



## NEWSLETTER, AUGUST 2017

### **ESKMUTHE'S EXCELLENT ESCAPADES – SUNDAY 6<sup>th</sup> August, 12-5pm**

Calling all Eskmuthe members – come and join your fellow mutthers for fun and games (with a competitive edge) on land and sea, including a treasure hunt with a difference. Meet at 12 on the Back Sands (behind The Quay) and bring your family and friends (everyone can have a row or a ride in the boats). If you can come to help clean the boats and set up, meet at the harbour at 11am. Also bring chairs, blankets, windbreaks, sunglasses, etc – be ready for every eventuality!

There will be hot drinks and home baking between the games and then we'll get fish and chips around 5pm, and do some singing around a fire on the beach afterwards. If you have any firewood to bring along, please text Charly on 07779 585345.

If you can do home baking, but can't come, text Katie on 07814 815543 to arrange to drop it off. Please sign up [here](#) if you haven't yet so we have an idea of numbers.

### **PIRATES OF FISHERROW**

You might have seen the pictures of us pushing the boat, dressed as pirates, in the Musselburgh Festival parade. It was great fun, but rather tiring!



### **ESKMUTHE ONLINE SHOP**

Eskmuthe now has an online shop to order hoodies, T-shirts, caps, etc – all the details are on the website, as well as the option to collect your orders for free from the Image Scotland premises at Fisherrow Industrial Estate (on your right as you head up towards Newcraighall from the Aldi/Iceland roundabout). Link [here](#)

## AUGUST REGATTAS

There are several very different regattas in August. We could do with a few more bodies for each event – all are listed under EVENTS on Big Tent. Please sign up asap – **if you can't make it, please say NO so we know who can't come. If you are a maybe, please change to a YES or NO asap so we can start working out teams.**

**Saturday August 12<sup>th</sup>** – Dunbar Viking Raid: fun rowing with a picnic. We are asked to dress as Vikings, but no horns on your helmet, apparently.

**Saturday August 19<sup>th</sup>** – Queensferry Regatta: mid-distance racing from Port Edgar, right beside the Forth Bridges. The last time we went in 2015 was great fun.

**Saturday August 26<sup>th</sup>** – North Berwick Regatta: longer races (18-25 minutes) around Craighleith Island, and lots of different races - so we require lots of rowers!

## NEW CLUB WEBSITE

We are developing a new club website and need people to look at it to get it up the rankings so people can find it easily. It's a work in progress with lots of information to add, but please have a look: <http://www.eskmutherowingclub.org.uk>

## THE MEGA NORTH BERWICK ROW/PORXY SUCCESS

Congratulations to the two crews (below) who rowed to North Berwick on 1<sup>st</sup> July – a brilliant effort by everyone and great organisation by George. Other places to land have been identified for future long rows along the East Lothian coast. And it seems ages ago, but congrats to everyone for brilliant rowing and coxing – and our first ever competitive victory as a club – at the Porxy regatta.



## CHANGING DETAILS/CONTACTING THE CLUB

If you change your phone number, email or address (or emergency contact details) – or have any questions about the club – email [eskmuthe@gmail.com](mailto:eskmuthe@gmail.com) or text David on 07802 206695. If you don't already, please follow us on Facebook and like and share and comment – there is lots of info on the Facebook page. Also, follow us on Twitter too @eskmuthe – re-tweet, like and spread the word