

## **Tuesday Tattler**

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## Dates for the diary.....

Sunday 14th July 13 Wizard & Oz Music afternoon

Sunday 21st July 13 Winter Sailing Session

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

# "Wizard & Oz"—This Sunday 14th July 2.30pm to 5.00pm

The amazing Andrew Farrell & David McMillan aka Wizard & Oz is something to behold. With their interesting look, vast and diverse song list and their passionate, soulful performances they are always a crowd favourite at any festival. Andrew's incredible piano prowess along with Dave's awesome guitar playing just add and compliment their rich, heartfelt voices. These 2 talented men from the Mornington Peninsula have been entertaining audiences all over Australia and NZ for over 20 years now!

At other venues, it would cost you around \$20pp to see them play & with our members rate of only \$5pp, it is an afternoon not to be missed! Bring your friends & family too & it will cost them only \$10pp!! For more info check their website out - www.wizardandoz.com.au

You can call into the office to pick up your tickets -it's looking to be a great afternoon. There will be Tapas & drinks available at the bar.

Alternatively tickets will be available on the day at the door.

Members—please show your MYC key token on the door to get the \$5 entry ticket price.

# Some training news..

## 1st Winter Sailing Session - Sunday 21st July

The club will have the first of the winter sessions this month with one each month through to the commencement of the season. There is great sailing to be had during the winter months so we will be putting on a couple of race starts and will also have some buoys out for anyone wanting to come down and just have a sail either on their boat or on one of the club fevas or 420. If you would like to have use of a MYC boat please contact Michelle to organise. You need to be on water for a 1.30pm start and will also require to sign yourself on and off the water, whether you are racing or just sailing, for safety. The first session will also commence with **Start Racing Session** to educate and remind about starting sequence, what to look for etc.

There is further information available on the front of the website under upcoming events and registration is there too. Registration allows us to see how many people to expect etc and you can register for the 4 sessions or just each time.

## Powerboat Handling Course open to MYC youth members -Sep 21 & 22

Following the success of the MYC Community Youth Scholarship training programs for youth, MYC invites its youth members to participate in a Powerboat Handling Course in September. MYC received a Boating and Facilities Grant from the Department of Transport to enable us to conduct a **powerboat handling course** under the YA National Powerboat Scheme. This is a terrific course that is both theory and practically based. This course has been funded with the primary target being 16 to 26 year olds and will cost you \$100 per person. (Usually \$360). There are currently 6 positions available (6 also going to Sailability volunteers) and if more become available – great. To reserve your spot or to find out further information contact Michelle <a href="michelle@morningtonyc.net.au">michelle@morningtonyc.net.au</a>

#### 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.

Sessions will be conducted on the 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of each month commencing this month on the 26<sup>th</sup> of July at 7pm.

**Step 1: Boat Maintenance** -Winter maintenance checklist for you motors. Mike Tobias, Maritime Mechanics and Wes Frost, Wes Frost Marine (26th July 13).

Step 2: Race Ready: Setting up your boat to be fast. Sail systems and rig tuning. Hull Preparation (30th August 13).

Step 3: Getting a good start & getting around the course: Making the moist of your opportunity on the start line (27th Sep 13).

Step 4: Safety first: Your responsibility & Safety Declarations, safety gear, MOB, Club responsibility (18th October 13).

### Something for the Trailable Boat Owners

Melbourne Trailable Yacht Club with support from Albert Park Yacht Club invites the yachting community to come and listen to the first of a series of free public seminars.

**The first in the series**: Mark Dedman set of from Melbourne last year on an ambitious trip in his extensively modified and strengthened trailer sailer to sail as far as he could around Australia without using his trailer. Come and hear Mark tell his story and check out his modified boat – rigged, on site at the venue.

When: Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July @ 8pm

Where: Albert Park Yacht Club, Aquatic Drive, Sth Melbourne (Albert Park Lake) No RSVP required, all welcome.

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 drop me an email and I will forward to you. michelle@morningtonyc.net.au



# Membership Subscriptions....

Pay by the month accounts will be organised mid July—the office will be in touch with details of your new monthly instalment towards the end of next week......

All other 2013/14 Membership Subscriptions have been emailed or posted to you—if you would like to arrange monthly payments just let the office know

Tel: 5975 7001



This week's Quartermaster Special: rugby shirts \$46.00!!



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