



## OMOKOROA BOAT CLUB.      September Newsletter.

At last the weather is warming up, now if only we could get rid of all of this rain and wind!

Rain or shine our club is the place to be. With another month behind us we are well into September and the next round of events as you will see below. It has been great to see so many of you using the club over the winter months and we are sure you will be lured down more often with what we have coming up.

We are also getting geared up for the summer sailing season due to start in a couple of months. There will soon be a survey circulated to all members who are Boaties to give us a broader knowledge of the type of boats our members may have and what involvement if any, they may like. Watch the notice board for further details.

### Happy Hour!

- Discounted drinks and complimentary nibbles
- Open to all members
- Thursdays 5-6pm
- Saturday 4-5pm

### *Membership Draw*

*Proudly Sponsored by the Omokoroa Beach Lotto Store.*

Every Thursday at 7.00 pm.

You must be there to win!

### Reminder!

Membership renewals now overdue! You can pay by eftpos at the bar, or by direct debit. Accounts were mailed out in July.

Any queries? Contact the club via [info@omokoroaboatclub.co.nz](mailto:info@omokoroaboatclub.co.nz)

For those who have paid, you can pick up your cards from the bar.

## Coming up at the Omokoroa Boat Club

### Rugby - Live on the big screen!

Investec Cup and Bledisloe Cup tests

- Sat 15<sup>th</sup> Sept - AB's v Sth Africa
- Sat 29<sup>th</sup> Sept - AB's v Argentina
- Sat 6<sup>th</sup> Oct - AB's v Sth Africa
- Sat 20<sup>th</sup> Oct - AB's v Australia



### Cruising on a Sunday Afternoon - Jazz!

- Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> September, from 3—6pm.
- Join us in a relaxing afternoon of easy listening jazz at the club.
- Free entry!
- Public welcome!

### Ladies Night - Fashion Workshop

- Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> Oct - 5.45pm sharp
- Back by popular demand after the successful event held last year.
- Fashion from Status Clothing of Bethlehem.
- Bubbles and finger food supplied.
- Prizes and more.

*For details see the poster on page 5!*

### Labour Weekend - Jam Session - Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> Oct

Come and listen to local talents or join in on Sunday afternoon from 4pm.

Our jam sessions are always popular!



## Coast Guard – Day Skipper Course.

We are planning to hold this popular course again in November. It is a must for anyone boating on our waters. Learn valuable skills to keep you and your family safe. Dates and times to be confirmed [dictated by demand].

If you are interested please contact Tracy on 5481018 a/h



## Communication with the club!

A good way is to drop in - Fee is always happy to help!

You can also look at the club website to see the recent newsletters and photos from social functions.

[www.omokoroaboatclub.co.nz](http://www.omokoroaboatclub.co.nz)

You can contact the club using

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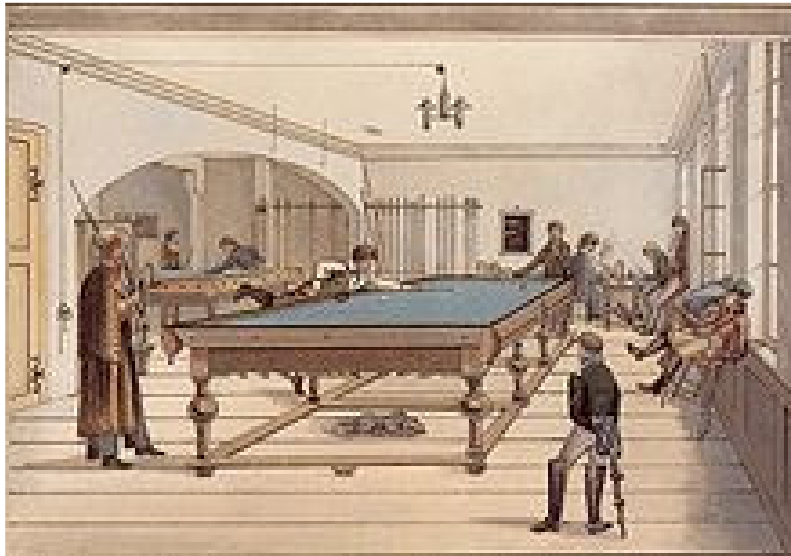


## Recent events.

### 2012 Club Pool Champs.

Singles - Merv Richards, with Mark Dodd runner up.

Pairs - Eddy Staessens and Phillip Alabaster, with Stephan McGowan and Doug Clark runners up.

