

# Bristol Gig Club AGM 2015 –Rowing Captains Report

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## Summary

Thank you to Sue Smith for work with youth – new group moving forwards , Sarah G and Carl are staying on as youth recruiters. Sarah still has some handbooks we distributed last time.

Sue Smith can take an erg session.

Maria co-ordinates Wednesday night

We need a Sat co-ordinator and an overall youth team leader.

Thank you to Ian and Becky for hard work as bosun and bosuns mate – sure Ian will give an update later regarding boats.

Thank you to Becky and Catherine for co-ordinating all of the open rowing and making that a cohesive group who feel they have a cohesive group with a voice

Thank you to the selectors and to Sue P and for the erg and coxing training

Thank you to all the towers , without whom we would not actually get to all the events

Thank you to Nicki for being calendar queen

## Events Attended;

4th March Caradon 3 rivers

Scillies

Zennor for those who didnt go to scillies 8th May

Weymouth CLUB regatta 23rd May

Meva SENIOR regatta 13th June

Caradon VETS 28th June

4th July Langstone Regatta and round Hayling race , also womens crew borrowed a boat and raced at Mounts Bay same weekend

11th July Ilfracombe SENIOR

28th July Rame CLUB

8th August Lyme CLUB

Appledore 22nd August Senior

then Newquay and the poor U16 Champs got cancelled twice

## Looking forward

Proposal for rowing committee structure – following on from feedback and suggestions , for a more effective rowing committee , that we have a named mens and womens captain for the full season , who represent those competing a senior level. The same for each of the other rowing groups, but the key is that these people are consistent through out the season and they are the true voice of those they represent.

At first rowing committee meeting , decisions need to be made on the regattas we are attending and in which capacity. Will use a template for typing up minutes at the meeting and ask for reports to be sent electronically before hand too , as rowing committee agenda is extensive and there is no admin role on it

Confirm on going selectors and if we need replacements the requirements of the role will go out and those interested asked to put their names forward. Selection criteria and timings will then be agreed and released to the club via the news letter and also put on the website