

SOA Laying-Up Supper to be held at:

Crouchers Country Hotel,
Birdham Road, Chichester
West Sussex, PO20 7EH
Tel.01243 784995

7.15 p.m. for 8.00 p.m. on November 5th 2011

Starters

- A Roasted Buttermilk Squash and Parmesan veloute with white truffle oil (V)
- B Crispy Goats Cheese & Basil tart with Tomato chutney and basil oil
- C Chicken, ham hock and duck terrine with Cranberries and Pistachios, spiced apple chutney and Brioche croute

Main Course

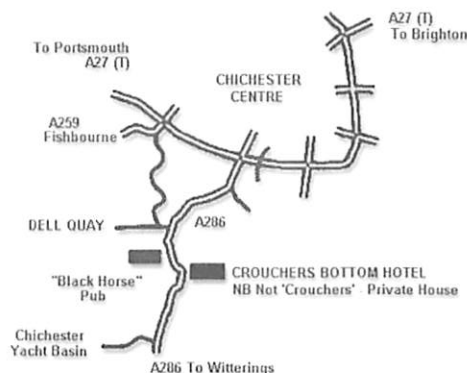
- D Medallions of Pork fillet wrapped in Parma ham stuffed with a sage mousse, champ potato and pommery mustard sauce
- E Sauteed Rib Eye Steak with dauphinoise potatoes and light peppercorn sauce
- F Grilled fillet of Sea Bream with saffron pea and mint risotto and tarragon veloute
- G Mushroom tortellini served with wild mushroom sauce and parmesan (V)

Desserts

- H Dark chocolate brownie with vanilla bean ice cream
- J Strawberry bavorois with a cocoa sorbet
- K Gratin of winter fruits with a kirsch sabayon

Tea or coffee
£32.50 per person

Please retain [this page](#) as a note of your choices for reference on the day!



The 2011 Laying Up Supper is at Crouchers Hotel near Itchenor on 5th November, timed to coincide with the Northshore Open Day.

Dennis Skillicorn has been invited to be the after-dinner speaker.

Dennis worked as a freelance reporter/producer for BBC radio and TV, including Radio Solent, for over thirty years. He specialised in sailing, sailing one leg of the Whitbread and one on British Steel challenge, and travelled widely. One particular half hour radio programme with the SBS ended up with him parachuting with them into the sea. He also covered some of the first Gulf War when the oilfields were burning; flew in a harrier and a Hawk and got to know Lord Mountbatten quite well. The picture below shows him during his row around the Isle of Wight—he thinks he is the only one to do it in a dinghy!

All will be very well entertained with his escapades.



Southerly Owners Laying Up Supper on Saturday 5th November 2011

BOOKING FORM

I would like to bookplaces for the Dinner at £32.50 per head.

I enclose a non-returnable cheque, for £.....
(Please make cheques payable to 'The Southerly Owners Association')

Please print your name and address details below:

Name.....

Address.....

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Post Code.....

Names of your party (for the seating plan) and their menu choices

Name	Starter	Main	Dessert
1).....
2).....
3).....
4).....

Please also indicate any special dietary needs:
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It is **essential** that we know your menu choice beforehand.

Please complete this page and return by the 14th October, 2011 to:

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OWNERS' ASSOCIATION

Dear Member(s),

SOA Annual Laying Up Supper on 5th November 2011

Guest Speaker Dennis Skillicorn.

For those members new to the Association, this is an annual event where those attending are able to spend a pleasant evening with old friends and new acquaintances. It is held at an excellent restaurant called 'Crouchers Country Hotel', close to Chichester Marina. We have used this venue for the last seven years and have been delighted with the high standard of food and facilities. It has the added advantage of being a convenient location for those attending the open day at Northshore. Dress for the evening is smart evening wear for the ladies and lounge suits or blazers and SOA ties for the gentlemen. If you do not have an SOA tie and would like to buy one they will be on sale on the SOA stand at the Northshore Open Day.

This year our after dinner speaker is Dennis Skillicorn. More details about Dennis were given in the article in the Spring magazine and follow in this insert. I am confident that he will have a wealth of yarns to share with us from his work as a freelance reporter / producer at Radio Solent specialising in Sailing.

Overleaf is a sheet showing all the menu choices. Please complete the enclosed booking form, including your menu choices made from the options shown, and return it to me with your cheque, by 14th October, 2011.

Those wishing to stay overnight please contact the hotel directly to reserve rooms. If we occupy all 26 rooms at Crouchers its probable that we will all get a discounted price. The telephone no. is 01243 784995; website www.croucherscountryhotel.com If you wish to pay slightly less but still stay nearby then the Premier Travel Inn at Chichester Gate is less than 3 miles away. For those of you wishing to book a room here, the telephone number is 0870 990 6578; website www.premiertravelinn.com . Some members may wish to attend by boat in which case it takes about fifteen minutes to walk from Chichester Marina or is five minutes by car. The hotel is on the road from Chichester to Itchenor (Northshore) so there is no reason to get lost on the way.

Given the success of previous dinners, **I suggest that those wishing to attend do not leave it too long before making their applications.** I have already received several advance applications and the capacity of the hotel for dining is only 100. Applications will be accepted strictly in the order in which cheques are received.

I look forward to being inundated with your applications.

Reg Hadwen