

NRC Executive September 2020

Recreational and Explore Rowing report

The Virtual Thames Tour and quiz took place in August.

Some clubs have commenced Learn to Row courses using singles and doubles.

Eight clubs have shown interest in staging a round of the Sunday League next year and to accommodate wishes we have produced a draft timetable starting in March 2021 which seeks firstly to make use of the most suitable tides for locations on tidal waters

March 14th 2021 - Tyne ARC

April 11th 2021 - Durham

May 2nd 2021 - Hexham

June 6th 2021 - Berwick

July 4th 2021 - Tynemouth

August 1st 2021 - Ebchester

September 5th 2021 - Talkin Tarn

October 3rd 2021 - Tyne United

Some clubs have confirmed that the dates allocated are acceptable to them, while others are yet to respond. Rounds have been scheduled for the first Sunday in the month, apart from March in order to avoid the same weekend as Derwentwater Head and April to avoid Easter.

The location and format of the Ebchester round has yet to be determined. All venues will be subject to whatever COVID-19 restrictions are in place.

We are grateful to Caroline Scholl who has been a valuable member of the Sunday League steering group in recent years but is unable to continue next year in this capacity or in her dual role as co-ordinator for DARC events. Further assistance with organisation would therefore be useful.

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