



Paynesville Motor Cruiser Club

Winter Newsletter 2018



The long awaited newsletter is finally here! There have been quite a few changes around the club and an increase in support from old and new sponsors. A massive thankyou to all our members current and past for helping build this club to its current standing and helping improve into the future. The website is currently undergoing a revamp to improve mobile user capability but in the meantime it will still be available with upcoming events and gallery still being updated. We hope to see you all at the club and upcoming events!

Commodore's Report

Hi to all members and our social members and thank you all for your continued support. There has been some changes in the Committee earlier this year, Vice Commodore Leigh Vinnell and Rear Commodore Craig Solly have both resigned. Their positions have been taken up by Peter Blainey Vice Commodore and Andy Connolly Rear Commodore.

More recently past Commodore Sam Beechey has also resigned from the committee due to ill health. I wish Craig, Leigh and Sam all the best and thank you for your contributions to the Club. After the recent General Meeting the Club engaged Riviera Accounting to go through our Quickbooks and tidy the Accounts up. The good news is that I'm certain we will be showing a profit at the end of the financial year. The outside tables have proven to be very popular in the better weather. Thankyou to everyone that donated and helped assemble them.

The Cruiser club fleet photos, sponsorshipboard and honour boards have been rehung around the club if you would like your boat added to the walls please contact myself on 0428108400.

There has been quite a few discussions with council which has had the broken window fixed and a new maintenace plan put in place to ensure upkeep of the building.

The club has run several very successfull events and a great time was had by all

A friendly reminder that the new drink driving laws are in place and the club has a courtesy bus which runs friday and saturday nights aswell as other times by appointment. The club also has the upstairs members lounge with a pool table, dart board, small stereo system and members bar as well as comfortable seating a small selection of books and magazines.

I invite all members and their guests to utilise this area and enjoy it!

I would also like to personally wish Ron Dunlop a past Commodore of the cruiser club all of the very best with his current health battles and to extend a helping hand if needed as we are a family here at the cruiser club!



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Current PMCC Committee

Commodore - Gary Smith

Vice Commodore - Peter Blainey

Rear Commodore - Andy Connolly

Secretary - Jeff Blackman

Treasurer - Libby Hayward

Committee - Geoff Mann

Rear Commodore's Report:

We have enjoyed some great on water activities this year with all the events well supported with boats and numbers.

Our first outing was the Annual Australia Day lunch at Sperm Whale Head.

A great BBQ lunch with a cricket match after in perfect weather.

Next was the Poker Run to Loch Sport. A great meal at the Loch Sport Hotel followed by a water bomb fight between boats on the way back.

Troy Smith was the winner with a full house.

The Marley Point weekend was held at Storm Point. Heaps of people, good fire, good food and great weather.

The MND fundraiser held at the Club in April was a huge success.

The Ice Bucket Challenge off the side of Gavin McCann's was hugely popular and with the raffles, silent auctions and "Tilt" playing at the Club that night,

we raised a total of \$6094.00. Once again thank you to everyone for participating and also to "Tilt" who donated their time for free.

The next on water activity is on 16th June with a trip up the Nicholson River and a fishing comp.

Depart PMCC at 11.00 with a presentation back at the Club on Sunday.

Members \$10. And non members \$20 includes a breaky BBQ.

Catering and the bar at the Club is going very well with all the patrons loving the food.

Entertainment:

We have recently held some Karaoke nights which have worked well with some good and not so good singing.

We are planning in the near future to get "Tilt" back to rock the Club so watch this space.



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MERCHANDISE

The club has several different forms of merchandise available for purchase to show your support for the club which includes:



Shirts - \$30



Stickers - free (members)



Vests - \$25



Iron on
embroidered logo - \$5



Baseball caps - \$14



Stubby holder - \$10



Burgees (members only) - \$25

To purchase contact a committee member or bar staff at the club

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