

Hayling Island SC Rally

Four boats made it to Hayling, last year it was very strong winds, this year it was terrible visibility and rain. We welcomed Simon and Chris on April Dream to their first rally, they also brought Lynn as a stowaway. With Tony and crew on 'One and All' along for the second time and Thorsten, Britta and Henry on Little Albatross for their third rally, Julie and I felt like old hands at this rally lark. With the wet weather, it was nice to have Roger come and pick us up in the HISC launch. There was quite a gathering in the lounge bar of HISC with quite a few arriving by car. It was great to see Steve there for his first rally this year.

The food at HISC was as always good, once we had worked out the new system of ordering, which seemed to change depending on who I spoke to. The evening seemed to fly by which is always an indicator of a good evening. The crews of the four boats managed to weave our way back through the dinghy park to find Roger waiting in the launch to take us back. Sunday was a beautiful sunny day but not a lot of wind, we had a lazy morning walked Kiera and set off after lunch, the sea breeze kicking in just as we got back to Gosport!