



GBBC NEWSLETTER

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THE NEWSLETTER

To facilitate communication within the club the Committee has approved the issue of a regular newsletter that will be issued to all those members who have provided an email address. We hope that it will make members more aware of what is happening in their club. It will not replace the BOATMAN that will still issue on a quarterly basis.

WHO ARE THE COMMITTEE?

Commodore: Laurie Dean
Vice Commodore: Vacant
Rear Commodore: John Brierley
Secretary: Sue Hardwick
Treasurer: John Wilcox
Committee: Nigel Grey, Mike Lever, Wally Purdon and Fred van Tuil
Immediate Past Commodore: Keith Bolton

NEW MEMBERS. The club welcomes the following; Leslie Hoggett, Wendy Harris, Rodney Harris, Ken Hancock, Rosalin Bannister, Paul & Jane Fitzgerald, Julius and Kath Fitzgerald, Richard & Emilie Hewson, Andrew & Janet Matton-Johnson, Gerry Veldhuis, Peter Bobbi, and Martin Quilliam

DAD's ARMY is to be commended for their efforts in having just nearly completed the cover for the barbecue.



JACKPOT WINNER on 21 October was John Nibbs who unfortunately for him was not present so it jackpots for next week.

DJ MOTORS TWILIGHT SERIES

The second race in the series was held on Friday 23 October in a good steady breeze. Three boats raced in Division 1 with *Watershed* taking the prize from *Footloose* and *Pyxis*. In Division 2 *Bahloo* won by 28 seconds from *Sixpence* who was four seconds in front of *Magnum*. Next race in the series will be on Friday 6 November. Remember that if you purchase a vehicle from DJ Motors please mention that you are a GBBC member and \$100 comes to the club.



BAHLOO enjoying a good breeze

Reminder that the next **BRIERLEY MARINE SAIL DAY Race 3** will be on Sunday 1 November 2015.

INSURANCE CERTIFICATES – Members who have a boat entered in this seasons sailing program **MUST** provide evidence to the Secretary that their boat is insured. Failure to do so may result in disqualification.

SAILING ISSUES – In the absence of a Vice Commodore and the demise of the Sailing Committee members who wish to raise an issue regarding all matters sailing should in the first instance raise it with Nigel Grey who will bring it to the attention of the Committee.

MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTIONS are due and payable by 31 October. If you have not yet paid it would be appreciated if you could promptly attend to this matter. Failure to pay will see your name removed from the membership draw and nasty reminders in the mail.

RAFFLE BOOKS - All members were recently issued with a raffle book . These need to be returned as soon as possible before the official draw that will take place on Friday 11 December. The Mayor of Clarence, Alderman Doug Chipman, has been invited to draw the raffle. Also help is needed to sell more raffle tickets particularly at Woolworths Lindisfame on Friday 27 November and Thursday 3 December. If you can assist please contact the Secretary.

NOT USED YOUR BOAT FOR A WHILE: A reminder that the club's **SOCIAL SAIL** event will be held on Friday 18 December followed by a get together in the club afterwards.

MEALS available in the club Wednesday and Friday evenings.

CLUB HOUSE IS AVAILABLE TO HIRE – pass the word on to family and friends. Karen is the contact

BAR TABS TO CEASE. The Committee has approved the cessation of the bar tab system as it is only utilized by a very small number of members and is an inefficient accounting practice. Last drinks under the system will be 15 November 2015.

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED to undertake the Responsible Serving of Alcohol course (RSA) and once completed assist with occasionally running the bar. If interested please contact the Commodore or Vice Commodore.

SLIP BOOKINGS are building up so make your booking now.



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