

PORT STEPHENS MOTOR YACHT CLUB

Newsletter

Keeping The Dream Alive

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NEWSLETTER WINTER 2010

Winter has seen the arrival of the bad weather and has made boating difficult unless, like many of our members, you have taken your boat NORTH.

ANZAC WEEKEND-RAYMOND TERRACE TRIP

With perfect weather 5 boats headed out from Port Stephens on their way to Newcastle Yacht Club for the long weekend. With beautiful sunny conditions and no sea we travelled about 50 metres off the beach at about 6 knots and enjoyed the day. We saw a wedding on the beach, Apache caught some fishing and Ironie stopped for a swim (with his new shark repellent). Debutu enjoyed the view, Knot to Bad decided the weather was perfect for a drink and a boat with no name (Footloose/Miagra) enjoyed the dolphins. We arrived at the NCYC and then with 17 people on board Ironie we headed down to Merewether for a lovely afternoon cruise. The next day we travelled up the river to Raymond Terrace and had lunch at The Junction Inn hotel which was great. Some were lucky at two up and some just enjoyed the cold beer. All in all it was a great weekend and unfortunately we did not make it up to Hinton to see Mick and Elena.

We are looking at arranging another weekend to Newcastle and then hiring a small party boat to travel up the river to Hinton. Anyone interested email brad@ncss.com.au.

FISHING REPORT

The annual club fishing competition was held on Sat Feb 6th it was a great success with THE FORCE taking out this year's trophy. Congratulations to Doug, Deb, Janelle, Eric and Mark.

Congratulations to GUNNRUNNER and DIVERSION who came 2nd and 3rd in the NPSGFC annual points score and to Katie Lee and James Holt who won the top female and top male anglers for the year.

AGM

SATURDAY AUGUST 21st at 11:30 am

The Annual General Meeting of the PSMYC will be held at Mavericks on the Bay.

POSITIONS VACANT!! All positions on the committee will be declared vacant. Anyone wishing to nominate for a position on the committee please inform the secretary prior to the meeting. After the meeting the committee has arranged a light lunch at a nominal charge of \$20/head. Please let Liz (0412 782 703) know if you are staying so that we can cater correctly.

CLUB XMAS PARTY

PLEASE PUT Friday 26TH NOVEMBER in your diary so that you don't double book.

COMINGS AND GOINGS

Alan & Dee (PIZZAZ) and Tony & Darlene (MAVERICK) have taken their boats north to Bundaberg

Peter & Narelle (KAOS) are currently at Urungan
Peter & Debra (AQUACISION) are currently at Mackay

Don & Susan (HALCYON 6) are currently in Mackay
Bob & Liz (KIRONA) are currently at the Gold Coast
Phil & Linda (INDULGE) are currently at the Gold Coast

Ted & Jean (CROSSCUT) are currently at the Gold Coast

Denis & Jenny (CHAMPAGNE LADY) are still at the Gold Coast

NEW MEMBERS

A warm welcome to the club to:

Joe and Kathy Sepos and their boat NARCOSIS (a Princess)

Rod and Jann Ward and their boat PACIFIC ADVENTURE

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COMMODORE HAS LEFT TOWN

Colin & Sandra (APACHE/DAWN PRINCESS) have left on a 9 week boating holiday to the Middle East, Europe and America. Now that's what I call luxury boating.

NEW BOATS

In an attempt to keep the economy going and avoid further global financial meltdown the following unselfish members have purchased new boats.

John & Deb Sharpe have purchased a 47 Riviera.
Gary & Sandy Holt have purchased a 50 Viking.
Doug & Deb Padman have purchased a 73 Westbay Sunship.
Congratulations and happy cruising.

ANNUAL FEES

You will receive in the mail your invoice for your annual fees. Please pay promptly.

NEWSLETTER

Anyone with a news item for the newsletter please contact or e-mail it to Peter or brad@ncess.com.au

FOR SALE

Marine BBQ electric stainless steel as new contact Peter 0411018834

Committee

Colin Brown (Commodore) - 0417 622 444
Brad Noble - 0408 497 033
Liz Meale - 0412 782 703
Alan Bridge - 0412 121 444
Shane Hards - 0412 230 722
Brian Clulow - 0418 493 506
Peter Williams - 0411 018 834

EVENTS CALENDAR

PSMYC A.G.M.

Saturday August 21st @ 11:30am

XMAS PARTY

Friday November 26th @ 6:30 pm

Australia Day Raftup

Wednesday 26th January @ 10 am

Game fishing Tournament

Saturday February 5th 7:00 am-4:00pm

Boat Trial

TBA

Club Winners Roll

FROSTY - Winner 2007 fishing competition
BLUEWATER - Winner 2009 fishing competition
THE FORCE-Winner 2010 fishing competition.

REELCROSS - Winner 2006 boat trial
DEBUT-TU - Winner 2007 boat trial
SHANTOOZIE - Winner 2008 boat trial
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HALCYON 6-Winner 2010 boat trial

KIRONA - Winner 2009 Rubber Duck Race
BLING-Winner 2010 Rubber Duck Race