

Tall Ships Race 2014 – Bergen to Esbjerg

We are entering a Suffolk Scout crew in the Bergen to Esbjerg leg of the 2014 Tall Ships Race sailing on *Ocean Scout*.

Any Suffolk Scout can apply for a berth if they are aged between 15 and 25 on the 27th July 2014.

- depart 26th July flying from Gatwick to Bergen.
- return 4th August by ferry from Esbjerg to Harwich.
- cost (provisionally) is £620 per head which includes a berth on Ocean Scout, travel to & from the UK, all food, wet weather clothing & insurance, but excludes personal spending.
- final cost will depend on air & ferry fares at the time of booking
- we have several applications pending for grants & funding to subsidise this cost.
- if there are more applications than berths we will hold a selection event in early Jan 2014 there is a limit of 6 under 16 year olds.

If you want to apply please fill in the attached application form and post or scan & e-mail it before the closing date on <u>22nd December 2013</u>.

Adventures Offshore is a part of the Scout Association. This is what they say about the Tall Ships Race :-

Adventures Offshore supports the Tall Ships Race every year because we feel it is a unique opportunity for young people of many nationalities to meet in both a competitive and social environment.

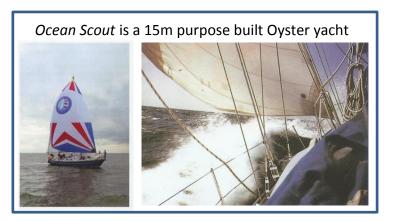
There is no doubt that for many this is a milestone event that they talk about for many years. The timing is usually during July & August and breaks down into two race legs, a cruise in company plus delivery and return voyages.

The races visit countries as far apart as Russia and Portugal. Participants include vessels from four masted square riggers to 12 metre yachts.

For more information look at these websites :-<u>http://www.sailtraininginternational.org/events/</u> www.adventuresoffshore.co.uk/

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This is what Lowestoft Explorers said on their blog when they took part in the 2013 Cruise in Company :-

"Had a very, very , very , very good time sailing with Offshore Adventures. Some sailing and some partying. Made lots of new friends who I really want to stay in touch with. Would recommend it to anyone."

"There are hundreds of tall ships in the port, and



everyone is really kind and helpful, we have got lots of activities planned whilst in Riga including looking around the Tall Ships."