



Tuesday Tattler

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Winter Sailing Sessions



the first of the winter sailing sessions that was scheduled to have run on Sunday was unfortunately cancelled due to big breeze, possible hail and 11 degrees top temperature. I know that it is cold in winter but you still need to have fun! We had 12 boats registered for the day, so I look forward to seeing you all on the 18th of August. If you would like to come and have a sail please let me know or register on the MYC website, remember there are club boats available to sail and is also a great opportunity for mums, dads and kids to have a sail together in a feva or 420.

Michelle Pickford :)

 **YARINGA**
BOAT HARBOUR



Looking for a weekend cruising destination?

Come and enjoy Yaringa Boat Harbour located at the top end of Western Port.

Free overnight berthing when you eat dinner at the popular licensed Yaringa Marina Restaurant.

Hart Marine Australian and Open Optimist National Championships 2014.

We are well under way with arrangements for this event with naming write's sponsorship from Hart Marine & other smaller sponsor's in place. In addition the State Government has supplied some funding.

The event will have around 10,000 volunteer hours and over 300 competitors.

Volunteers can now register on line - if you can help for $\frac{1}{2}$ day or the whole week on or off the water please let us know via the link below or via the MYC web site. Even if you are already involved it would be great if you could fill out the page online as this will help us form a good data base for the event. I have just filled it out and only took a minute or two.

Entries & the Nor are also online:

http://www.morningtonyc.yachting.org.au/default.asp?MenuID=Opti_Nationals_2014/24880/60044

Regards Jacko, Club Captain, For & behalf of the Organising Committee

Dates for the diary.....

Friday 26th July 13 **Engine Maintenance session with Mike Tobias and Wes Frost**

Sunday 18th August 13 **Winter Sailing Session**

Friday 23rd August 13 **Trivia night & Italian theme dinner cooked by members \$35 ph**

Friday 6th September 13 **Footy Tipping presentation**

Sunday 15th September 13 **Winter Sailing Session**

Sunday 20th October 13 **Winter Sailing Session**

Friday 25th October 13 **Cocktail Party**



Engine Maintenance – THIS FRIDAY

This Friday evening will be the first of our 4 Steps to a Better Season sessions.

Information will be provided about how to maintain your motors over the winter season and how to prepare your motors for the upcoming season. We have Mike Tobias and Wes Frost coming along for the evening.

The session will start at **7pm** and go until 8.30ish in the Harbour View Room at the Yacht Club, so why not come down for a bite to eat or a drink and then come and start making your list to ensure you get the best out of your boats motor.

We look forward to seeing you at the club,

For further details contact Michelle michelle@morningtonyc.net.au , otherwise see you there!

4 Steps to a Better Season

The Training and Development Committee are putting together 4 sessions on getting your boat, yourself and your crew prepared for the upcoming season. The sessions are going to be conducted on the **4th Friday of each month commencing this month on the 26th of July at 7pm.**

Step 1: Boat Maintenance -Winter maintenance checklist for you motors. Mike Tobias, Maritime Mechanics and Wes Frost, Wes Frost Marine.

Step 2: Race Ready: Setting up your boat to be fast. Sail systems and rig tuning. Hull Preparation. David Eickmeyer, Quantum Sails

Step 3: Getting a good start & getting around the course: Making the most of your opportunity on the start line.

Step 4: Safety first: Your responsibility & Safety Declarations, safety gear, MOB, Club responsibility, Radio refresher

High Tea in Manhattan

Every Tuesday at Manhattan in Mornington

Various High Tea options available, contact Manhattan for more details.

Bookings essential at Manhattan or on 5976 4867
www.manhattaninmornington.com.au

Old Phones.....

Just a reminder to clear out your drawers for any old mobile phones. Thank you to those people that have already deposited some retired phones through the office door – very exciting! The fundraiser is going towards the replacement of junior learn to sail fleet, as after many years of good use they are getting a bit tired. For each phone MYC will receive \$3! If you would like to put a poster or flyer at your workplace, please let the office know— *the fundraiser will be running until the end of Sep 2013—thank you :)*