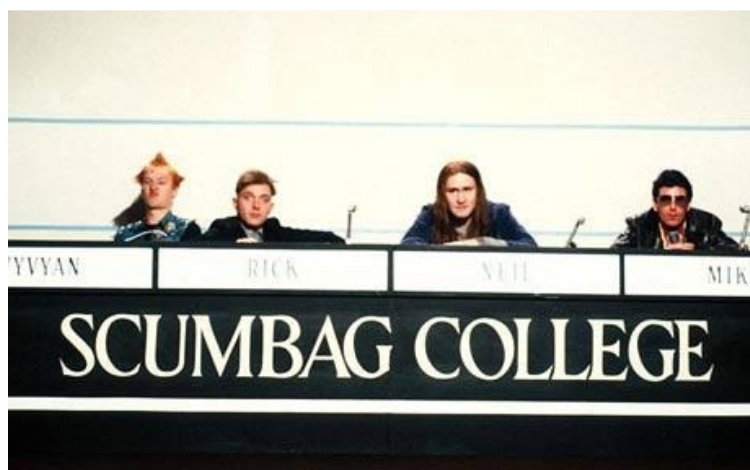


### Quiz Nights.

The 2012 season finished last Wednesday, 12 September.

The Brains of Omokoroa are Ross & Julie Bryant, partnered by Sue & Simon Askham.

Thanks to Sue and Geoff Gripton for another successful season.





*It's Springtime!!!*

*Ladies Only "Fashion Workshop"*

*Wednesday, 17<sup>th</sup> October 5.45pm SHARP*

*Once again the boat club is pleased to have Megan Whyte and her teams from Status & Lifestyle Clothing to present a Workshop showcasing 2012 Spring & Summer Fashion.*

*Come along for a fantastic 2 hours of bubbles & raffles to see the new season's fashion in a comfortable, relaxed atmosphere. Sue McDougall will have her beautiful jewellery available.*

*There may also be a surprise or two!!*

*No charge for Members. \$5.00 entry fee for Non-members and friends - this includes a glass of bubbles or juice on arrival and nibbles.*

*Bar will be open. Please bring small change for the raffle & any bar purchases.*

*Please support the Sponsors for this event -*

**BETHLEHEM PHARMACY**

**SUE MCDUGALL JEWELLERY**

**ANGELA MARR NAILS & BEAUTY**

**HEATHER EARL FROM "FEATHER 'N HEAVEN"**

**PACIFIC COAST KITCHENS**

**DENNIS & WAYNE FROM THE "FORK 'N' VIEW"**

**PETE AND SUE DOBSON OPEN2VIEW**

**OMOKOROA HAIR STYLISTS**

*To help us with numbers for catering, please RSVP to*

*Lesley Blincoe - phone 5482101*

*Or email [kevlesblincoe@ihug.co.nz](mailto:kevlesblincoe@ihug.co.nz)*

*By 14<sup>th</sup> October please*

### **OBC Fishing Competition Sponsors**

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Don't forget to go out of your way to support our sponsors. Tell them how good they are for supporting your club fishing competition; after all they went out of their way to sponsor it!



### **Boats & Boat Bits**

- Boatie's swap meet Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> October
- 9am start
- Tauranga Yacht and Powerboat clubs' car park, Sulphur Point Tauranga

The annual Boatie's swap meet is on again, so if looking to buy, sell, trade, promote anything nautical related make sure that you mark it on your calendar and don't miss it!

That wanting to sell or promote their nautical related items, services even boats it is \$10 for a parking space to display your wares. Those wanting places are asked to be on site and set up by 8:30 ready for the 9am start

The Trailer yacht division of the Tauranga Yacht and Power boat club is organising the event with all proceeds going to the Clubs patrol boat operating fund to keep our young sailors safe, so let's get in behind our up and coming medallists!



## **Sailing - new Season!**

Junior Sailing starts on 6th October at 10.30 at the boat shed. Any Club members also keen to assist with rescue boat duty and or assisting our young sailors will be very welcome

We also need help with basic maintenance - painting and screwing (fittings) down at the boat shed. John can arrange times to suit you.

Contact John Budden 548 1180 if you can help the club foster junior sailing.

Senior sailing starts on 23 September with a briefing at 9.30 and a start at 10.30. Weather permitting!!

Full programmes for both are available and will be on the web page or contact John 548 1180.

**The Tauranga Home and Leisure expo is on again 21<sup>st</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept at Tect Arena Baypark.**

- The Coastguard will be having a stall there so take a look and support them this year.
- Join up if you are not already a member for 'a Boaties peace of mind'.



Left - 1950 - Boat club site.



Right - The club today.

