

PYBC E-News 20th February 2019

Prize for lucky membership number

Thursday 21st February Pool A **\$800**

Pool B **\$100** reverse number

Only financial members carrying their current (Green 2018) cards are eligible for lucky membership draws from September 1



Thursday Night Dining 18.00 hours

Ham Carvery \$18 or

Fish of the Day \$18

(last orders 8.15pm)

Pre-race burgers available from 5.15pm

DINGHY LOCKERS

If you have your dinghy in lockers 142, 159 or 198 please contact the office urgently as these are not allocated to you.

YARD

We are expecting to be moving boats on Saturday and Sunday subject to the current forecast. Tomorrow, Thursday, we will be digging out the end of the slipway to replace the down haul pulley block. On Monday the Travel Lift will be having its annual SGS inspection. Please keep the yellow tram lines clear for the travel lift.

YELLOW DINGHY LOCKING ZONE ADJACENT TO THE BOARDING LADDER, WHICH IS PAINTED YELLOW IS FOR TEMPORARY TYING UP OF DINGHIES TO LOAD AND UNLOAD (not 24/7). Over the past month, several members have not been able to use the south berth due to dinghies tied along side, which has caused major inconvenience to which an elderly member fall into the water trying to get into his dinghy while launching his dinghy. Please do not inconvenience your fellow members. Once you have unloaded, follow this previous instruction which was circulated in a November newsletter.

The boarding ladder on the northern side of the ramp is strategically placed for safe boarding/diseimbarking (including loading and unloading) from your dinghies.



To enable club members easy of accessing to these steps members are reminded the area painted in **YELLOW** is not for the mooring of dinghies.

Very simple rules for ALL club members once you have disimbarked from your dinghy you have two choices, **pull your dinghy along and secure it to the hitching rail along the walkway above the bridge or better still; secure it in your dinghy locker.**

Remember the facility is for the use of ALL club members, please consider other members before leaving your dinghy tidied up unattended.

LIDGARD 2H 3L 8-10TH March – get your entries in. Please note Leg 2 and Beach BBQ will be at Scott's Landing, Mahurangi Harbour.

Remember, every time you race in the Thursday night series, you will be awarded a marble per race which will be drawn at prize giving for \$1000 credit at Lidgard Sails to go towards a new sail. This is sponsored by the general committee with the assistance of the boys at Lidgards. This is not transferrable for cash and must be used at Lidgard Sails.

TEA ROOM –

A reminder that the Tea Room is not for leaving your gear in or for putting anything that you do not want any more in there. This room is also covered by a separate CCTV camera.

GOLDEN OLDIES & TAKE A KID FISHING –

3RD March - SPONSORED BY MANUKAU HYUNDAI, HASLIPS' TYRE SERVICES, MORRIS & GAIL WATSON. PRIZES BY BURNSCO

This is a fun event, one of the many highlights our club has run over years gone by where our aging members and our youth come together for a fun day out trying to out-do one another with their catch.

“Golden Oldies” over 50 and “Kids” up 12 and we may have some special prizes for those in between.

Simple rules fishing starts at day break Sunday 3rd March with a weigh-in at the yacht club at 4.30. Fish may be caught anywhere within the inner gulf. Fish must be weighed-in to be eligible for a prize by 4.30, no late entry will be accepted. Fish may be viewed under the balcony. Following the weigh-in; our social committee will provide a well deserved BBQ on the balcony following a tiring day on the water.

This is an opportunity for our young up and coming members to enjoy a family day of fun, following on from a very successful “Take-Kid-Fishing” on the river day.

Enjoy a safe day of fishing. Remember to wear “life jackets”

Race 6 Thursday - Sponsored by United Trucks

River Racer #5 – Sponsor Auckland Fuel Injection & Turbo

Despite Valentine’s day we had a great turnout again – 7 boats on the starting line. Well, not all made it over the line. Swaggie had some gear failure – a broken mainsheet block and had to retire. In starting order – MacHeath (looking fast), Farque (with a touch of mud coming back to the club), Frenchy and Rajah, Buoy Racer (strange handicap this week) and Babe. Waitemata was not on the start unfortunately, was this due to Sid’s sore backside from the anchor fall?

Tart tried out their “hat overboard” manoeuvre prior to the start, however after two attempts the start was calling. Rajah was kind enough to wait for Buoy Racer’s start, appearing to heave to – somewhat unintentionally. The starting tower and boats in close vicinity to Rajah could make out a few @#!\$#@% to everyone’s amusement. Buoy Racer followed straight after opting for the jetty end – just on the turn of the digits. We were told after the race that some boats were very close to being over and were lucky no blanks were loaded. Babe also must have a blinder of a start, chasing down the fleet. In dropping nor’easterly conditions this seemed to be another race suiting Buoy Racer. MacHeath rounded the turning mark first and looked very sharp. Farque tried a wee shortcut between the red buoys, but with an outgoing tide the mud was found instead. In good Valentine’s fashion it was Val’s turn to push the boat off the mud. Both 1020’s were courteous enough to let Buoy Racer through to chase MacHeath, however both battled Babe on the straight back to the clubhouse. Babe did manage to

get through and MacHeath unfortunately could not hold onto a placing, with Buoy Racer, Babe and Tart sharing the podium. The crew prize went to Tart. See you all on Thursday.

Holger off Buoy Racer

Alterations to Racing Calendar: These new dates fall in between races scheduled at Bucklands Beach.

Anzac Day Thursday 25th

Winter Race #1 Sun 2019	May 5th	0738	3.1
Winter Race #2 Sun 2019	May 19th	0726	3.4
Winter Race #3 Sun 2019	June 2nd	1849	3.1
Winter Race #4 Sun 2019	June 16th	0612	3.2
Winter Race #5 Sun 2019	June 30th	1725	3.0
Winter Race #6 Sun 2019	July 14th	1738	3.1
Winter Race #7 Sun 2019	July 28th	1552	2.8
Winter Race #8 Sun 2019	Aug 11th	1619	3.0
Winter Race #9 Sun 2019	Aug 25th	1415	2.8
Winter Race #10 Sun 2019	Sept 8th	1452	2.9
Winter Race Prize giving			

New Members nominations for February Induction Meeting 6.30pm Thursday 21st -

<i>Phil & Shana Cox</i>	<i>"Taith"(L) Markline</i>
<i>Max Tongue & Anita Kirker</i>	<i>"Silent Flight" (Y) Whiting 40</i>
<i>Dave Blockley</i>	<i>"Starlit" (Y) Ganley Shadow</i>
<i>Stephen Blakey</i>	<i>"Bellemer" (Y) Oracle 32</i>
<i>Tony Sage</i>	<i>Social</i>

CCTV –

Thanks to the local board, we are now hosting 5 new extra CCTV cameras which now gives us 21 cameras. These new ones cover the outer end of the Panmure Wharf and continue around Kings Rd into the reserve car park and toilet block and one has been dedicated to taking in the far side of the club carpark. Any footage needs to be retrieved within 5 to 7 days. This will incur technician costs.

Coming fishing season 2018/2019

Dates for calendar: -

Golden Oldies Contest Sunday	3rd March
Take A Kid Fishing Sunday	3rd March
Fishing series 4 Saturday	19th April (Easter Cruise)
Closing Day Saturday	27th April

Diary Dates

Thursday 21st February 6.30pm -	New Members & Health & Safety Meeting
Sunday 24th February -	His & Hers Race
Friday 8th to Sunday 10th March -	Lidgard 2H 3L