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# **June Club Social Night**

Tuesday 8 June 2010 6.30pm at Royal NZ Yacht Squadron

We have a very special treat for CYA and RNZYS members, families and friends at our June Club Night. You are all warmly welcomed to come and hear our special guest speaker...........

# Guest Speaker: David Glen

### "One for the Bucket List"

You are all invited to come along and hear an account of David's 14 day voyage around Tierra del Fuego in March 2009 with a group of mates aboard Pelagic Australis.

Lots of pictures from 57° South from extensive cruising in the Beagle Channel and their dawn approach to Cape Horn after riding the back of a storm down the coast.

You will almost smell the Chilean asado!!

Put it in your diary as its one of those 'not to be missed' evenings......

# **CYANZ Diary:**

08 June: CYA Club Social Night

12 June: RNZYS Winter Sailing Classics Race #2
10 July: RNZYS Winter Sailing Classics Race #3
13 July: CYA Social Night at NZ Traditional

**Boatbuilding School** 

7 August: RNZYS Winter Sailing Classics Race #4

17 August: CYA Annual General Meeting

4 September: RNZYS Winter Sailing Classics Race #5

## Forums to check out:

### Launches:

http://www.classicyacht.org.nz/forum/viewforum.php?forum\_id=14

### Yachts and Restorations:

http://www.classicvacht.org.nz/forum/index.php

# The Cup Regatta and more

Fri 29 Oct – Mon 1 Nov: Port Phillip, Melbourne, Australia

Thur 4 Nov: Sydney, New South Wales

The 4<sup>th</sup> Cup Regatta in Melbourne will get underway on Friday the 29th October with two special contests.

The first is 2 on 2 boat contest between the CYAA gun racing boats from the 60's. Mercedes III and Boambillee, and two of the hottest boats from the Couta Boat Fleet.

The "Guineas Trophy" will have a thousand Guineas on the table for the winning Association.

If you would like to see the race up close the CYAA has organized for the magnificent MV Melburnian

(www.mvmelburnian.com.au) to follow the boats around the course to allow you to witness the tussle close at hand.

Contact Mark: mark@blueboat.com.au.

Following this there will be an Opening Cocktail Party held at The Royal Yacht Club of Victoria, looking across Hobson's Bay back to the City of Melbourne. There will be as many vessels as possible berthed in front of the RYCV, rafting up and creating a fun social atmosphere in which we can share stories and information on our magnificent old boats.

### Regatta Program:

Sat 30th Oct: Race One

Sun 31st Oct: Races Two and Three. Mon 1st Nov: Race Four (Pursuit)

Tues 2 Nov: MELBOURNE CUP DAY

Watch this space for further details......and be in early to make the most of the air fare specials!

# then Sydney .....

Thur 4 Nov: Sydney Amateurs Classic Twilight Race on the beautiful Sydney Harbour followed by a BBQ at the fabulous 'on the water's edge' Sydney Amateurs Sailing Club house

For accommodation options try Cremorne Point Manor:

www.visitnsw.com.au/accommodation/Cremorne

or contact Rob Evans: robevans@hotmail.com

Please register your interest with Rob (as above) or email Sydney Amateurs Sailing Club

racing@sasc.com.au

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# The Sea Around us Winter Lecture Series

Sir Peter Blake Marine Education & Recreation Centre 1045 Beach Road, Long Bay, Auckland

Ph: 4730714 www.merc.org.nz

Adults \$6 • Students & Pensioners \$4 • Friends of MERC \$2

### June 11th

**On it, in it and under it:** our growing use of the sea for recreation and tourism. **Professor Mark Orams,** Associate Director, Coastal and Marine, New Zealand Tourism Research Institute, AUT University

### June 18th

Discovery of the 1851 Wreck of the French Corvette "L'ALCMENE": 230 crew and a Swedish Count and Countess aboard. History, drama and detective work.

Noel Hilliam, Founding President of Dargaville Museum. 50 yrs of diving, recovery of relics, research and salvage.

### June 25th

**Oceans, Waves, and Ice:** the mindset and stories of an extreme adventurer.

Jamie Fitzgerald, 2003 (with Kevin Biggar) world record winner of the 5,000km Trans-Atlantic Rowing Race. In 2007 Jamie became the first Kiwi to reach the South Pole on foot and unsupported after 52 days dragging a 160kg sledge.

