

## **ACBOC SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER 2025**



### **AGM & Social**

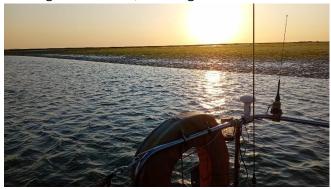
The next meeting is the AGM to be held at 20:00 on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> October. Wivenhoe Sailing Club. This is an important meeting for Shareholders and associate members as there are proposals which affect future fees, membership and management

# **Cruises in Company**

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> September is the Annual Colne Smack and Barge race. Timings from 07:30.

Friday 19th to Sunday 21st is the cruise to Bradwell, taking in the Airshow. Friday night meal at the Green Man. The marina is not taking group bookings. Please let Dave know if you are going (07968 630727). Remember to book a berth in the marina, if required. (01621 776235 / 776391)

The weekend of the 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> August was the annual trip to Heybridge with an evening meal at the Jolly Sailor. Intending to make the most of the weather and tide, boats left on the Friday tide spending the evening in Bradwell, Lawling Creek or off Osea.



Making for Heybridge on The Saturday started an impromptu race, as they say one boat is a cruise any more than that is racing.





Locking in completed and boats were able to tie up in the basin. Five boats in all. Together with those who travelled by road, it made for a good turnout at the meal. The weather and kindly seas ensured that the sail back was every bit as enjoyable. For

once the normal rule of wind on the nose in both directions seems to have been forgotten.

#### Shed news

It is very pleasing to see people recycling their unloved boaty bits at the sheds. It is worth putting a picture on WhatsApp to let people know what is there together with a date for removal of any items not rehomed.

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