

NEWSLETTER SUMMER 2011/2012

The silly season has come and gone for another year and we trust all had a happy and safe Christmas with family and friend's .There is still plenty to go for the summer with two major club events Australia Day and the Fishing detailed below. Join in the fun and support your club

CLUB MOORINGS – BURGEES DISPLAY

Can all members please fly their Burgee when on the club Moorings this enables NSW maritime to know that you are entitled to be on the mooring. If you require a New Burgee please contact the Secretary they are free.

As the club boats have been getting bigger we have started to upgrade our moorings to suit, the ones in North Arm Cove are now capable of holding boats to 80ft. As part of this upgrade the positions have been changed marginally.

CHRISTMAS FUNCTION

A good turn up of members boarded Moonshadow at 7pm the weather was lousy but the company was great, the bar was a little overwhelmed at first but eventually caught up. The boat headed out into the Bay with the wind blowing and the rain coming down. The prawn's oysters and the rest of the food was excellent. A good night was had by all.

NEW MEMBERS

Welcome To Greg & Carol Plunkett and their boat LONE WOLF to the club.

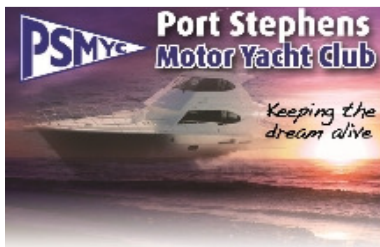
COMINGS AND GOINGS

The warm weather has arrived and so have the club nomads from up north .Welcome home to Janelle and Eric Bulley (BULLEYE), George & Patsi Brown (BLING) Peter & Kay Collings (BLUEWATER), Peter & Narelle Williams (KAOS) Peter & Debra Robinson (AQUACISION).Gary and Sandy Holt (DIVERSION)Tony and Darlene McLeod (MAVERICK)

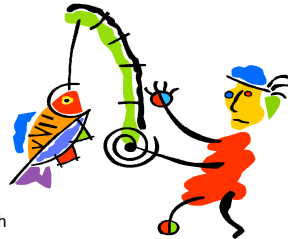


AUSTRALIA DAY—WEDNESDAY JANURARY 26T

Get ready for another great Australia Day at North Arm Cove. Rubber Duck Race, Pie eating and Beer Drinking Competitions and much more. Decorate the boat. Bring the family and friends.



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FISHING TOURNAMENT SATURDAY FEBRUARY 5th

The Fish have arrived early with ANARCHY, APACHE, BLUWATER, DIVERSION, GUNRUNNER, KAOS and LONE WOLF all getting amongst them; several AUSTRALIAN records for MARLIN capture have been achieved by club boats full details in next newsletter when they are officially confirmed. This year the competition will be fierce as we have some new blood in the fishing fleet. Ted Doran has gone to great expense (a new fishing boat) to win this year, we have a new member Greg Plunkett (LONE WOLF) who caught a heap of fish last season as well as the usual suspects the cream of the game fishing fleet ANARCHY, DIVERSION, GUNRUNNER and SHELBY. Previous winners have been Frosty 2007, Bluewater 2009, The Force 2010, Shelby 2011.

FUEL

Remember if you need fuel coordinate with the Club Secretary Colin Brown and get your super discount from dAlbora. The system is working well.

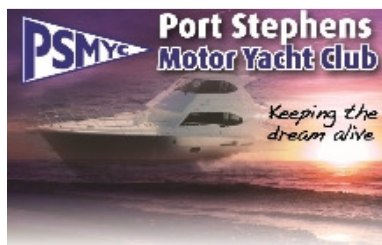
MYALL LAKES

As members would be aware there has been a great deal of concern about the future of the pump out barge in the Myall Lakes. At this time we can report that the contract will be renewed for a period of two years and option of 1 year to the new owners Kerry and Linda Mackintosh. We welcome this announcement and will keep members informed of any changes. The old system and contact numbers for the service remain unchanged

CLUB MERCHANDISE



For those wanting to purchase contact Liz Meale by phone or through the Web site .The products are great and prices remain unchanged but the price for the model is still being determined.



HONOUR ROLL

We have put together a roll of club achievements and those who have served .This will be added to the club website shortly

CLUB ROLL OF HONOUR

FISHING COMPETITION

2007 -- FROSTY
2009 -- BLUEWATER
2010 -- THE FORCE
2011 -- SHELBY

BOAT TRIAL

2006 – REEL CROSS
2007 – DEBUT TU
2008 – SHANTOOZIE
2009 – SHANTOOZIE
2010 – HALCYON IV

RUBBER DUCK RACE

2009 – KIRONA
2010 – BLING
2011 - KAOS

COMMODORES

2006 – 2008 Alan Bridge
2008 – 2010 Colin Brown
2010 – 2011 Don Nicol
2011 - Brian Clulow

COMMITTEE MEMBERS [*current]

Alan Bridge *
Colin Brown*
Sandra Brown *
Brian Clulow *
Dennis Goldspink
Shane Hards *
Darryl McNally *
Liz Meale *
Don Nicol *
Brad Noble
Doug Rae *
Peter Williams *