

Myall Lakes Aquatic Club

Incorporated

COMMODORE

Kevin Williams
37 Whitbread Drive
LEMON TREE PASSAGE
2319
02 4982 3663

ABN: 88 396 838 568

Website: www.mlac.org.au

E-Mail: evonmw@gmail.com

SECRETARY

Evon Williams
LEMON TREE PASSAGE 2319
02 4982 3663

Last Outing - Curry Night - Engels - 4th June

6 boats made the journey up the river to Engels for a Winter time Curry Night theme. A great weekend was enjoyed by all with some inventive and delicious curries prepared and presented for our Saturday night meal on the good ship Tom-Gong. Not one failure amongst them all that I could comment on and of course offer constructive critique (pity!). Following the delicious meal everyone gathered around the campfire for some toe-warming conversation, where most of the world's problems were discussed and solved. The weather was very kind to us once again even though the forecast was not good.



Next Outing - July 16th - Christmas in July Outing - Venue Bulahdelah Bowling Club

NB: This event was originally advertised for the Bulahdelah Pub, but is now changed to the Bowling Club. COST OF DINNER \$17.50 per person

WE MUST HAVE NUMBERS OF PEOPLE WHO WISH TO ATTEND BY JULY 9TH at the latest so we can advise the caterers, so please phone treasurer Sandra on 4987 9213 or 0408 381 866 and advise her if you can attend.

If you are travelling by boat, the temporary bridge for the Highway bypass has a height restriction of 6 metres. Contact the Myall Houseboats if you need to tie up for the night. They may be able to help. Accommodation is available at the two motels, the pub or the caravan park.

If you are travelling from Tea Gardens, Mac and Linda have volunteered to take their mini bus and drive people to Bulahdelah and return. Please contact them on 4997 1597 if you would like to travel with them.

Also Kevin and Sandra from Nerong have space available on a spare block next to them if you wish to park a van overnight (no power)

Last year this event proved very popular, the food was good, the company was great and everybody had an enjoyable night out in Bulahdelah. So if you can attend please phone in to register.

Dredging of the Bypass Channel

Our club has previously reported on the issues of the lower Myall river health, and the move to have dredging carried out in the Lower Myall shortcut on the eastern side of Corrie Island, which has been instigated and driven by the Myall River Action Group. Our club sent a significant representation to a public meeting recently held in Tea Gardens in support of the Myall River Action group's initiatives. The draft report document has been released and public submissions have been sought regarding the report by Great Lakes Council.

The Myall River Action Group have prepared some submission letter samples which can be signed off by our club members and lodged with the council.

Although the letters will be of the same content, they will be accepted as individual submissions. It is in our club's best interest to maintain good river flows to have a healthy river access to the myalls, and hopefully the dredging will help stem the growing siltation problems now experienced further up in the river.

The Myall River Action Group needs our support to keep helping to progress their initiatives, so please sign off on a submission letter and mail it off before the end of the month when the submission period closes.

Examples of the letter are enclosed for those receiving this by mail. An email will be resent to those receiving it by email.

Sick Call

Life member Noel Huntington from Tea Gardens recently had a spell in hospital, but is now back home in Tea Gardens recovering and terrorising the locals on his new wheels.

Bede Bright off Independence has had a spell in hospital getting a new hip and is now back home recovering.

Club Subs - Now Due

Club subscriptions are due. Please forward your money to Sandra (– see form below.) or you can pay it on the internet. The BSB is 032-507 and the account number is 165513. If you choose to do this could you please also send an email to Sandra at kevin.lawson1@bigpond.com to advise her that you have paid on the internet and put a comment in the money transaction such as MLAC Subs – Joe Brown. Sandra's address if you are posting a cheque is Sandra Ryan 12 Spoonbill Close, Nerong 2423

PLEASE TEAR OR CUT OFF AND RETURN WITH CHEQUE

MLAC Membership Renewal

Names:

Membership 11-12

\$30

Partner Membership

\$5

We/I enclose a cheque for the following amount:

Total amount

August Meeting

The progressive dinner advertised for August 26th has been changed to a BYO BBQ meat and the ladies to prepare a side dish. This will be held at Nerong adjacent to Kevin and Sandra's property. Please contact Chris Julian on 0422 931 899 to organise what dish you bring.

Calendar

AGM 10th September – Lemon Tree Passage
Bowling Club

Thought of the Day

**“Middle age is when you're sitting at home
on a Saturday night
and the telephone rings and you hope it isn't for
you.”**

~ Ogden Nash

Safe
boating
until next
time

