



Port Bouvard Yacht Club Newsletter October 2023



A big thank you to the committee and those members who helped out on opening day 2023. It went off without a hitch and it was pleasing to see such a great turnout for the first sail of the season. I would also like to thank Councillor Jenny Green for stepping in to open the 2023-24 sailing season at the club

Special thanks to the ladies for their fantastic efforts in preparing the finger foods for the day. Beryl, Kathryn, Deb and Dee certainly made that part of the event something to remember.

The hardstand storage has almost been filled and shows the demand out there for a place to keep a boat. It is important that anyone using this must keep their registration current. I have also started a wait list as I have almost daily inquiries.

Norm Snell
Commodore

Social Sailing

Several dates in the calendar have been set aside for social sailing. The first is **November 4th**. We will be sailing as a group up to the Science Platform and back. I want to see all of our trailer sailers and others on the water for this activity and to make space for extra crew. After sailing we will have a BYO BBQ for sailors and friends/partners. Make this a great social event!



The Galley

Adrian (a new member) has kindly volunteered to look after the galley. Hot food will be available at lunchtime and after racing. There were sausages in buns last time. Stay back and have a quiet ale and something to eat after a hard day on the water.



City of Mandurah Council Elections

Congratulations to PBVC member Jacob Cumberworth on his recent election success. Jacob is now a councillor for the Coastal Ward and we look forward to working with him on any future club developments.

The Club Website

Our webmaster Dave Darn has made a number of improvements to the PBVC website and is in the process of adding a members only access portal. In the meantime this is the place to go for up to date information on club activities, sailing documents and the duty roster. Find us at <https://www.pbyc.org.au/>

Friday night get together

The last couple of Friday night get togethers were very successful with several tables being filled with PBVC members and guests. We are planning to have another on the 17th of November. Put it on your social calendar. If you are coming along, please forward your name and any guests to me so I can arrange this with the office. To help with setting out tables they need to know by the Wednesday morning before. Email to pbyccommodore@gmail.com

