

July 2019

Wind and Spray

The Magazine of the Manawatu Marine Boating Club Inc.



CASINO NIGHT

SATURDAY 24TH AUGUST

8.00PM

TRY YOUR HAND AT

ROULETTE, BLACKJACK, POKER

THE BIG WHEEL

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COMING EVENTS

Foxton Surf Lifesaving Club mid-winter swim
Saturday 20th July
Registration from 9am, Swim at 10am

Pool Annual Pairs Competition
Saturday 3rd August



Casino Night
Saturday 24th August at 8pm

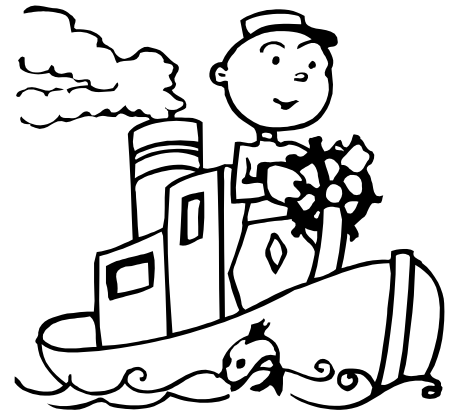
MMBC Annual General Meeting
Sunday 25th August

New World Quiz Night
Fundraising for the Foxton Surf
Lifesaving Club
Saturday 31st August



Welcome Aboard To These New Members

Ray & Tina Adlam
Kate & Parekura Puhata-Makarini
Dave & Diane Gredig
Peter Potaka
Joan Marshall & Russell Easton
Reece & Karin Tawharu
Dave Daly & Viv Dalton
David & Glenys Lean



New Members Night

Come along and join the team for drinks and nibbles and meet other new members.

Old members are also encouraged to join in this event and meet the new members.

New members night is on the first Friday of the even months at 6pm.

The next new members evening is August 2nd.



Commodores Comments

Hi Everyone,

Well, winter has finally arrived. We have had some good frosts but beautiful days. Fishing has been good with some good catches, even a couple of Kingfish caught off the wharf.

Our AGM is getting close again, If you think you can give some input into the running of your club please put your name forward and get on the Executive Committee.

We are losing out Treasurer, Margaret, this year. Margaret has been a valuable asset to the club, and we are sorry to see her go. If you are good with figures and would like to give this position a go, please contact either myself or any of the executive committee members.

The club has been very busy with luncheon and breakfast functions with various clubs using our facilities. Our annual midwinter Christmas dinner was a huge success with a capacity crowd who had a great night. A big thanks to the many helpers and volunteers who helped with the setup and the cleanup for these functions.

The restaurant is going great as is the bar. The club is in great shape with a membership now of around 850 at present and increasing every month.

Don't forget the AGM on Sunday 25th August. Nominations for the Executive close on 11th August.

Cheers

Roger Cook



Sailing Report

The sailing season will soon be upon us. So, what do we need to do to get prepared for the coming season?

1. Take wetsuit into suitable Tailor and get a few inches added to the belly area so you don't have to breath in too hard to make it fit.
2. Rig your boat up and see what was on that mental list you made on closing day and thought I'll do that over winter. De-rig and make another mental note, I must get onto that.
3. Ask the person that showed an interest if they would like to give it ago and organise a date.
4. Find that book "How To Improve Your Sailing" by Ian Pedersen (a very small volume indeed) wipe the dust off and think to yourself, I wonder how good it is.
5. Pull the top off another stubbie, go online and buy sailing gear/ equipment as it is cheap at the end of the northern hemisphere sailing season. This has the advantage of when it arrives you can ask yourself 'how much did I pay' for this shit and when the visa account arrives you know and have to hide it from the wife.
6. Get on trade me and look at Lasers for sail and think to yourself the kids really don't need new bikes or food for that matter and hit the buy now button.
7. Volunteer the wife to do the start line duties as all they will be doing is sitting in the sun & talking otherwise.
8. Get the iPad out and play the sailing game for three hours thinking to yourself "this will make me a better sailor".

So as daylight saving starts so does the sailing. Last year was a cracker and this coming one will be just as good. If you want to help give us a call, we always need a hand. And don't forget the Sailing GP at Cowes on the weekend of 10/11 August, it's very exciting to watch.

