

## REAR COMMODORE HOUSE UPDATE SEPTEMBER 2020

Hi everyone,

Time for the September update! While I write this, the sun is splitting the stones outside but as you know, some of our Trophy races have been cancelled recently due to some inclement weather (STORMS!!). At KYC we were lucky in the fact that our upgraded marina is a fairly robust beast at this stage and we did not incur damage, other clubs were not so lucky and we must sympathise with them, we had our own run of bad luck during Ophelia so we know how it feels.

### HOUSE STUFF:

I was amazed recently at the number of white cards still waiting to be collected from the bar, in one sense it is an indication of the number of members who are not using their club and this is a great pity, the club is so very well set up for social distance dining and is a safe place to come and meet other club members. The club dining aspect has never been so popular and busy, the food is fantastic and at €15 per main course is terrific value. You can use your card to pay for food and drinks, remember, you have paid for this card so why not use it? The card is valid until the end of the year due to the pandemic. I would encourage you to call in to the club and collect your card asap, we will begin the process of posting them out in the coming weeks if not collected.

On the subject of club dining, we intend to continue club dining on Friday and Saturday nights on an ongoing basis because of its popularity, remember to book at 021 4773433 this is essential to guarantee a table.

Driving? We carry a substantial range of 0% alcohol in the bar (and some of it is quite drinkable!)

### SAILING STUFF:

Doyle Solicitors TGIF this Friday FG @ 18.25

Spalpeen Trophy this Friday 4<sup>th</sup> September FG @ 18.15

Mary P September League begins this Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> September FG @ 15.55 (Hair and makeup essential, Bob Bateman is coming along to take your photos!!)

Daunt Race is on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> FG @ 10.55

KYC At Home is Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> FG TBA

White Sails October Series and Cimarron Trophy Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> FG @ 12.55

Dragons Saturdays FG @ 14.25

### A MESSAGE FROM ANTHONY SCANNELL REAR COMMODORE MARINA

“We have recently installed a bicycle rack with 8 spaces for bicycles in the sheltered space under the concrete external stairway in the dinghy park. The idea behind this is to offer a secure parking place for cyclists as we ask members not to place bicycles on the marina gangway where they have been causing a problem for wheelchair users and users of the trolleys.”

Best regards,

Tony

A reminder that the Tuesday Coffee Morning continues as normal and is as popular as always.

As I have said in previous updates, please let us know if there is anything we can do to assist you in these strange times, KYC has always had a great club/community spirit and I believe that this has become only stronger of late.

So here we go into the Autumn, 2020 is the gift that keeps on giving! (I might need to do a creative writing course to keep us all going!)

Looking forward to social distancing with you in KYC!

Sue