



17th Nov.

Dear Malcolm,

just a short note to say thanks for all your help and encouragement last week. I am just back from Mallaig, having got the trees there and stowed away in a large, and now full, shed.

It was fun to see the whole operation and great to work with British Industry that was helpful, intelligent, efficient and articulate. Not to mention charming. From Davy and Bruce felling the trees, to the hauliers, everyone could not have been nicer. I would appreciate it if you could pass my thanks on to Bruce and Davie, it was a delight to watch them at work, people that clearly knew exactly what they were about, and who did a good job with minimum fuss. It would be easy to take it for granted but so often the reverse is true, sadly. So thank you very much.

I do hope that we can get everyone over to the boat sometime and my busy schedule permitting, I shall endeavour to do just that. If you want to contact us for anything then you have my number. We shall be in Mallaig from Jan 2nd onwards and can be reached via the harbour master on 01687 462154.

I enclose a book as promised and look forward to seeing you again.

Once more, many many thanks,

Swanny.

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