

## **Tuesday Tattler**

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Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> September

Hi everyone,

Finally a hint of spring warmth after a long cold offseason, naturally the Opti's are leading the way with a big fleet out on the water yesterday honing their skills in fresh conditions on day 1 of a 3 day school holiday training camp.

MYC has been a busy place regardless of the wintery weather. A good crowd enjoyed another Lazy Sunday with the Hurricane Duo at the club on Sunday afternoon and last Wednesday we were introduced to the 8 recipients of the MYC community youth scholarship program. Tim Melville presented them all with some great Ronstan sailing gear nicely housed in a snappy Ronstan bag. We can now look forward to getting to know these young people as they commence their program at MYC.



Photo - From left to right: Jake Hilbert, Ben Knights, Corey Cornish, Natalie Ruf, Molly Fergus, Greg Martin (Commodore), Chris Jackson (Club Captain), Eilah Cumming, Eden MacDonel. Absent Jason Cooper

The Rocks have been kindly provided tasty finger food to the good crowd who gathered in the bar each Friday evening throughout winter enjoying MYC camaraderie.

Slipping day is on the 7<sup>th</sup> October and crane day on the 13<sup>th</sup>, as always lots of help is required. The BBQ will be operating as usual and your participation would be greatly appreciated.

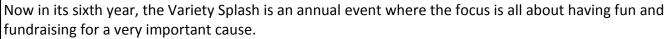
## The 2013 Variety Splash is coming to Mornington .....

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## Social News.....

Our MYC Opening Cocktail party will be on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October. Tickets are to be purchased through the office at \$35.00 per head. Kick off time will be 6.30pm for a 7.00pm start. Drinks to be purchased over the bar with 10% of bar sales coming back to the Club. Bookings will close Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> October so book early as we would like to see as many members as possible attending to get the social side of our sailing season up and running.

Make a note in your Diary for our next social function which will be an "Irish Pub Night" on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> November. Entertainment will be provided by "Shanakee". It is sure to be a great fun night. We will have more details over the coming weeks.

Jenny Martin, Social Committee

Opening Day this year will be held on Sunday 28th October.

Boat registration forms and race entries should be in by now, also Safety and Insurance declarations need to be submitted to the office. All forms can be found on our website.

With a great sailing program and an exciting social calendar planned; season 2012/2013 is really something to look forward to.

Hope to see you all around the club, Richard Nichols Div. 1 class captain

