



Deben Discovery Cruise

7th to 8th May

Cruise organisers: Clive and Barbara Hilton

THERE will be a timed passage from the Woodbridge Haven buoy to Washington buoy and back – 4.8 NM.



**We won't be going if it's like this on the bar –
you can if you want. Yes, it's the Deben Bar!**



We won't be eating here: so you won't need a dinghy though a lunchtime pint is always possible if not taking part in the timed passage!

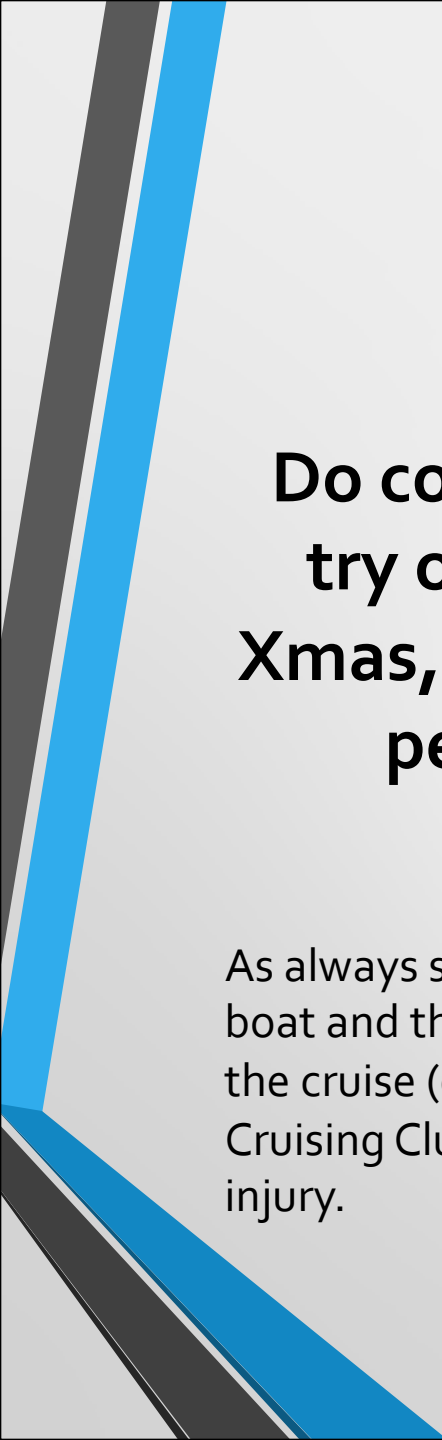


So we shouldn't be getting ashore like this:



PROGRAMME

- Moorings at Ramsholt will be arranged for those requiring them on Sunday night (7th May) prior to the timed passage. The Ramsholt Arms will be open at lunchtime for those wishing to check the outboard!
- The Timed Passage for yachts (from the Woodbridge Haven Buoy, round Washington Buoy and back to Woodbridge Haven Buoy) will take place on Monday 8th May.
- HW Woodbridge Haven is approximately 1415. You should aim to be back in the river by 1300 to allow time for a leisurely sail to the Tidemill Marina (HW 1457, 2.47m). Woodbridge Haven to Washington buoy and back is 4.8 NM approx. so allow an hour and a half depending on conditions and boat speed. We will aim to leave the river around half tide i.e. 1100 approx. depending on conditions and draught.
- After the timed passage there will be SADS at the Club. Subject to weather conditions there may be a bbq or a casual meal at a local restaurant..
- The prize-giving will be during SADS – winner decided by “Magic” formula!



Do come; it should be fun and a chance to try out all those new gizmos she got for Xmas, and to check out the Deben entrance perhaps for the first time this year.

As always skippers are solely responsible for the safety of their crew and boat and therefore make their own decisions whether to participate in the cruise (or any part of it) and neither the organisers nor Woodbridge Cruising Club can accept liability for any accident, damage, or other injury.