



**DUDLEY C B MATTHEWS MBE
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**Avon Navigation Trust
Founder Member, Director,
President Emeritus and
Chairman of Reach Masters &
Associates**

**Wyre Mill Club
Founder Member, Director,
Commodore Emeritus and
Harbour Master**

Dudley passed away peacefully on Tuesday 12th August 2014, at the age of 95

As per Dudley's wishes, a private family funeral will take place in Wolverhampton.

Dudley also requested that Avon Navigation Trust & Wyre Mill Club hold a Memorial & Celebration Event at Wyre Mill so that all the friends and colleagues who knew and worked with him over the years could celebrate his life and pay their respects.

Avon Navigation Trust also wishes to launch the second edition of the amalgamated River Avon Guide at this event. Dudley and his wife, Enid, compiled and edited the previous 14 editions of the Guide (originally called 'Gateway to the Avon') and the first amalgamated River Avon Guide in 2009.

This event will be held at Wyre Mill Club on Friday 3rd October at 7.00 pm.

In lieu of flowers donations to 'Avon Navigation Trust' c/o Avon Navigation Trust, Mill Wharf, Mill Lane, Wyre Piddle, Pershore, WR10 2JF. office@avonnavigationtrust.org. 01386 552517.

All are very welcome in joining the family, ANT & WMC at the location Dudley loved, to say farewell and celebrate his life and achievements.

RSVP by Friday 12th September 2014 to Elaine Baird, Office Manager, Avon Navigation Trust, Mill Wharf, Mill Lane, Wyre Piddle, Pershore, WR10 2JF. office@avonnavigationtrust.org. 01386 552517.