



Liverpool Canoe Club

Agenda AGM / Paddler of the Year Awards and club presentations of major trips Thursday 23rd October 2025

Location – Liverpool Marina – Anchor Bar and conference room (Access from the bar)

[Please click to reserve a place so we have an idea of the number attending....](#)

Attendance register – please sign in using the sheets

Apologies for absence via email, please. Secretary@liverpoolcanoecub.co.uk

7:00 – 8:00 pm Enjoy a [bar meal with other members](#) before the Awards and Presentations.

7:30 – 8:00 pm – Catch up with Members - Slideshow of the club's activities over the year.

Liverpool Canoe Club is open to all and aims "to provide the maximum canoeing and kayaking opportunities for all its members".

8:00 – 8:20 pm - AGM (Election of Club Officials, Paddler of the Year, Members' Motions)

Welcome from the chair & review of the year



- 1. Apologies for Absence.**
- 2. [Minutes of the previous AGM – Click here](#)**
 - Signed as a true record by the Chair
 - Matters arising.
- 3. Honorary Treasurers (Auditors) report Craig Ford (and membership Statistics)**
- 4. Standards of Deployment and how it is affecting the club – Mark Benson and Jim Duffy**
- 5. Members Survey – Analysis of the responses. (Laura Bevan)**
- 6. Brief reports from each discipline (2 minutes each)**
- 7. Members' motions – Please email any member's motions (two emails, please, from the proposer and seconder) that require an [LCC constitution](#) change. *Deadline 16/10/25***
- 8. Members' Questions – Please email any question(s) about the club, its organisation or its activities to the secretary (5 minutes max given to this item). *Deadline 16/10/25***
- 9. “John Lamb - Lasting Memorial” - Richard Clews**
- 10. Latest Website developments - Keith Steer**
- 11. Chair to thank all the volunteers who have coordinated and guided the club over the past year, especially those who have given up their time to run sessions for its members. Members are reminded that volunteers give their time freely to try and get as many people on the water as possible.**



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12. Election of Officers – Proposed list of those willing to stand for 2025 – 2026 (To be approved by a simple show of hands from those present unless a position has multiple proposals). If you believe that you could contribute to running your club, please speak to any member of the Stewardship Group or to the Volunteer Coordinator (email secretary@liverpoolcanoeclub.co.uk). **Deadline 16/10/25**. This applies to any position below, whether it is currently vacant or not.

Stewardship Core Members (Voting Members)

Chair – **John Cooke**
 Secretary – **Mark Benson**
 Membership Secretary – **Vacant**
 Treasurer – **Vacant**
 Honorary Treasurer (Auditor) – Craig Ford
 Lead Safeguarding Coordinator – Amy Newnham
 Assistant Safeguarding Coordinator Carol Atkinson
 Junior / Youth Coordinator – **Amy Newnham**
 Coaching Coordinator – **Adya Misra**
 Maintenance Coordinator – Dominic Fahey
 Volunteer Coordinator - Roy McHale
 Club Safety Officer – **Kevin Corcoran**
 Home Waters (Docks) Coordinator – **John Fay**

Discipline Coordinators (Voting Members)

Canoe Polo Coordinator – **Callum Cook**
 Junior Polo Coordinator - **Richard Clews**
 Sea Kayaking Coordinator – **Ian Bell**
 White Water Coordinator – **Chris Marsden**
 Open Boat Coordinator – **Nikki Aldridge**
 SUP Coordinator – **Adya Misra**
 Inland Touring Coordinator – **Carl Leungs**
 Paddle-Ability Coordinator – **Chris Marsden**
 Swim Safety Coordinator – **Kevin Corcoran**

Co-opted members (Non-voting Members)

Surf Coordinator – **Karl Tattum**
 Playboating Coordinator – **Paul Harwood**
 Racing Coordinator – **Colin Smith**
 Communications Coordinator – **Mark Benson**
 Merchandising/LCC Shop – **Chris Murphy**
 Data Protection Coordinator – **Keith Steer**
 Website Developer – **Vacant**

8:30 to 8:45 pm

13. Paddler of the Year Awards presented by the chair.

2025 Paddler of the Year
2025 Young Paddler of the Year
2025 Volunteer of the Year

8:45 to 9:30 pm – Short presentations from this year's Club Trips



**Multiday Open Canoe
Trip to Massif Central**



**Islay and Jura Sea
Kayaking Trip**



**French Alps – Club
Alpine Holiday**