## July 2nd

## Life on the Bow with Team New Zealand!

Guts and glory days with the best yachtsmen in the world. **Joe Allen**, one of New Zealand's most experienced and revered yachtsman, is one of few people to have twice won both the Around the World Race (Flyer and Yamaha) and the America's Cup (Team New Zealand 1995 and 2000). Joe Allen has grown into one of the world's most in demand yacht coaches. He assisted with coaching for BMW-Oracle's recent America's Cup victory in the massive tri and is the senior coach for Emirates Team New Zealand.

Joe is a great story teller and a real character. Don't miss this opportunity; you'll kick yourself if you do!

## July 9th

**The Scow "Jane Gifford":** her history and restoration. Built by Davie Darroch in Omaha 1908 and still working in1985. She has been heroically restored and returned to an active life in her home port of Warkworth.

**Peter Thompson**, Builder, Chairman of the Warkworth Riverbank Enhancement Group and Founder Trustee of the Jane Gifford Restoration Trust

### July 16th

A Kiwi on Seabirds: marine ornithology in the extinction isles. Dr Matt Rayner, Foundation for Science Research & Technology post-doctoral fellow based at NIWA and a research associate of the School of Biological Sciences, University of Auckland.

July 23<sup>rd</sup> Whales of the Hauraki Gulf

**Dr. Karen Stockin**, Coastal Marine Research Group Massey University.

# Heritage Week at Bayswater 4-5 September

The Takapuna Boating Club will be hosting a Regatta for allcomers especially the classic centreboarders: Idle Alongs, Z Class, Finns, OKs and other Heritage class yachts in Shoal Bay as part of the celebration.

There is ample parking and very good launching ramps at Bayswater and the tide is high mid afternoon. The programme is adaptable should you wish to sail on only one of the days or you may wish to make it a two day Regatta with a BBQ & Prize Giving after sailing on Sunday. We can even offer a hot shower & a hot or cold drink after sailing.

The clubhouse will be open from 12 – 1700hrs for viewing and afternoon tea.

Start the new season with us at our Heritage Club House at Shoal Bay!

If you are interested please contact Janet W. ph: 483 9848 <a href="mailto:janetmw@paradise.net.nz">janetmw@paradise.net.nz</a> or Janet G. ph 09 4451739 Mob: 021 258 8035

# School Holiday Intro to Navigation Course 12 – 16 July

A school holiday program suited to 12-16 year olds presented by Voyager in partnership with Coastguard Boating Education.

Participants will complete theory modules in the morning at Voyager, then participate in some practical activity in the afternoon, which will include:

- Sailing on the heritage scow, Ted Ashby
- Visiting the Marine Rescue Centre, Coastguard Northern Region and the Westpac Helicopter Trust Base
- Exploring the museum galleries

Boating experience is not a prerequisite but an interest in maritime activities is recommended.

The programme is ideal for students who are considering careers in the maritime world as well as recreational boating. At the end of the course, students will have:

- Attained an Introduction to Navigation Certificate.
- Completed both on and off the water tutorials with accredited tutors

Further information contact: Judy Klaus, Deputy Educator, Voyager National Maritime Museum ph: 373 0814 email: judy@maritimemuseum.co.nz

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# The CYA/NZTBS Library

Is now open for research and general interest. CYA members are welcome to visit but it is essential to arrange access ahead of time.

Please contact Steve at the school ph: 416-1023 to arrange a time, please leave a message if the phone is unattended.

## **Books & Magazines for the CYA Library**

We are happy to take any boatbuilding or yachting books and magazines that you'd like to donate to our ever-growing library.

Please contact Steve ph: 416-1023 or <a href="mailto:info@nztbs.org.nz">info@nztbs.org.nz</a>

# New New New!!!

The New Zealand Traditional Boatbuilding School now has a fabulous monthly e-mail newsletter. To subscribe please register at www.nztbs.org.nz

# **NZ Traditional Boatbuilding School**

(formerly known as Auckland Traditional Boatbuilding School) This year our main courses are:

- § One year "Certificate in Traditional Boatbuilding" this is a NZQA approved course.
- § Tuesday Night School Hobby class. his very successful course has grown in numbers over the last three years and is expected to be extremely popular in 2010.
- § Tuesday Morning Hobby Class. This is a new class and offers the same wonderful opportunity to build a small boat or complete a small project but in a day time class..
- § Build a Clinker Dinghy 4 week full time course
- § Build a half model boat (new)
- § **Boat Builders Toolbox** (new) like the apprentice chests of old, a great chance to learn some valuable hand tool skills including dovetailing.
- § Spar & Oarmaking (new)

We are currently developing a new course on Traditional Wooden Boat Maintenance. This will be an evening course in modules covering all aspects of wooden boat ownership and maintenance, register your interest now!

p: (09) 416-1023 e: info@atbs.org.nz www.atbs.org.nz

# **Alpha-numeric Sail Numbers**

The CYA has come to an arrangement with Yachting NZ to issue alpha-numeric sail numbers to CYA members' yachts in the APYMBA sequence abandoned on the introduction of national numbers in 1970. YNZ will recognize these numbers for racing and identification purposes. The rules of issue are posted on the website along with application forms - applications are invited for consideration.

