



**Thames & Kennet Marina  
Caversham Lakes, Henley Road  
Caversham, RG4 6LQ**

## **Would you like to freeze your mooring fee for 2012?**

If your answer is yes, then we can help. To give you the chance to get the Christmas bills out of the way first, we are offering that, during the month of January 2012, you may pay your annual mooring bill early and avoid any potential price increase from 1st April 2012. This is regardless of when your mooring period begins. So, for example, if your mooring period begins on 1st June 2012, you can pay for your annual 2012/13 contract in January 2012 at the 2011 prices.

If you would like to take advantage of this opportunity, please contact the marina office as soon as possible and we will happily put together the necessary paperwork. This offer is only available to those currently on the annual in advance tariff. If you are currently not on the annual in advance tariff, and you would like to save money by paying in advance, please contact the marina office on (0118 948 2911) or [thameskennetmarina@tingdene.net](mailto:thameskennetmarina@tingdene.net). You may switch to the annual in advance tariff at any time; not just when a new payment is due. We hope that this will help all our customers in these challenging financial times; and we thank you for your continued business. Full details of all other tariffs will be announced next spring.

As we continue to grow our boat sales side of the business, Tingdene are pleased to announce the appointment of another two new boat agencies, Rodman and Beneteau to go along side Sea Otter.

Rodman are no newcomers to boating with over 30 years experience constructing both pleasure and commercial ships. Rodman offer 3 different pleasure craft ranges, the Spirit, Fisher & Muse from 31' to 74' [www.rodman.es](http://www.rodman.es). We have a single engined Rodman Spirit 31 lying at the Racecourse Marina Windsor just perfect for inland waterways and salt water cruising and we would be delighted to show you over this craft. Please contact us on 01753 851717 or email



[boatsales@tingdene.net](mailto:boatsales@tingdene.net) for further details.



The Beneteau adventure began more than 120 years ago and today Beneteau offer 30 different powerboat models divided into 4 ranges. [www.beneteau.com](http://www.beneteau.com) We will have a Beneteau Antares 7.80 and 8.80 for viewing in January at the Thames & Kennet Marina so please do call Jo or Fred on 01189 477770 for further details.



Based in Staverly nr Chesterfield, Sea Otter have been building boats since 1990. They first started with steel workboats and small tugs for the harbour authorities and the construction industry. Sea Otter is a family business run by 2 brothers Paul Hobson & Anthony Hobson, and manufactures narrowboats from 21-56ft as well as a 56ft replica Dutch Barge all fabricated from marine grade aluminium alloy.

We are delighted to be representing both Beneteau & Rodman and are very much looking forward to working closely with both manufactures to promote their brands.

Don't forget the London Boat Show on the 6th – 15th January 2012 the best way to start the season, come and see us on stand number H139 (Rodman) & H168 (Sea Otter / Tingdene Marine)



Our winter maintenance & improvements works program is well underway, and we will of course try to keep any disruption to an absolute minimum. The water shut off valves & drain points have been installed on the pontoons, which will enable us to decommission & re-commission water supplies far quicker in the event of another deep freeze. The electric metering system on J-pontoon has been completely renewed, and a new CCTV system is being installed over the next few weeks.

The general waste & recycling bins in the north marina have been relocated to a new enclosure, which allows for additional rubbish bins for the busy summer months. The waste oil disposal also has a new home in the south marina car park refuse enclosure.



**Taybrite - The all-purpose economy smokeless fuel**

Taybrite is a multi-purpose smokeless fuel which offers value for money. Taybrite is easy to light, burns cleanly and provides long-lasting controllable heat. The fuel will burn at a steady heat for long periods – even overnight.

**Berth holder price £8.50 20kg (Retail £9.50)**



**Homefire - The leading smokeless fuel**

Homefire has long been regarded as the market leader and widely acknowledged as the best smokeless fuel for open fires and multi-fuel stoves. Homefire generates a lot of heat and leaves behind very little ash. It combines all the traditional qualities of a real fire, is slow burning and easy to control.

**Berth holder price £10.00 20kg (Retail £11.50)**

*From all the staff at Thames & Kennet Marina, we would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas & Happy New Year.*

