



Committee Appointments 2026

Below are the most recent committee appointments across the whole range of HISC Committees and Representatives.

General Committee

Commodore - Sarah Mitchell
Vice Commodore Sailing - David Hitchcock
Vice Commodore House - Sophie Costard
Trustees - Tim Hancock, Rod Carr & Mike Massey
Rear Commodore Finance - John Message
Chair of Membership Committee - Gill Browning
Chair of Estates Committee - Murray Maunder
Elected Members - Helen Everest, James Yearsley & Tom Hewitson
Invited - General Manager - Chris Rainbow

Sailing Committee

Vice Commodore Sailing - David Hitchcock
Rear Commodore Racing - Simon Radford
Rear Commodore Cruising - Fred Mundle
Rear Commodore Youth - Gemma Griffiths
Elected Members - Rob Wilder & Fiona Sayce
Co-opt - Damon Repton (Safety)
Invited - Sailing Supervisor - Theo Galyer
Invited - Marine Manager - Tom Harcombe
Co-opt - Championship Group - Simon Benson

House Committee

Vice Commodore House - Sophie Costard
Elected Member Vice Chair - Karen Partington
Elected Member - Allison Rogers
Non-elected Members - Ossie Stewart & Damien Andrews
Invited - House Manager - Nick Griffiths

Estates Committee

Chair of Estates Committee - Murray Maunder
Gardening Group Lead - Judith Williamson
Trustee - Tim Hancock
VC House - Sophie Costard
General Manager - Chris Rainbow



Strategy Committee

Commodore - Chair - Sarah Mitchell
Rear Commodore Finance - Vice Chair - John Message
GC Elected Member - Helen Everest
GC Elected Member - James Yearsley
Trustee - Rod Carr
Invited - VC Sailing - David Hitchcock
Invited - VC House - Sophie Costard
General Manager - Invited - Chris Rainbow

Membership Committee

Chair of Membership Committee - Gill Browning
Non-elected Members - Gareth Edwards, Stephen Bannister, Anne-Marie Wood, Emma Stokes, Sarah Muir
Invited - Membership Secretary - Debs Standing

Club Racing Committee

Rear Commodore Racing - Chair - Simon Radford
Non Elected Member Chair of CCF - Spike Daniels
Non-elected member - Vice Chair - Nick Rawlings
Non-elected Members - Adrian King, Jo Rushin, Mike Partridge, Alex Butler
Invited - Sailing Supervisor - Theo Galyer
Invited - Marine Manager - Tom Harcombe

Cruising Committee

Rear Commodore Cruising - Chair - Fred Mundle
Non-elected Member - Vice Chair - Guy McBride
Non-elected Member - Social Sailing - Norman Payne
Non-elected Member - Solent Sailing - David Dodgson
Non-elected Member - Roy Pine
Co-Opted Member - Justin Jones, Tony Button
Invited - Marine Manager - Tom Harcombe

Youth Committee

Rear Commodore Youth - Gemma Griffiths
Non-elected Member - Vice Chair - Vacant
Non-elected Member - Mentee Programme - Rebecca Tuttle
Non-elected Member - Youth - Vacant
Non-elected Member - Youth - Vacant
Co-opt - 29er - Gareth Davies
Co-opt - Optimist- Rob Wilder
Co-opt - Tera - Maria Brindley



Co-opt - Feva - Jamie Wilson

Co-opt - ILCA - Annie Lewis

Invited - Joe Llewellyn

Invited - Marine Manager - Tom Harcombe

Finance Sub Group

Rear Commodore Finance - John Message

Commodore - Sarah Mitchell

Vice Commodore Sailing - David Hitchcock

Vice Commodore House - Sophie Costard

General Manager - Chris Rainbow

Book Keeper - Invited - Cathy Harris-Liston

Championship Committee

Lead - Simon Benson

Commodore - Sarah Mitchell

VC Sailing - David Hitchcock

Non-elected Member - Michael Massey

Race Management - Tim Hancock

House - Sophie Costard

House Manager - Nick Griffiths

Invited - Sailing Supervisor - Theo Galyer