

Hello Sailor,

At least this year our Christmas festivities have not been cancelled or curtailed.

Please find attached our Christmas 2022 newsletter in .pdf format. As before, if anyone is still unable to read a .pdf please let me know and I will send it in its original Windows .docx format.

As well as the usual mix of Technical Tips and Commodore's Comments, in the 'News from M&G's Yard', David Norman has given us a most helpful update on the proposed new plans for St Peter Port in Guernsey.

These articles from members are of course what helps make the newsletter interesting reading, so do please continue to send in reports of interesting trips, experiences, problems and technical tips for sharing.

Unfortunately not much has been sent in this year, so you will have to put up with reading about all the issues which we on Star have unfortunately encountered, whether from wear and tear of old equipment (also called routine maintenance) or from inefficient 'approved Volvo' engineers. For us it has henceforth been quite a troublesome, and thus expensive, year.

In 2022 we also welcomed, what must be a record, 17 new members.

Finally, as always is if you ever do sell your pride and joy, after notifying me, do please enlighten the proud new owners about the existence of our club.

With best wishes for 2023, and hopefully a year where we can find more available moorings in the places we visit.

Ingvar Svenson (Commodore).