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**MONTHLY NEWSLETTER**

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## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



RSYC Members are reminded that the AGM 2021 will be held at RSYC on Saturday, **20 November 2021** at **4.00pm**.

A provisional Notice of the AGM will be sent to the Members together with the Statement of Account for September 2021. Two forms for, [1], the submission of motions to amend the Rules or, [2], to propose “Any Other Matters”, [3] a copy of the previous AGM Minutes and [4] a copy of the audited Financial Statements for FYE 31 December 2020 will also be sent together for the early information of Members.

Further updates on the AGM will be announced to the Club Members through the Club website, e-mail and November 2021 newsletter.

## GET A WAIVER OF 3 MONTHS' SUBSCRIPTION!

Responding to several requests from some Members for the Club to grant discounts or waivers on the Club's monthly charges and subscriptions in view of the Covid-19 lockdowns which had curtailed Members' activities at the Club for the past few months, the Committee has agreed to grant waivers of three months of Membership subscriptions on condition that the Member's account's ageing as at 31 October, 2021 is maintained satisfactorily.

*The Committee wishes to announce that the Club will implement an incentive scheme whereby Club Members*

- *paying the full monthly subscription of RM90.00 plus 6% SST, and*
- *have maintained the **ageing** of their outstanding accounts with the Club as at **31 October, 2021** to **within only 'Current' and '1 Month'**,*
- *will be entitled to have **three months' subscriptions waived**, that is for the months of November 2021, December 2021 and January 2022.*

Please check your latest statement of account as at 30 September, 2021 and remember to pay up all the outstanding amounts or, at least, the '**1 Month**', '**2 Months**' and '**3 Months & Over**' balances. Remember to make your payments before Sunday, 31 October 2021!

Should you have any query, please seek clarification from the Office via Tel.: 03-3168 6964 or email: [info@rsyc.com.my](mailto:info@rsyc.com.my).

## RSYC SAILING ACTIVITIES



Good news to all sailors!

The Club sailing activities will resume in October with full SOP-compliance by the participants and staff.

The Fleet Sailing will be held on Sunday, 10 October, followed by a 2-Day Mini Regatta on Saturday and Sunday, 23 and 24 October.

Those who are interested to join the events, please contact the RSYC Management Office at 03-31686964 or e-mail [sailing@rsyc.com.my](mailto:sailing@rsyc.com.my) for further details.

## WATER-GATE AT OLD RAMP



A new and more robust Water-Gate has been installed at the old boat ramp in late September. This will act as a flood barrier to keep out the water during high tides from overflowing into the Yard and the Members' carpark. It replaces the previous water-gate that had been damaged due to the heavy battering it had received from the strong currents and the high tide.

## SWIMMING POOL DECK AND ASSOCIATED RE-DEVELOPMENT WORKS

The project was disrupted during the MCO 3.0 (Total Lockdown) and work only resumed in late August.



Swimming Pool annexe & Gym



Committee visit on 17 April 2021



Bar area. Pool-side Café at the lower deck



Kid's Playroom



Trustees visit on 1 May 2021





**VVIP Lounge on the upper deck area |  
Computer Room**



**Banquet Hall**



**Gents Shower/Changing Room**



**Ladies Shower/Changing Room**



**Gym Entrance/Reception Area**



**Gym**



**Open Air Rooftop Terrace**



**Upper Floor Washroom**

## NEW LANDSCAPE BEHIND CLUBHOUSE



The open strip of vacant land between the swimming pool's changing rooms and the old yard which had been left unattended for a long time was recently cleaned up and landscaped with new decorations and greenery. Two old and disused sail boats were re-purposed into feature-planter boxes, one at each end of the narrow strip of land. To highlight and demarcate the borders of the lawn, concrete blocks from the reconstruction of the changing room floor and walls were re-cycled to mark the planting lines for the shrubs and palm trees.

## 31ST RAJA MUDA SELANGOR INTERNATIONAL REGATTA



The 31st RMSIR was originally planned to take place in November 2020 but was later postponed due to the worldwide pandemic. We now recognise that Malaysia has made excellent progress with vaccination campaigns and that the number of serious cases are predicted to fall significantly in the fourth quarter of 2021. The Minister of Health has announced that, “Malaysia should enter the endemic phase by the end of October and at that time we will start to live with the virus, with more sectors reopened.”

**The RSYC Committee are, therefore, pleased to announce that the 31st RMSIR will take place from 10th to 18th December 2021 in a simplified form.**

This scaled down version will be a series of friendly passage and harbor races, following the usual Port Klang - Pangkor - Penang - Langkawi route, but with a revised format to include sailing to Pangkor overnight on Sunday, 12th December. The usual passage race, Pangkor-Penang, will be scheduled but there will not be any local racing in Penang. The fleet

will then sail on to Langkawi after an overnight stop. Two days of harbour racing in Langkawi are scheduled to complete the event. Social gatherings will be limited and will follow the Government SOP, with an opening dinner at RSYC on Saturday 11th December and a closing dinner in Langkawi on Saturday 18th December. There will be no organized social events or entertainment in Pangkor and Penang; food and drinks there will be D.I.Y.

