

HPYC HOLIDAY WEEK 3-7 AUGUST 2026 - DRAFT PLANNING DOCUMENT (V1)

Day	<i>AM. Offsite activities (not arranged by HPYC) which may be of interest</i>	Lunch	PM Activity	HW	Evening	Bar duty	Remarks
Monday 3 August	NA	Bring your own.	12:00. Briefing and Activity Sign ups, TBC followed by Treasure Hunt. 14:30-1700 Sailing#	15:54/ 4.24m	19:00. Boat Drive. Arranged by Frank Oliver.	Chris Comper.	*Safety Boat. [Chris Comper & A N Other volunteer]. (Subject to a minimum of 6 persons for Safety Boat launch and recovery. A qualified Winch operator is essential). # Opportunity to practise sailing skills.
Tuesday 4 August	Herne Bay Festival: 10:00. Seashore Safari at Reculver. Bookings: seasidemuseumevents@gmail.com	Volunteer, please.	1300-1400. Crabbing. 14:30-1700. Sailing# Tracy Island	16:33/ 4.13m	Bike Ride. Starts 18:00. Assemble at the Club. Opportunity to buy Fish & Chips in Tankerton (cash only).	[Volunteer, please].	*Safety Boat. [Volunteers, please]. # Possible opportunity for Safety Boat & RO/ARO training and to practise sailing skills.
Wednesday 5 August	Herne Bay Festival: 12:00. Sandcastles in the Sky opposite Cain's Arcade. No booking required.	Volunteer, please.	15:30-1800 Sailing# Tracy Island.	17:18/ 3.96m	19:00. Family Bingo. Chris Comper	[Volunteer, please].	*Safety Boat. [Volunteers, please]. # Possible opportunity for Safety Boat & RO/ARO training and to practise sailing skills.
Thursday 6 August	Herne Bay Festival: 10:00-14:00 Mini Golf competition. Children free. 137-140 Central Parade. No booking required. And/or 11:30 Scavenger Hunt Opposite Hampton Pier Inn. Bookings: seasidemuseumevents@gmail.com	Volunteer, please.	1530-1900. Sailing# Tracy Island.	18:10/ 3.76m	Suggestions, please?? With emphasis on activities in which children can join in.	[Volunteer, please].	*Safety Boat. [Volunteers, please] # Possible opportunity for Safety Boat & RO/ARO training and to practise sailing skills.
Friday 7 August		Volunteer, please.	16:30. Holiday Week sailing race. RO/ARO Barry & Denise.	19:16/ 3.57m	18:00. Bring your Own BBQ.	[Volunteer, please].	Safety Boat. [Volunteers, please].

NOTES

REGISTRATION

General. Parents/Guardians must register their children and provide a contact telephone number (appropriate forms will be available) and ensure that their youngsters are supervised by a responsible adult at all times when on club premises, or involved in any off-site activities that may be organised by HPYC.

Event Specific. Separate sign-up sheets will be available at the opening briefing session on Monday morning for the proposed sessions on Crabbing, Treasure hunt and any other events we may agree to organise.

SAFETY

Managing Risks. All participants are urged to familiarise themselves with the Sail Training Risk Assessment document. This document aims to help individuals understand the nature of potential hazards associated with dinghy sailing and specific measures that can be taken to reduce risks to an acceptable level.

Buoyancy Aids. A limited number of club buoyancy aids will be available to borrow, but please bring your own if you can.

TRACY ISLAND - (BUOYANCY AIDS MUST BE WORN). In previous years, these rubber rings have proven to be very popular with the children (both young and not so young!). Careful supervision is therefore crucial. There will be a beach party on duty most of the time but individual parents/guardians will be responsible for ensuring adequate safeguarding of their own children.