



**THE INSTITUTE OF CHARTERED SHIPBROKERS**

(REPRESENTING SHIP BROKERS, AGENTS AND MANAGERS)

LIVERPOOL BRANCH



## NEWSLETTER AUGUST 2019

### Annual Golf Day

The Branch held another successful Golf Day at Heswall Golf Club on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> July. Many thanks to Barry Stokes and Seb Gardner for making all the arrangements and the running of the competition on the day.

A total of 12 teams entered the competition and the ultimate winning team was Associated British Ports with Clarkson Port Services coming second and Quality Freight third.



Right hand picture: The winning ABP team.

Left hand picture: Seb Gardner (left) receiving the Keith Duncan Salver.



During the day a number of individual prizes were played for and the Keith Duncan Salver for the best ICS member on the day was won by Seb Gardner (Quality Freight), The Mike Armitt Cup was won by Alan Kelly (ABP) and the Best Player on the Day was Tony McGee (Clarkson Port Services)

Once again we would like to extend our thanks to Barry Stokes and Seb Gardner for arranging and running the competition.

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### Busy year for Liverpool Cruise Liner Terminal

Liverpool's record-breaking cruise season reached a high-water mark when the city welcomed the iconic Queen Mary 2 to the Mersey on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July.

The visit marked a highlight for the team at Liverpool Cruise Terminal who are now half-way through their most successful season ever.

This year will see 86 ships carrying 165,000 passengers and crew members arrive in Liverpool. The season is expected to boost the local economy by £12m, with Liverpool City Council in the final stages of planning for a brand new Cruise Terminal, which will be able to take the next generation of super cruise liners.



At the halfway point of this 2019 season, the terminal has so far welcomed 37 ships, 55,000 passengers and 25,000 crew members. There have been seven new ships visiting Merseyside for the first time and two new cruise lines have chosen the terminal for future visits.

This year, Richard Branson's Virgin Voyages have announced it will be bringing its first ocean liner Scarlett Lady to Liverpool in 2020.

Liverpool City Council Deputy Mayor and Cabinet Member for Tourism, Cllr Wendy Simon, said: "We think this is a real homecoming for the Queen Mary 2 and we are delighted to have this magnificent ship back in our city.

"Attracting liners of this calibre to Liverpool is really helping to cement our status as a global city and travel destination.

"The reason these beautiful ships keep returning is that the team at the Cruise Terminal provide an experience and level of service that rivals any in the world and, of course, the passengers will all get the legendary Liverpool welcome.

"It is only fitting that the city that was the birthplace of passenger cruising continues to lead the way by welcoming the world's top ships. We are all looking forward to the many more of the upcoming highlights of this year's cruise season."

Angus Struthers, Vice President Sales & Marketing at Cunard said: "Given our historic ties with the city, we are delighted to return to Liverpool, the spiritual home of Cunard. As with this special voyage, when the opportunity arises, we're always keen to tailor our itineraries to meet local desire for local departures, especially on the iconic Transatlantic route sailing to New York."

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## Branch Social Evening

The Branch will be holding a social evening on board the renovated steam tug Daniel Adamson on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September starting at 6pm.

Places may be booked via the Branch Secretary, Roy Cooke (email [roycooke7@icloud.com](mailto:roycooke7@icloud.com)) or the Branch Chair, Vikki Whitfield ([vwhitfield@armitt.co.uk](mailto:vwhitfield@armitt.co.uk))

Places are strictly limited so please book early.

You can find more information on the following page.



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6PM THURSDAY  
**19TH SEPTEMBER**

DANIEL ADAMSON SOCIAL  
- DRINKS ON ARRIVAL -  
- BUFFET - CASH BAR AVAILABLE -



**ABOARD THE DANIEL ADAMSON**



CANNING DOCK - LIVERPOOL

## **ICS Annual General Meeting**

The ICS Annual General Meeting will be held in London on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2019.

At the recent meeting of the Executive Council it was decided that the AGM should be as accessible to everyone as possible. Therefore you will now be able to join it by videoconference. It would be great to see all branches represented.

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## **Students**

All students will, by now, have received the results of the May examinations and we hope that you achieved the results that you wanted.

For those wishing to continue with their studies the next examination sessions are between 18<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> November 2019.

The final date for registration for the November examinations is 21<sup>st</sup> October 2019.

For those lucky enough to have successfully completed all your examinations and wish to become Members of the ICS I believe you should have received an application form with your results. Please complete this and return it to your local Branch Secretary or to the ICS in London.

The deadline for new membership applications for the next election is 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2019.

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## **Newsletters**

If you do not wish to receive further issues of our quarterly Newsletters please contact us at the below postal address or send us an Email and we will delete you from our mailing list.

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## **Website**

We have a new Website. Visit us at [ics.org.uk/liverpool-branch](http://ics.org.uk/liverpool-branch)

## **Contact Us**

If you have any items that you would like us to consider for inclusion in the next Newsletter, due to be issued in December 2019, please send them to Roy Cooke, 9 Kinloss Road, Wirral, CH49 3PS or email to [roycooke7@icloud.com](mailto:roycooke7@icloud.com)