If there are yacht owners who wish to join by starting in Penang on Thursday, 16th December for the passage race to Langkawi, followed by two days of harbour racing in Langkawi, an extra class will be added for this group.

All participants and staff will need to be double vaccinated at least 2 weeks prior to the event, and adhere to an SOP that will be released before to the regatta starts.

For Members who plan to join the Regatta we suggest that you make your crew hotel bookings soon, especially in Langkawi, as this will be a busy holiday period. The Regatta schedule is downloadable at: [http://www.rmsir.com/!DL/RMSIR31\\_Proposed\\_Schedule.pdf](http://www.rmsir.com/!DL/RMSIR31_Proposed_Schedule.pdf)

Please email the organisers at [info1@rmsir.com](mailto:info1@rmsir.com) if you have any questions or wish to register. We look forward to hearing from you.

## STAR SAILING LEAGUE



*Here is a quick update on the SSL training stint for SSL Team Malaysia (“The Monsoon”) in Switzerland in September, 2021. The Club’s Life Commodore, HH Raja Muda Selangor is the Patron of the Team, RSYC Member Megat Danial is the Team Captain and Manager, and RSYC Sailing Instructor, Rizal Mahadi (Tom) is the assistant coach with the Team.*

Kuala Lumpur (30 September 2021) - Malaysia snagged a podium finish at the first Star Sailors League (SSL) Gold Cup Test Event, which ran from 13 to 19 September 2021 in Switzerland. The debut event was held at Lake Neuchâtel in Grandson, Switzerland.

In a tight race against SSL Team Ukraine, the Malaysian crew managed to pip the Ukrainians to the finish line to take third place. SSL Team South Africa emerged the eventual winner with SSL Team Thailand finishing second.

A special event sanctioned by World Sailing (the International Federation of Sailing), the SSL Gold Cup is an international sailing competition designed to be the equivalent of football’s World Cup to decide the world’s best sailing nation. Each nation’s top sailing team has to compete in a standard high performance 47-foot long one-design monohull supplied by the organisers to ensure that there will be no equipment advantage.

The inaugural 2022 SSL Gold Cup will see the top 56 ranked sailing nations of the world vying for the title of world champion. As one of the top 56 nations, Malaysia will get to compete in the SSL Gold Cup. The recent event in Switzerland saw the Malaysian team attending a five-day training clinic from 6 to 10 September before competing in the test regatta.

SSL Team Malaysia, also known as ‘The Monsoon’, comprises 11 of Malaysia’s best sailors where only nine will sail during the competition at any one time.

For more information and for the official results on the SSL Gold Cup, log on to <https://goldcup.starsailors.com/> or visit the SSL Team Malaysia social media pages on Facebook ([www.facebook.com/SSLTeamMalaysia](http://www.facebook.com/SSLTeamMalaysia)) and Instagram ([www.instagram.com/sslteammalaysia/](http://www.instagram.com/sslteammalaysia/)).

## CLUB SOPs

In compliance with the SOPs and guidelines issued by the National Security Council, please be informed that the Club's normal hours of operation will be kept at only between 8.00am until 10.00pm. After being closed for almost three months, Members and guests are now welcomed to the Club, again. As Selangor is still in NRP Phase 3, Members and guests are advised to follow rules as stated below:

1. entry to the Club allowed between 6.00 am to 10.00 pm
2. wear face mask
3. body temperature to not exceed 37.5°C
4. apply social distancing
5. check-in and check-out on your MySejahtera app
6. have not had any recent close-contact with a Covid-19 patient
7. must be fully vaccinated and have completed the required 14 or 28 days, thereafter
8. activities such as boating, fishing and sailing are only allowed between 6.00 am to 10.00 pm
9. allow boarding at 50% of boat capacity
10. dine-in with a maximum of 50% of the normal seating capacity of the dining table
11. no social event or gathering is allowed

## RELA GUARDS



The Club hired four RELA guards to help monitor safety and health compliances by Members and guests for the resumption of the Club's fishing, boating and sailing activities and F&B services. These activities were allowed again at the Club beginning from 26 and 27 August, 2021, respectively, following the relaxation of the National Recovery Plan's Phase 1 rules, but with strict SOPs and guidelines.

The RELA guards, operating in two shifts, are on duty from 7.00 am until 10.00 pm daily. We hope all Club Members, guests and staff will give their full cooperation to the guards.