

# Newsletter 003

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## Irish Summer is Here!

### Update from the committee

- 📢 PLEASE NOTE: Public Row Saturday 10th August is cancelled due to bad weather forecast.
- 😊 A big thanks to all those who responded to the SOS and are helping with the Meitheal Mara Youth Summer Camp this week, the kids seem to be having a great time and their technique is coming on in leaps and bounds, good luck to them all in their regatta tomorrow at Lapp's Quay!
- ⚙️ Maintenance Update: Please note that Gráinne Mhaol and the NC Club Trailer are both out of use at the moment. Caitlin is back in service and Bád Bean Abhainn is due to be returned to the club following overhaul shortly.
- 👍 Thanks to club members who helped with the community groups who were visiting from Northern Ireland, particularly Robert Boyle, who got absolutely drenched selflessly jumping into the river to assist with a capsized Dunfanaghy.
- ➡️ Thanks to Pamela & Alan for their recent contributions to the Club Blog, [you can read both here](#). If anyone would like to write up on a recent or past event, please drop an email to [currachs@gmail.com](mailto:currachs@gmail.com) or talk to Angela.

### Congratulations & Condolences

- Condolences to Ger Baldwin & Family on the loss of his mother Pat, may she Rest in Peace.
- 🎂 Happy Birthday to members Antoinette, Maighread & Pamela. If I've missed anyone, happy birthday to you too!

### Upcoming Events

#### Club Events

- 🍷 Wednesday night social rowing has been resurrected by Zoltan, usually meeting around 6:30pm for a leisurely row with optional stop off for coffee/shandy and a chat. Details on Facebook Group/Forum.
- 🚣 Gathering of the Boats, Ballydehob is 17th August, meeting in Baltimore 2pm and then rowing to Ballydehob with camping in Ballydehob Saturday evening. More details to follow by email from Paul.
- Jack O'Keeffe is going to try and organise a memorial on Sunday 18th August in Gougane Barra for Michael McLaughlin who recently passed. Further details to follow from Jack.
- 🚩 Rebel Raid set for 22nd - 25th August and is already full, a waiting list is in operation, details available on the [Club Forum](#).
- 🚣 New preliminary date for Bull Rock row is 31st August, pending suitable weather, further details and expressions of interest to follow the week prior from [Frank O'Neill](#).
- 🏠 7th September Houghfast Boutique Row & Festival on the River Shannon (Clonmacnoise - Banagher) further details to follow from Paul.

### Non-Club Events

- 🐉 **Cork Dragons Regatta** Saturday 17th August
- 🖋️ [Cork Craft Month](#) 1st - 31st August
- 🎭 [Beara Arts Festival](#) 6th - 11th August
- 🎪 [Scully's Fest](#) 8th -12th August
- 🏠 [Schull Regatta](#) 10th - 11th August
- 🏠 [Cobh People's Regatta](#) 16th - 18th August
- 🏠 [Cork Heritage Open Day](#) 17th August
- 🏠 [Dingle Regatta](#) 17th & 18th August

### Focus On: **Barcelona Regatta 2018** 😊

Some of our lovely members headed out to Barcelona for the Regatta last year, and are planning on going again in 2020. You can read more about it on the club's website where member Pamela Morrison has done a lovely write up for the club's blog - [Barcelona or Bust!](#)

### Important Dates

Saturday 11th Aug	Regattas Leitir Mór (Coiste League)
Saturday 17th Aug	Public Rowing
Saturday 17th Aug	Ballydehob Gathering of the Boats
Saturday 17th Aug	Regattas
& Sunday 18th Aug	Dingle Regatta
Sunday 18th Aug	Memorial: Michael McLaughlin

Don't forget if you have anything you'd like to add to upcoming newsletters you can drop a line to [currachs@gmail.com](mailto:currachs@gmail.com)



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