

"A PROBLEM SHARED WORKSHOPS"

THE NUTS AND BOLTS OF TIMBER GROYNES

SCOPAC and the Southern Coastal Group are pleased to invite all **ENGINEERS** and **COASTAL SCIENTISTS** in the SCOPAC region to attend a **FREE** workshop on the **NUTS AND BOLTS OF TIMBER GROYNES**. Experienced coastal engineers and contractors will be invited to share their in depth knowledge and understanding of timber groyne management with those new to the industry.

Outline programme

- introduction to the workshop series from **Andy Bradbury** (Chairman of the Southern Coastal Group)
- practical case study based presentations from **Pete Ferguson** (New Forest DC) and **Dr. Dave Harlow** (Bournemouth BC)
- informal discussions involving contractors, designers, managers and those who just want some answers to new or old problems.

To register please email a digital photo of a timber groyne, or part of a groyne, that you would like to be discussed to: samantha.cope@noc.soton.ac.uk. Please be prepared to talk/ask questions about your registration picture (1 minute max. per picture).

The aim of the workshop series is to share best practice and to assist operating authorities with basic skills development. The target audience is both experienced engineers (to share knowledge) and those new or about to join to the industry. We will discuss any aspect of timber groyne management: from piling, to replacing bolts and planks, to supply of timbers... or anything else that you want to know about.

Where: NATIONAL OCEANOGRAPHY CENTRE
When: Wednesday March 24th 2010
Time: 10:00 Tea & Coffee, Conclude by 2pm

Numbers will be limited- advance registration required

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The following outlines a proposed structure for the workshops to follow.

- 10:00 Tea, coffee and biscuits
- 10:30 Introduction Andy Bradbury
- 10:45 Milford-on-Sea Timber Groyne maintenance -
 Pete Ferguson
- 11:15 Bournemouth Timber Groynes - Dave Harlow
- 11:45 Round the room discussions / short presentations/
 questions based on 1 minute 1 slide problems from all
 participants
- 12:45 Summary
- 13:30 End