

# WA AGM NEWSLETTER

18th - 19th November 2024  
Oulton Hall, Rothwell Lane, Oulton, Leeds,  
LS26 8HN

## What you need to know...

- This year's WA AGM will be taking place at Oulton Hall, again, from Monday 18th to Tuesday 19th November 2024.
- The WA Networking Golf Day is taking place on Wednesday 20th November 2024.
- Spa and leisure facilities are included in your stay.
- Partners are also welcome to the AGM Dinner (choose 'double occupancy' on your registration form if overnight accommodation is needed).
- The deadline for registration is 7th November!

## Have you registered yet?

Click [HERE](#) to complete the registration form.

## Transport Links

### By Rail

- 5 miles from Garforth Station (direct from Manchester International Airport).
- 1 hour 55 minutes from London Kings Cross.
- 6 miles from Wakefield Westgate Station (direct train to London Kings Cross).
  - See [LNER](#) or [Trainline](#)

### By Air

- Leeds Bradford Airport is 15 miles away.

### Is there car parking?

- Yes, there are 300 complimentary car parking spaces. Vehicle registration is required at check-in.

## This issue:

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Day 1

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Sponsors



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# AGM - Day 1

Monday 18th November 2024		
Arrivals	Morning	Conf. Suite Foyer
Training Workgroup	10:30 - 12:30	Conf. Suite 1
Committee Meeting (Committee only)	11:00 - 13:00	Conf. Suite 2 & 3
Lunch for all attendees	13:00 - 14:00	Calverley Grill
AGM	14:00 - 14:45	Conference Suite
Sponsor Speaker (Rob Cook - ShipOwners)	14:45 - 15:15	Conference Suite
Coffee	15:15 - 15:30	Conf. Suite Foyer
Guest Speaker (Temi Binitie, The Seafarers' Charity)	15:30 - 16:00	Conference Suite
Get Set for Workboat 2050	16:00 - 17:30	Conference Suite
Break		
Drinks Reception	18:30 - 19:00	Oulton Bar
AGM Dinner (and entertainment)	19:00 onwards	Conference Suite

# AGM Dinner Menu

## Set Starter

Roasted Red Pepper and Tomato Soup

## Mains

Breast of Chicken with dauphinoise potatoes, confit carrot and thyme jus (GF)

Mediterranean Roasted Vegetable Gnocchi with tomato and coriander sauce (V)(GF)

## Dessert

Chocolate Brownie with toffee sauce (V)(GF)

Mango and Passionfruit Mousse with toasted coconut and pineapple salsa (V)(GF)



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# AGM - Day 2

Tuesday 19th November 2024		
Breakfast	Before 09:00	Calverley Grill
Guest Speaker (Ajit Jacob, MCA)	09:00 - 09:30	Conference Suite
Cyber Security Workshop (Pieter-Paul Nota, Damen)	09:30 - 10:00	Conference Suite
Coffee	10:00 - 10:15	Conf. Suite Foyer
Networking Workshop Activity	10:15 - 11:30	Conference Suite
WA Workgroups Joint Session	11:30 - 12:30	Conference Suite
Lunch	12:30 - 13:30	Calverley Grill
Safety Forum	13:30 - 15:00	Conf. Suite 1
Technical Workgroup	13:30 - 15:00	Conf. Suite 2
Coffee	15:00 - 15:15	Conf. Suite Foyer
Crew Transfer Group	15:15 - 16:45	Conf. Suite 1

# AGM - Day 3

Wednesday 20th November 2024		
WA Golf Society - Networking Golf Day (TBC - early start) Everyone is welcome to join us - club hire possible!		

## VIP Golf Suite

On the Tuesday evening CLP Insurance has kindly sponsored the Golf Driving Range VIP Suite.

Just like last year there will be alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks, golf, table football, games machine, pizza and big comfy sofas to enjoy your free drinks on!

We had a great turnout last year and it was a lot of fun so if you'd like to attend, email [admin@workboatassociation.org](mailto:admin@workboatassociation.org)
















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