Thanks for coming and I'm looking forward to next season.

Ian Pedersen

Fishing Report

Results MMBC ICEBREAKER

Held 23rd June 2019

The MMBC Fishing section successfully ran the 2019 ICEBREAKER.

There were 27 fisher people who fished from 12 boats. I would like to thank all the people for turning out on a not such good a day, but I guess that's why it's called the ICEBREAKER.

RESULTS

Place	Fish	Weight	Fisher Person	Boat Name
1st	Gurnard	1.27	Al	Hometown Girl
2nd	Gurnard	0.96	Brian Griffith	Sonia
3rd	Gurnard	0.92	Rodney Caldow	Black Pearl
1st	Kahawai	2.31	Kerry Ploen	Sonia
2nd	Kahawai	2.3	Alana Ward	X T Sea
3rd	Kahawai	2.26	Maurice Wiggleworth	Willpowa
1st	Snapper	3.34	Tony Brom	Black Pearl
2nd	Snapper	3.05	Alana Ward	X T Sea
3rd	Snapper	2.99	Tony Rusling	Kotuku

Keep an eye on club e-mails and web site for the next competition coming soon.

Kevin Giles

Fishing Co-ordinator

The AGM of the Manawatu Marine Boating Club Inc Is to be held at the Clubrooms Hartley Street, Foxton Beach On Sunday 25th August 2019 at 2pm

AGENDA - Apologies
Minutes of previous AGM
Matters Arising
Reports
Election of Officers
Remits (*if any*)
General Business

Elections will be held for the following positions.
(Please note that nominations for these positions are required by the 11th of August.)

Commodore
Vice-Commodore
Fishing Co-Ordinator
Yachting Co-Ordinator
Executive Committee (*up to 6 positions*)

Please use a copy of this form for each nomination and return the completed form to the Secretary or handed over the bar, not later than 12th August 2018.

Name..... Membership #.....

I am prepared to stand for election at the AGM of the MMBC on 26th August 2018 for the position of:

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Signed..... Date.....

Proposed: (name).....

Signed..... Membership #.....

Seconded: (name).....

Signed..... Membership #.....

Pool Report

Our club has had a very busy 2 months where we have visited Foxton RSA & PN RSA. We have also hosted games between PN RSA and PN Cossie Club, and our annual Coastguard Challenge was held on the 27th June.

The Pool Club continues to be very popular as we enter our 2nd 12 week competition.

The 9th annual Open Pairs Tournament is coming up on 3rd August competing for the J & J Story Trophy. **This contest is open to all MMBC members.** If you have a passion for pool and would like to enter put your name down at the Bar. You do not necessarily need a partner as we can provide a Pool Club member to partner you.

Entry form is below, and these are also available at the bar. These need to be in by 28th July. Cost is \$20 per person, which includes lunch. A reminder that our Pool Club AGM is 1st August.

Yours in Pool

John Bary

Entry form: (Players limited to 24 pair)

MMBC Open Pool Pairs Competition 3rd August 2019

Name:MMBC No.

Partner:MMBC No.

All players must be current MMBC Members

Contact phone number.....

\$ entry fees enclosed @ \$7 each For office use:

\$..... paid

\$ lunches enclosed @ \$13 each

Received / /2019

MMBC POOL

Open Pairs Competition

(J & J Story Trophy)

Saturday 3rd August
Start time 10am

*Open to all MMBC Members, make up a pair
or register as a single and we will pair you.*


Registration forms at the bar



Entries close 28th July

*Would you like to play this tournament?
Pool Club members are looking for
partners.*

*For further info ring John Bary
0274420400*



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SATURDAY 24TH AUGUST

8.00PM

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THE BIG WHEEL

MAKE UP A PARTY

BE A HIGH ROLLER FOR THE NIGHT

MEALS FROM 6 – 8PM

PRIZES FOR THE BIGGEST WINNER

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM THE BAR

\$20 PER PERSON

Tides

Following are the approximate high tide times for July & August Times are for the river mouth. For a rough guide to the tide time at the launching ramp, add an hour to these times.

