

- July**
 5 Deva Divas, L, Chester
11 World, Sp, Bydgoszcz
August
9 World, LD, Nagyatád Gyékényes
September
5 Bergsee Ratscher, WC
 7 Keyo Brigg, Sp
October
 3 Awesome Foursome, Sp/MD, Bude

SAILING

- March**
 21/22 Rutland Water, OC
April
 18/19 Coniston Water, OC
May
 15-17 L Lomond, OC
June
 16-18 Bala, OC
July
 18/19 Barton, OC
August
 15/16 Kielder Water, OC
September
 12/13 Ullswater, OC
 19/20 L Ken, OC
October
 10/11 Rutland Water, OC

POLO

- March**
 7/8 17th Sarparella Trophy, Bacoli
May
 2/3 Turnhout
 23-25 54th Deutschland Cup, Essen
July
 10-12 35th Baschiroto Memorial, Porpetto
August
 15/16 De Paddel, Dikkebus
 29/30 Gekko, Gent
September
 12/13 14th Trofeo Ponterosso
15-20 World Championships, Duisburg

DRAGON BOAT RACING

- November**
 2 Japan Championships & Governor's Cup, Osaka City
 24-27 12th National Championships, Nanded Maharashtra
 28-30 Penang Festival
December
 12-14 Euro Cup, Dubai
January
 3 Lunar New Year Race, Boca Raton
February
 14 S Island Regional Championships, Twizei
 27/28 Wellington Festival
March
 1/2 Western Australia State Championships, Armadale
 8 Nottingham
 13-15 Queensland State Championships, Bokarina
 14 Auckland Championships
 14/15 W Fest, Toscolano Maderno
 21/22 Victorian Championships
 27/28 NZ Championships, Cambridge
 28/29 Australian Capital Territory Championships, Barten

- 28/29 New S Wales State Championships, Sydney
 28/29 S Australia State Championships, Aquatic

April

- 18 Sarasota Festival
 18-23 Australian National Championships, Bokarina
 19 Liverpool
 26 Mox Lamma Festival, Hong Kong
 26 Tampa Bay Festival
 26 Wraysbury

May

- 3 Stockton
 15 London Disability Network
 16 Blue Skies Festival, St Anne's
 17 Gloucester Rotary Festival
 21 London Construction Challenge
 22/23 Cavallino-Treporti
 22-24 7th Barcelona Festival
 23 London
 23-25 Hannover Festival
 25 Sherborne Festival
 30 Northampton Festival
 31 Manvers Lake

June

- 6 H2O Open, Montréal
 6 Ipswich
 7 Leicester
 7 Nottingham
 7 Woking
 11 Booker Grocery Aid Challenge
 13 Fanshawe Festival, London
 13 Manchester Chinese Festival
 14 Chichester Rotary
 14 Salford Quays
 19 Stanley
 20 Peterborough Festival
 21 Lai Mei Tang London Chinese Festival
 27 Leeds Dock
 27 Milton Keynes
 27 St David's Hospice Care, Pontypool
 27-29 Hong Kong
 28 Bristol Rotary

July

- 3-6 Bradford Festival
 3-6 Pan American Club Crew Championships, Montréal
 4 Milton Keynes Festival
6-12 European Nations Championships, München
 11 GWN Sport, Toronto
 11 Lincoln
 13-19 ICF Club Crew Championships, Wascana Lake
 18-20 Montréal Challenge
 18 Bedford
 25 Chicago Festival
 25/26 Falmouth
 26 Nottingham
 26 St Rocco's, Warrington
 31 12th O German National Championships

August

- 1 Richmond Festival
 9 London
 15 St Neots
22/23 UK Corporate Games, Coventry
September
1-6 15th Club Crew World Championships, Hualien
 5 Cambridge Festival
 12 Gt R Race, London
 12 Norwich
 13 Newark

- 19 Heart of Georgia Festival, Macon
 19 Mercer County Festival, Windsor
19/20 British National Championships, Nottingham
 27 Birmingham Festival
 27/28 Quebec Cup, Montréal
October
 4 Kite & Lantern Festival, Irving

OCEAN RACING

March

- 20-22 Jumeirah 2 Beach

May

- 14-17 Naxos Cup

July

- 3-5 Kuantan, WC**
31-2 Tahiti, WC

August

- 24-30 European Championships, Brest**

September

- 19-21 Molokabra, WC**

- 25-27 Fortza Paris Cup, Cagliari

October

- 9-11 World Championships, Vila Joiosa**

- 17/18 Tigullio Challenge, Sestri Levante

MISCELLANEOUS

January

- 10-11 Adventure Travel Show, London

May

- 23-25 Crick Boat Show

Happy New Year

I canoed out on the river
 On a New Year's Day
 I didn't go far, I have to say.

I said 'Hello' to the ducks
 And swans
 And a couple of seal pups
 Before they and I moved on.

There were lots of leaves
 That had fallen, I have to say,
 As I pulled out a flask of coffee
 And ate my chocolate bar
 On a small little beach
 Which I have used since a child
 In much the same way.

It cost me very little
 In order to paddle to where
 I love to go
 So I just drag out a canoe,
 A buoyancy aid and a paddle
 And tell a mate where I
 Might be so that someone
 Else, in fact, actually knows.

I was home, in fact, before
 Anyone missed me
 But that's how it is when I
 Live not far away from
 What is, in fact, the beautiful
 River Dart estuary

So, look for an old man who
 Is old, fat, grey
 And wish him a 'Happy New Year'
 Or give him a lift as he moves
 To put this or that canoe away...
Kevin Pyne