Contact Joyce if you would like a copy or an application form.

### For Sale:

### **New Zealand Kauri**

Solid Piece - no joins. A very rare and very valuable piece

3500mm x 900mm x 40mm

\$4,000.00 negotiable

A solid Kauri Counter Top from a refurbishment carried out in 1957 for 'Wingates' Retailer and Importer store in the lower part of Queen Street Auckland. Stored in dry covered environment since this time (over 50 years)

The building no longer exists – wonderful historical value, an absolute must for the New Zealand Kauri enthusiast

## from the verandah of an old villa over 50 years ago:

- 1 @ 2590mm x 155mm x 70mm
- 2 @ 2000mm x 121mm x 121mm
- 3 @ 2667mm x 121mm x 121mm

## \$1800.00 negotiable

Very valuable timber stored in a dry covered environment for the past 50 years

Enquiries to Pauline: (09) 813 3634 Mob: 027 337 8796

## Tawera A18 – 1935 Logan

The opportunity has arisen to buy this beautiful vessel outright, asking price: \$400,000.00 incl GST **OR** put together/join a syndicate and become a shareholder.

Options offered on the basis of 6 shares @ \$66,000 each

- (i) Cash price of \$60,000 per share or
- (ii) No cash up front and a loan to the buyer of \$66,000 over 5 years @ 8%.

Usual share of costs eg marina, insurance etc

Tawera will be based in Auckland

Further information please contact Mike Mahoney:

m: 021 677 826 e: mike@taweragroup.com

Owhanga – 1928 Logan

LOA: 27'6" Beam: 8'6" Draft: 4'6"

Good condition with a new motor, fridge/freezer and autohelm. Cradle included.

Same owner for 37 years

Asking price: \$29,500.00

Contact: Bill Penny ph: 027 496-8731

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### Volante - 51 foot Classic Yacht

## Bring Volante back to her true glory! Open to offers!!

Volante is a beautiful classic yacht designed by Ben Lexcen (Robert Miller) of Sydney, who also designed the winged keel for the winning 1983 America's Cup yacht Australia II. Built by Max Carter and launched in 1968, this yacht was the fastest Division One boat in 1972.

Vital statistics:

LOA: 51 feet/15.5m LWL: 47 feet/14.32m

Beam: 12 foot 6 inches/6.38m

Draft: 9.0/2.74

Engine: Perkins 4108 diesel (48hp).

Construction: Fibreglass over double skin kauri and cedar moulded hull. The deck is marine ply with teak overlay. Accommodation: Double bunk in a small stateroom and berths

for 13 others???

Sold as is, where is. Restoration work needed. Currently moored at Akaroa Harbour near Christchurch.

Open to offers. Seller would consider exchange for a secure investment.

Further information available on request. Phone seller on 0274 359 414 or email <u>volante1968@gmail.com</u>

Escape - Built by Percy Vos in 1940.

Triple skin kauri hull, 28ft 6in x 8ft 3in x 5ft. Bukh 10 HP diesel with cutter rig. 4 single berths. Has been immaculately restored & maintained and been in the same family for 40 years. Price NOW: \$39,000

Contact Steve Thomas (Nelson): 03 546 6976

optimum@ix.net.nz

# **CYA Shop**

CYA burgees: \$60.00 Launch Numbers:

Two digits: \$70.00 a set Three digits: \$95.00 a set

CYA Clothing: Caps, polo shirts, tee's, dress shirts,

www.classicyacht.org.nz/store.asp

## **CYA Contact details:**

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e: admin@classicyacht.org.nz

# Let's Go Sailing

The CYA and the Auckland Classic Yacht Charitable Trust are seeking additional skippers and crew for their growing fleet of classic vessels.

Experienced former boat owner-skippers, and beginners through to experienced sailors, are invited to make contact to view the yachts and meet the people to discuss the various opportunities - and then enjoy the fun and the camaraderie of sailing these fine old historic wooden vessels.

In the first instance contact Joyce: <a href="mailto:admin@classicyacht.org.nz">admin@classicyacht.org.nz</a>

ph: 09 836 4747