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Making Waves

Tamar Yacht Club Newsletter

The Outdoor Boat and Caravan Show

Now just seven weeks away

Friday 11 September to Sunday 13 September

The Tamar Yacht Club organises and runs the Outdoor Boat and Caravan Show. This fantastic event is the clubs major fund raiser of the year, with all monies raised going directly back to the Small Boats Sailing Squadron.

This year to reduce venue hire costs we are calling for Volunteers; please all Members consider putting aside 3 or 4 hours over the show weekend to help us with running the show,

Contact Rowena on 6331 8013 during office hours, which are Tuesday to Friday 9am to 3pm, if you are able to assist so that we can add your name to the roster.



Supporting the Tamar Yacht Club

The Committee Meeting

Last night Ralph Barnes was elected as a Tamar Yacht Club Committee Member, and Ross Carey was elected as the Clubs Assistant Secretary. Congratulations and thank you both for your support and commitment to the future of the Tamar Yacht Club.

Interesting facts

*The Tamar Rivers indigenous name is kanamaluka.

*The name *Legana* is based on the Aboriginal word for freshwater, since it is at the point where the Tamar River becomes fresh water.

REMINDER: The Small Boats sailing Squadron is holding a working bee this Saturday from 10am to 3pm at Beauty Point- a light lunch will be provided. Please contact Donelda Niles 0419 358 385 if you are able to attend for catering purposes.



Coming Up

Saturday 25th July

SBSS Working Bee 10am - 3pm

Wednesday 5th August

SBSS Committee Meeting 7:30pm

Tuesday 21st August

General Committee Meeting

Wednesday 2nd September

Mast Flare and Safety Course-TYC

Saturday 5th September

Rowing Tasmania 1030 Eights race Tamar Rv

Friday 11th Sunday 13th September

Tasmanian Outdoor Boat and Caravan Show

Tuesday 22 September

General Committee Meeting

Sunday 4th October

The opening of the 2015/16 sailing season

Sunday 27th December

TYC Open Day Beauty Point

A Final Call for Calendar Photos

We are now finalising the 2015/16 sailing calendar but still require several more photographs. Please bring or email your sailing photographs to the TYC Office to have them considered for this years' publication.

John and Di Joyce-Follow Sailing Yacht "Allusive" sailing adventure at:

http://allusiveadventures.blogspot.com.au/

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<u>Tamar Yacht Clubs 2016 Sydney Boat</u> Show Fully Organised Weekend Away





On behalf of our Rear Commodore the Tamar Yacht Club Office is organising an interstate weekend away to the 2016 Sydney Boat Show.

Friday 29th July- Sunday 31st July 2016

Save these dates now in your diary and join in for a fun, entertaining and well organised weekend in the beautiful harbour city; plus see some fantastic boats at the International Boat Show.

We are currently in negotiation with the Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron concerning accommodation and a special dinner at their Club on the Saturday 30th July. Look out for the next update in 2 weeks time.



OPEN DAY

SUNDAY 27th DECEMBER 2015

At Beauty Point Marina
Open From 10am

All welcome to view the Racing Yachts

Launceston-Hobart Ocean Race

before the start of the

Race starting at 1:30pm

Great Viewing from the Inspection Head Wharf

Club Open from 8am for Breakfast

Free Bar-B-Que for Children from 11am

Contact the Club on 03 6331 8013 for details



Slip Yard Notice

Talk to Sam our Bosun on 0408 318 013 for booking a time to slip your vessels for the summer sailing season to avoid the end of year rush.



A Further Reminder

Thankyou to those boat owners who have returned their completed Boat Registration forms to the office over the last few weeks.

Please those members who own boats please return these forms to the Office.

Quiz:

Who won Australia's first gold medal in Olympic Keel Boat Sailing?

The answer from the last MV quiz was- American Eagle.

Congratulations to Mark Waldron and Alan Conn for their correct answers. Come in to the office to receive your prize.

Chilled champagne sailing as Magellan correctly navigates the Derwent

20 Jul 2015

On the water, Richard Grant's Knoop 39 Magellan looks every bit a comfortable cruising yacht, wide beamed with a large cockpit and long coach house that obviously provides lots of space below decks. Below the waterline, the design concept is quite different, a sleek hull and fin keel with bulb that makes her a fast and efficient racing yacht, particularly in a light breeze – as she showed on Hobart's River Derwent today.

Magellan took out first place on corrected time in Division 1 of the Bellerive Yacht Club/Tilford Auto Group Winter Series on a cool but sunny Sunday morning, conditions described as 'champagne sailing'.

Both the temperature (from 6° to 9° C) and the breeze (6 to 10 knots northerly) rose during the morning providing close racing in the three divisions.

Grant brought Magellan, a one-off design by Tasmanian Walter Knoop, to Hobart as a competitor in the last Launceston to Hobart Race and recently re-located to Bellerive, where he joined the Bellerive Yacht Club.

Report from "My Sailing" Peter Campbell