













# CRUISE TO FRANCE

15th-17th JUNE 2012



# CALLING ALL BENETEAU OWNERS

**EVENT PARTNERS** 









This summer the Beneteau Owners Club is running a cruise to France over the weekend of the 15th - 17th June. A fun cruise intended to include families and friends will leave Port Hamble (other starting points may be added across the south coast if required) and head for Cherbourg in time for an entire weekend dedicated to frivolity, entertainment, fine French food and of course, the world renowned French beverages!

#### WHO IS THIS CRUISE FOR?

The aim of the cruise is to encompass all Beneteau Yacht owning enthusiasts, from those starting out, to owners who have notched up many nautical miles and valued experience. Whatever the age, size or model of the boat, the 'buddy system' caters for all to ensure that this weekend is as much about getting there as it is, being there.

#### CRUISE WITH THE EXPERTS

The partners for this event are Beneteau, Ancasta International Boat Sales and Universal Yachting. The partners will collectively be facilitating a fully chaperoned cruise across the channel, including a FREE workshop (see back page) prior to the weekend of the cruise.

#### **REGISTER NOW - PLACES ARE LIMITED**

This cruise was hugely popular last year and places are limited. To secure your weekend, we simply require a booking fee of £65\*. For full details, entry form and all the information you will need just email **beneteau@ancasta.com** and we will reply directly.





# 2012 EVENT PROGRAM

## THURSDAY 14th IUNE

18.00 Welcome Meeting at Port Hamble, Safety Briefing & Weather Forecast (Banana Wharf Bar & Restaurant)

18:30 Drinks Reception

21:00 GO TO BED! Early Start tomorrow!

### FRIDAY 15th JUNE

04:00 WAKE UP!

05:00 Leave Port Hamble

CRUISING ALL DAY (We've booked fine weather!)

17:00 ETA in Cherbourg. Arrival drinks, chat, meet, tell stories, nibbles etc

20:00 Welcome drinks at the Cherbourg Yacht Club

## SATURDAY 16th IUNE

AM Saturday is unscheduled to allow you to explore the ancient naval town of Cherbourg along with all its bars, shops and restaurants.

PM We will be arranging some excursions for wine tasting during the day.

17:00 Return Trip Safety Briefing & Weather Forecast

19:00 Farewell Gala Diner

23:00 GO TO BED! Early start tomorrow!

## SUNDAY 17th JUNE

05:00 WAKE UP!

06:00 Leave Cherbourg

CRUISING ALL DAY (We've booked some more fine weather!)

17:00 ETA in Port Hamble



# FREE WORKSHOP

The Beneteau Cruise to France is your opportunity to learn the cruising basics from our experts. In addition to the cruise we will be running a workshop on Saturday 2nd June (10am - 4pm) to provide help and support to everyone taking part.

The workshop will be run by cruising experts to teach the basic requirements of embarking on such a cruise.

#### PROPOSED TOPICS

- Passage Planning & Navigation
- Electronic Chart plotters and how to get the best out of them
- · What to do in an Emergency
- Basic Boat Maintenance and Preparation

The workshop will be run by qualified professionals and held at the Ancasta offices in Port Hamble. Please indicate in your email entry if you would like to attend this session.





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