		am	pm	
July	13 th	6.25	19.02	
	14 th	7.21	19.55	
	20 th	11.33	23.47	
	21 st		12.10	
	27 th	4.28	17.10	
	28 th	5.29	18.14	
	Aug	3 rd	11.45	
		4 th	00.09	12.34
10 th		6.57	17.38	
11 th		6.05	18.45	
17 th		10.33	22.45	
18 th		11.06	23.17	
24 th		2.43	15.19	
25 th		5.46	16.30	
31 st	9.50	22.12		

Full Moons - 25th July & 16th August



Hi All

Well Well Well!!! yah we have our new motors thanks to New Zealand Community Trust for the funding they granted us recently. They are going very well after quite a few test runs with different props, we ended up going for 19inch 3 blade props which seems to run and tow beautifully! Visit our Facebook page as there is some short videos on there of us out on the water testing them!

A big Thank you to Nathan at Reel Marine he has been fantastic and very helpful throughout this long process, especially being local it is a bonus!

We had two call outs recently, one was a Jet ski missing at sea though we were stood down as the helicopter had found him at 50 metre depth, then a duck shooter was stuck across the other side of the river, the weather was too nasty for him to return in his Kayak but everyone was all safe and well. Remember to tell someone where you are going and especially your estimated time of return as the water temperature is just 12 degrees and hypothermia can set in pretty quick as you all know!

Our training is fortnightly at present as we do over the winter months, we played the Pool Club at the Boating club, it was an enjoyable night had by all. We have been doing a bit of training in the weekends as you may have seen, the motors have slightly different characteristics, so we need to get used to them.

Other than that, it has been pretty quiet though always lots to do behind the scenes with paperwork/finances etc which always keeps us very busy.

Be safe on the water, dress to the conditions, wear your life jackets and do your trip reporting!

Trish Huisman and Crew



WANTED - CLUB TREASURER

*IS THERE ANYONE OUT THERE WHO WOULD LIKE TO STEP INTO THE
IMPORTANT ROLE OF MMBC TREASURER – PREFERABLY SOMEONE
WITH BOOK-KEEPING EXPERIENCE
MARG IS LEAVING US AFTER THE AGM LATER THIS YEAR SO IF YOU ARE
INTERESTED PLEASE GIVE HER A CALL ON 027 216 8860 FOR MORE
DETAILS*



CLUBHOUSE HOURS

Bar Hours

Monday - Wednesday	4 pm to 7.00 pm.
Thursday (or until pool club finishes)	4 pm to 7.00 pm
Friday and Saturday	4pm till late.
Sunday and Public holidays	4pm to 6.00 pm.

Hours may alter to accommodate special events, or to reflect patronage.

Meals

Fridays & Saturdays,	6 pm to 8.00 pm.
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Secretary	Karen Turnbull	phone 021 214 4514
Sailing Co-ordinator	Rob Cox	phone (06)367 0026
Fishing Co-ordinator	Kevin Giles	phone (06)363 6624
Patron	Peter Jamieson	
Executive Committee	Bill Curtis	Stephanie Brown
	Gary Stratford	Ian Pedersen
	Pamela Cameron	Bernard Cronin
	Blair Cottrill	

**REMINDER CONTACT “FOXTON SPORT RADIO” on VHF
CHANNEL 60:**

- ⇒ Before crossing the bar, with boat name & # people on board
- ⇒ After crossing the bar, with your trip plan & E.T.A.
- ⇒ On return before crossing the bar.
- ⇒ Once safely back in the river.
- ⇒ Call if you change your plan.

BOAT TO BOAT CHAT CHANNEL 77

Radio operators request, “please speak clearly and radio in before engaging your boat in full throttle

LIFE JACKETS MUST BE WORN WHEN CROSSING THE BAR

Radio Operators

Murray Lucas	(06) 363 7173
Wayne Jameson	(027)4322391
Roger Fowler	(06) 3637021
Becky Skye-Gatland	(020) 40619422
Duty Operator Mobile	(027) 453 0049

Hours:	Summer	weekends & holidays	7 am – 6 pm
	(Labour Day-Easter)	weekdays	8 am – 5 pm
	Winter	weekends & holidays	8.30am – 4pm
	(Easter –Labour day)	weekdays	9 am – 4 pm



