



KMYC – *Your Club*

May 2022

~ Commodore Jim Lendrum

Welcome to the May newsletter.

KMYC has entertained another very busy social calendar in the last month. The weather has been kinder and colder but many of us have still enjoyed socialising and our boats! This will be my last newsletter as I pass the position to the new Commodore. I hope to see many of you next Wednesday 22 June at the AGM to elect the new Committee and discuss the past year and forthcoming year of the Club. I would like to thank the General Committee and the Social Committee for all of the hard work they continue to contribute to the Club. My special thanks also go to Keith for his knowledge and impeccable work and to Georgia, who always does such an outstanding, professional job. Thank you everyone for the opportunity to serve KMYC.

End of Season dinner – May 14th – ‘African Queen’:

KMYC is fortunate to have an amazing, talented and enthusiastic Social Committee! Led by Rear Commodore Bruce Quick and wife Margaret, this Committee once again excelled themselves and set up and delivered a wonderful, fun event. The Club's grounds were decorated so convincingly that members and guests on the night enjoyed a trip down the Zambesi River whilst savouring the culinary delights from Art Kitchen catering. Great live music played during the whole evening and everyone enjoyed a dance and a good catch-up!





A popular part of the 'End of Season evening' is always the awards. This year's awards went to:

Bill Carmody: 'Lifetime Ducky award' – not a year goes by when Bill doesn't receive a ducky. He assures us 2021/22 was an exception.

Rose and Scot Wheelhouse: 'Squatter's award' – for their annual use of the Clubhouse at Easter whilst members were 'up the Colo'.

Mandy and Peter McLean: 'Seeing the Light' award (they've sold their yacht and bought a beautiful cruiser!)

Bruce Quick: 'The Buccaneer's award' – for 'stealing' the McLean's new vessel during COVID and enjoying it's 'wearing in' period.

Garry and Dawn Sexton: 'Matthew Flinder's award' – for by-passing Smith's Creek in the dark (on their way to Smith's Creek....)

Daune Coogan 'Maritime Medley award', **Nicola Brincat** ('Lifesaver's award') and **Andrew Fulton** ('Piston Broke award') each received an award for their Gosford Maritime episode, mentioned in the April newsletter.

An extremely well-deserved award and recognition went to our wonderful club member, Richard Adamson. Richard was awarded the 'Clubman's award'. Richard served as the Commodore in 2004 - 2006. He and wife, Jan who have been members since 1996, still attend every social committee meeting and contribute thoughtfully and actively to these and many of the social functions. Richard is our wonderful Santa at the annual Children's Christmas party.

We thank you so much Richard, for the great contributions you have made and are still making to KMYC!

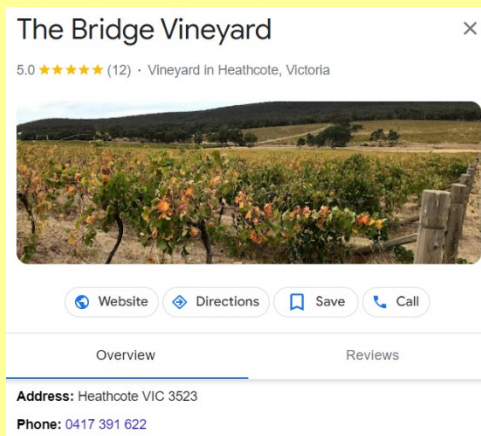


Dead Wine Society: Saturday May 28th:

This inaugural event, created by Scot Wheelhouse and Garry Sexton, was certainly a popular evening! Members and guests tasted the wines from The Bridge Vineyard. The vineyard owner, Lindsay Ross directed the winetasting by describing each wine. Guests for the evening had been invited to bring an old bottle of wine to share. The bottles were corked and put in a carafe for all to taste and see if they could match the wine to the original bottle. This was followed by a fun wine trivia competition. Thank you Lindsay for a great evening!

A huge thank you to Trent and Angela (Cottage Point Kiosk) for serving an amazing assortment of tasty foods. As always, there was plenty to eat and enjoy.

It has been decided to continue this event annually as great fun was had by all.



The Bridge Vineyard grows and makes wine in the most traditional of ways. Low yields and no irrigation ensure intense flavours and impressive richness. Our cellar door is open periodically phone 0417391622 to make an appointment or just turn up and hope for the best.



You know what they say.... 'A drinking club with a boating problem.' 😊

June Long Weekend: 11 – 13 June



Eight boats cruised to The Woolwash at Berowra Waters for the long weekend. Everyone enjoyed the perfect sunny weather, coffee at the local café, a bushwalk, a cruise up the river, the popular 'drink and drift', shared meals and drinks, a cruise around the local vessels and a night out at the 'What The Fish' Café. The trip up and back was as always, most enjoyable too!



It was lovely to see new members, Nick and Alice join the weekend with their boat 'Polaris' and their cattle dog, Ted. It was also terrific to have Ross and Sasha join in their first KMYC raft-up for a night aboard 'Alexandra'. It certainly won't be their last – they enjoyed the comradery and friendly spirit of the whole weekend crew!

Welcome to all!!

Cottage Point Kiosk:



Opening Hours:

Closed Tues & Wed. until end of June.

Seven days trading will re-commence for July school holidays.



Save the Date : ~ 2022 ~

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| Wednesday 22 June | Annual General Meeting – RSVP now to Georgia (for catering) |
| Thursday 23 June | Achievers (working bee) – RSVP to Georgia |
| Saturday 25 June | 'Bric a Brac sale' at KMYC |
| 15 – 17 July | Mudgee - 'Off the Water' weekend (fully booked) |

