



SWAN RADCOT CRUISER CLUB

2025 AGM

13th September

The Trout Inn, Lechlade



1. Introduction by SRCC Commodore to those present
2. Meeting apologies
3. Ratification and matters arising from 2024 AGM Minutes
4. Treasurer's financial report
5. Commodore's review
6. SRCC resolutions for member vote:

Proposal 1:

To introduce a £10 change of ownership membership fee

- When a member sells their boat, membership for the current year is deemed to have ceased, and no partial refund offered on the current year's membership fee
- Bring change of ownership in line with paragraph 4 of SRCC's Constitution which states

"Full membership is open to all who have, or would aspire to have, a boat on the Upper Thames..."

Purpose:

- To retain club boats in membership

Benefit:

- Member boat retention in the current membership year (*and hopefully future years*)
- Unique Selling Point (USP) for boat sellers in recognition of their membership to date
- USP for boat buyers to reduce cost of new membership

Proposal 2:

To offer a £35 lapsed renewal membership discount

- To be conducted as a one-off exercise
- To be offered to all* past club members who have not renewed since September '22

** Unless change of ownership known by the club. Using last known email contact details & general website and social media advertising.*

Purpose:

- To increase club membership

Benefit:

- More boat members = larger boating community = more revenue for club activities



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Proposal 3:

To offer one price for crane out, regardless of boat size

Purpose:

To be discussed

Benefit:

- Ease of administration

Proposal 4:

To move AGM to 1 week before official crane out & incorporate with End of Season Party

Purpose:

- To increase club attendance
- To alleviate financial reconciliation burden on Treasurer by splitting the dates money is received from members for renewals, and club events

Benefit:

- Will enable more members to attend and stay on their boats, especially those who live far away
- Time saving for organising committee members
- Monetary saving for club
- Ease of financial reconciliation

Proposal 5:

To introduce a mentor scheme for new member boats

On membership, new members will be allocated an existing club boat as a 'shadow boat'

The new member boat, and the allocated shadow boat will be offered the opportunity of making contact with each other to spark up a mentoring relationship

It will be for the new member and their shadow boat to agree what kind of relationship they would like, e.g., end of a phone/text/email for questions/advice, or meeting up occasionally/regularly to talk boating or go boating

The allocation of shadow boats will be chosen based on obvious fit (*if one exists, e.g., boat make*) and will specifically not be chosen based on geographical proximity (*to protect privacy of both shadow boats*)

Purpose:

- To increase the sense of community within the club
- To provide new members with guidance, advice and signposting from seasoned hands
- To provide new members with a first stop port of call for any questions they may have, but are afraid to ask, or don't know who to ask

Benefit:

- Increased sense of community for both new and old member boats
- Sharing of good/correct advice



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7.

Election of Officers, Committee & President		<i>Proposed by:</i>
Nomination for Vice Commodore	<i>No nominations received</i>	
Nomination for Auditor:	<i>No nominations received</i>	
Nomination for Crane Out Planner:	<i>No nominations received</i>	

8. Any other business

9. 2025/2026 Diary of Events (TBC)

• Crane Out Field Prep	11/10/2025
• Crane Out 2025	18/10/2025
• End of Season Party	25/10/2025
• Winter Talk	20/11/2025
• Winter Talk	15/01/2026
• Winter Talk	19/03/2026
• Boat Jumble Sale	28/03/2026
• Crane In	04/04/2026
• Midsummer Party	20/06/2026
• Fun Weekend	28-31/08/26
• Membership Renewals	01/09/2026
• Crane Out Field Prep	10/10/2026
• AGM & End of Season party	10/10/2026
• Crane Out 2026	17/10/2026