



Royal Southern Yacht Club
and
HMS Hermes Association
invite you to



A Reunion of Flags - 40 Years on

On his retirement, the Royal Navy presented Rear Admiral 'Sandy' Woodward with his broad pennant from HMS Hermes during the Falklands conflict. Later, while racing his yacht with the 'Southern', he presented his Admiral's Flag to the Club.

When HMS Hermes retired from service in 1984, the White Ensign worn on her return to Portsmouth was preserved, now in the care of HMS Hermes Association.



On Thursday 16 June 2022 these flags will come together for the first time in almost 40 years, in tribute to those who served in the Falklands campaign. We invite you to take part in this historic reunion.

We invite participation in the Reunion of Flags from Club and Association Members and their guests. Tickets are free of charge from the Royal Southern Yacht Club and will be allocated in the order received. Ticketed guests should arrive between 1120 and 1150 when coffee will be served. The formal event begins at 1200. A buffet lunch follows for those able to stay at a cost of £15pp. The dress code is jacket and tie: smart yachting/Association/military uniform, with medals and decorations. Details of arrival and other arrangements will be provided to successful applicants.

To apply, please cut and paste a completed version of the following into an email and send to: events@royal-southern.co.uk. All applications will be advised as successful / full up.

I would like tickets to the 'Reunion of Flags' on Thursday 16 June for me and the following guests:

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(Max 4 people. Please state title, given name and surname for badges.)

I would also like tickets to the buffet lunch at £15pp. Please charge to my account.

Your name: Membership number: Email: