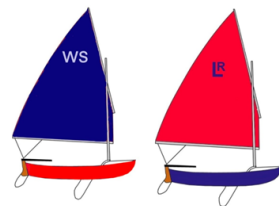




2025 Scow Nationals - Keyhaven

NEWSLETTER OF THE LR SCOW CLASS ASSOCIATION



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FINDING THE WEBSITE



Our new website is up and running smoothly, but it can be a little tricky to locate the first time you visit.

You can get there in two simple ways:

- Scan the QR code provided in this newsletter or
- Type the full address into your browser:

<https://www.lymingtonriverscow.org/>

Once you're on the site, don't forget to bookmark it so you can return quickly in the future.

We are making efforts to improve the website's findability and its content and, to that end, would be very pleased to hear from any member who might be willing to help keep it up to date. In short, and for want of a better term, we are looking for a **webmaster**. If you have the skills, time and inclination to help, please make yourself known to lrscs.sec@gmail.com. This role could, but does not necessarily need to be, a committee role.

NEW COMMITTEE MEMBERS FOR 2026

At the AGM (September 2025), Jay Devonshire (Chair) thanked Richard Griffiths and David Linsell for all their work on the Committee, and the class is very grateful to David for maintaining the accounts in such an organised state.

New members and officers were elected as follows:

Hon. Treasurer – Roger Wilson

Committee Member – Red Johnson

Continuing members and officers are:

Hon. President – The Hon Mary Montagu-Scott

Chair – Jay Devonshire

Vice Chair – Bill Vance

Hon. Secretary – Jeremy Vines

Committee Members – Stuart Rowney, Josephine Neives and Jane Corden.

We also have vacancies on the Committee and would love to hear from any member who might be willing to serve. Being a Committee member is not onerous, and is a great opportunity to get more involved, contribute to the running and development of the Association, and meet and work with fellow members. It can be both enjoyable and very rewarding, and we would warmly encourage anyone who might be interested to get in touch via lrscasec@gmail.com.

THE 2026 CHAMPIONSHIPS – IMMINENT – 19TH/20TH SEPTEMBER

The 2026 National Championships will take place at Royal Lymington YC over the weekend of the 19th and 20th September 2026. Entries are open and can be reached via the link below.

<https://rlymyc.org.uk/LRscownationals>

Entries remain open, and we would encourage all eligible Scow owners and crews to take part in what promises to be an excellent weekend of racing.

2026 AGM NEXT MONTH

Saturday 17th October – 1800hrs at RLymYC followed by an informal Class supper at 1930hrs.

Complimentary welcome drinks will be available from 1730hrs prior to the AGM.

THE TREASURER WRITES

Payment of Subscriptions.

Many thanks to all those members who have paid by Bank Transfer – much appreciated.

Roger Wilson – Hon. Treasurer.

ENTRIES FOR TRAIL SAIL AND TELL-TALE TROPHIES ALWAYS WELCOME!

DO CONSIDER SUBMITTING NEWS AND VIEWS FOR OUR NEXT NEWSLETTER.

New and refurbished Scows are on sale through our builder – contact John Claridge and visit his website for full details. <https://www.johnclaridgeboats.com/>

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