

OUTER HARBOR COMMITTEE NOTES

The old Army saying of "think of your mates" holds very true in the context of "think of the boats next to you".

A club dinghy is missing, lost or strayed. It's one of the latest fibreglass dinghies (no. 5). Please advise Mike Dyer if you sight it.

KEITH FLINT

HOUSE AND SOCIAL COMMITTEE NOTES

ENTERTAINMENT TO COME!

As we enter the last quarter of the Squadron year, members are asked to note the following dates and functions in their diaries:-

Saturday, 16th April 83: Inkster Memorial/Dinner Dance
Friday, 13th May 83 : Social Evening (and film we hope)
Friday, 3rd June 83 : Prize Night Dinner Dance
Friday, 24th June 83 : Gentlemen's Luncheon/Guest Speaker

COMMENT, SUGGESTION, ASSISTANCE SOUGHT

The House and Social Committee is particularly interested in feedback from the members as to how they assessed this year's social programme - comment and suggestions as to in-house facilities and services are also sought.

EASTER ARRANGEMENTS

Entertaining this Easter? Why not entertain at YOUR club?

The Dining Room and Bar will be open as follows:-

Thursday, 31st March - Dinner
Saturday, 2nd April - All Day
Sunday, 3rd April - All Day
Monday, 4th April - All Day

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EINKSTER MEMORIAL DINNER DANCE - Saturday, 16th April 83

Cover Charge: \$3 per person (pay at the door).

GROUP BOOKINGS SUGGESTED.

Dance until 12.30 p.m. to the music provided by our D J.

Members should note that the A Y F Offshore Committee has been invited to join us for this evening.

Thank you for your on-going support. We wish you a safe and happy Easter.

ALAN SWINSTEAD

SAILING COMMITTEE NOTES

As we approach the end of the season's racing, the committee is pleased to note the large number of boats racing each weekend. We are also pleased to see a number of new racing boats in the pool, and we look forward to seeing them all competing in Squadron events. They include BACARDI (Commodore Howell), GIVE-EM-PLENTY (P Eiszele), GOLDEN EAGLE (J Morphet), MARY MUFFIN (I Ross), and TRADE SECRET (K Flint).

The Pre-Xmas Series was completed on 18th December 82, and the winners were:-

OFFSHORE

1ST DIVISION: 1st - RENEGADE (R Francis)
2nd - KAMA (A Swinstead)
3rd - CHLOE III (M Thomas, L Rishworth, N Pascoe)
2ND DIVISION: 1st - DYNASTY (W Strangways)
2nd - CAPRICE II (J Powell, A Marshall, J Boucat)
3rd - SHADOW (P Bainbridge)

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INSHORE

1ST DIVISION: 1st - RENEGADE (R Francis)
2nd - HECATE (W Tedmanson)
3rd - BELLA (M Butterfield)

2ND DIVISION: 1st - STUNNED MULLET (J Clarke)
2nd - PIPPIN (K Banwell)
3rd - ANDROMEDA (K Boyle)

3RD DIVISION: 1st - MONSOON (H Henderson)
2nd - WATRIKA (K Cock)
3rd - ARETE (G Baird)

J O G : 1st - STUNNED MULLET (J Clarke)
2nd - PIPPIN (K Banwell)
3rd - AUD (R Lawson)

HALF TON : 1st - ESCAPADE (R Halliday)
2nd - CAPRICE II (J Powell & partners)
3rd - TROCHUS (A Human)

DRAGON : 1st - ARIEL (E Semple)
2nd - EROS (L Deacon)
3rd - NAUTILUS IV (D Smylie)

Our congratulations go to those who competed in interstate events during the Xmas/New Year period. In particular, congratulations go to BORN FREE (chartered by Commodore Howell) for winning the Congressional Cup, the 4 race series which incorporates the Westcoaster.

The 6 twilight races conducted in conjunction with the C Y C S A have now been completed. The number of starters gradually increased each race to the extent that the continuation of this competition is ensured. Valuable experience was gained by the organisers, and a number of improvements are already planned to attract more starters next year.

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The course selected for this year's Neptune Island Race was enjoyed by those who contested the event. One of the features of this particular course is that all marks of the course are lit, and the good weather experienced by the competitors, contributed to the success of this classic race. The winners were:- 1st and fastest - RENEGADE, 2nd - RICOCHET II (J Jones), and 3rd - TEKIN II (I Scott).

The Single Handed Race held on 11th December 82 attracted 11 starters. They were:- ANDROMEDA (K Boyle), GIP (D Taylor), JOYLEE (A Baldwin), KAMA (A Swinstead), LIAT II (G Brown), LOVRAN (E Marcel), NATANI (A Vandebroek), OBSESSION (S Vandebroek), SOOLAIMON (J Ellison), TAMURE (B Tunbridge), and WONOKA (D Morton). Congratulations to the winners:- 1st - WONOKA, 2nd - GIP, 3rd - LOVRAN, and fastest - LIAT II.

Once again Ladies Day was well supported with most competitors relishing the social atmosphere of this popular event. Our congratulations go to the winners:- Overall - JOANNE (D Buck), 1st Div - RICOCHET II (W Jones), 2nd Div - GIP (S Taylor), 3rd Div - WINDSONG (G Allen), J O G - STUNNED MULLET (L Clarke), Half Ton - VALKYRIE (L Ottaway), and Dragon - JOANNE.

This year's Racing Skippers and Crews meeting will be held on Wednesday 4th May 83. All members involved in club racing are strongly urged to attend this important meeting. A well attended meeting will provide both valuable assistance in formulating next year's program, and a good forum for floating new ideas.

Good luck for the remainder of the season.

BOB FRANCIS