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Winter opening hours - February

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0900-1700 Monday-Friday

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Marina Staff:

1000-1600 7 days a week

Water Taxi - 01983 872828
or VHF Ch 80. Out of hours
by prior arrangement

BHA Team:

Ken Oatley - Office
Manager

Gordon Wight - Operations
& Safety Manager

Berthing Staff:

Sarah Simmonds
Cameron Hudson

Facilities:

Norman Forrest

Diary Corner

The next meeting of the
**Bembridge Harbour Advisory
Group (BHAG)** will take place
on 22nd March 2018 at 0930 at
the Harbour Office.

Local Notices to Mariners

LNTM numbers 1 - *General
Instructions, Advice & PMSC*, and 2
- *Navigational Information*, both
of which are in force throughout
the year, have been reviewed and
updated for 2018.

Both are available on the website
and from the Berthing or Harbour
Offices.

On the wind ...



A fabulous image of the Super Blue Moon above St Helens Fort, taken on the last day of January by local photographer Sienna Anderson of Soul Photography

A reminder

Annual berthing contracts - a reminder that the deadline for our early bird discount (at the 2017 rate) for walk-ashore pontoons is Monday 12th February

Thinking ahead ...

If your boat has spent the Winter afloat, now is the time to consider preparations for the season ahead. The offers at **Bembridge Boat Storage** are hard to beat:

Lift, hull scrub and return to the water in one hour £66.00 (subject to availability - terms and conditions apply).

Rent A Rack - lift, hull scrub and place on a ground rack for seven days for DIY work and return to water £110.00 - or ask our experienced staff to antifoul, polish or repair your boat (see our website for terms and conditions).

A variety of care packages are also available- have a chat with the BBS Team about your requirements - contact details below.

Bembridge Point Beach - Sea Buckthorn Clearance

In consultation with, and the consent of Natural England, and the help of HJ Bennett and a team of volunteers, partial clearance of Sea Buckthorn on Bembridge Point Beach will take place during February. This is to manage the encroachment of Sea Buckthorn across the sand dune habitat of this SSSI area.

Digging out will take several hours and all the material removed will then be burnt under controlled conditions and the ash buried. Further information is available from Fiona Thorpe at the Harbour Office (01983 872828).



Internal & External Storage - Servicing - Maintenance Valet - Shrink Wrapping - "Rent A Rack" DIY

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