse	
Race box refurbishment	SH/ ?
Windows in clubhouse	KI /MA/ ?
Bring in buoys and paint	
Bring in boat garage, remove barnacles and felt roof	
Wooden fence at entrance: repair/ replace / paint	
Dinghy park rails: repair / replace /paint	
Patio furniture: repair / paint	
General tidying up to front of clubhouse	
Build roof between steel cabins	
Raise floor in disabled toilet	TR

HOT DRINKS AND BISCUITS ARE PROVIDED. BREAKFAST COBS ON SALE AT 1.00PM

Martin Atkinson - Vice commodore.

The Wednesday evening talks in March are in hand and topics covered will include Racing Rules and what to expect when you are on duty. Look out for further details in the clubhouse.
