

February 21 - February 28 2018

Arrangements for this Friday Night Members Dinner

Our cooks for this Friday night members dinner are Kay and Lee Chapman.

They will be preparing *Chicken with Orange, Leek and Za'atar* served with salads.

(Za'atar is a a Syrian blend of sesame seeds herbs & spices.)

For catering purposes please place your names up on the dinner board if you are attending. If you are off Island and cannot place your name(s) on the board please email your intentions to attend Friday's Members Dinner to pfox54@bigpond.com

Bus Driver: Brad Nicholson Bar Crew: Chris Wheeler and John Milne

Setting-Up Crew: Ivan Scott and Anna Sadler

Saturday's Clean-Up Crew: Peter Fox and Ian Dyer

How To Book the Club Courtesy Bus for Friday Night

Book a ride on the Club's courtesy bus by indicating on the Dinner Board or telephoning/texting **Neville Prosser on 0425 798 750** and let him know who, how many and the pick-up address.

Sunday on the Deck

There will be Sunday On the Deck this **Sunday 25 February** with delicious light lunches available. The bar will be open from 12 noon.

The rostered crew for Sunday:

Galley Crew: Jocelyn Shinnie and Margaret Jones
Bar Crew: Sharon Beer Barbeque: Mark Beer

No Paddling Kayaking or Sailing this Sunday

Unfortunately with high tide (2.19m) occurring at 5:29am (Pott's Point) there will not be sufficient water this Sunday to allow paddling, kayaking and sailing from the Tingira Beach.

Tingira Sailors Gain a Creditable Result at Jubilee Nationals



Photo of Stella's crew, Alison Early, Tony Harland and Tim Robinson receiving the trophy for the best (only!) Qld boat at the Jubilee Nationals held in Sorrento Vic.

Local sailors Alison Early (Lamb Island), Tony and Lyn Harland (Pt Talburpin) and Tim Robinson travelled all the way to Sorrento in Victoria to participate in the Jubilee National Championship. This meant quite a long, long road trip towing their Jubilee *Stella* behind them.

Stella sailed by Alison, Tony and Tim finished 5th overall which given the professionalism of many of the crews participating in the Aussie championships is quite a creditable performance

3 Million Cheers for our Tingira Sailors!



Stella sailing in home waters off Macleay Island.

Tingira Start Sailing Session Last Sunday

Last Sunday's "Start Sailing" session commenced indoors with a brainstorming session and discussion entitled Basic Safety Afloat - Making it Safe and Fun.

Participants brainstormed and discussed how to prepare and plan a trip out on the water to ensure it was both safe and fun.

After a lively discussion it was outdoors to rig the vagabonds and take them for a sail.



Jack is all aboard and ready to go





Peter and Claire fix the rudder to the Vagabond



(Above) Brendan ties the clew to the end of the boom.

(Left) Bob Sampson shows how to connect the boom to the mast using a fitting called a *gooseneck*.

All photos courtesy of Neville Prosser







(Top left) Instructor Bruce Legg farewells the "stay at homes."

(Above right) **3 million cheers for the safety boat crew.** Peter L and Norm aboard *Sandpiper.*

(Centre) Joyce learns how to ship the rudder.

(Bottom) Our paddlers making a beautiful sight as they make their way along Sandpiper Beach with Laurie Turner on the sweep.

All photos courtesy of Neville Prosser





KARRAGARRA YACHT CLUB INC 2018 Sail Past and Blessing of the Fleet.

The Karragarra Yacht Club Commodore and Committee invite interested boaties and yachties to the 2018 Sail Past and Blessing of the Fleet on Saturday 10 March 2018. Please register vessels by name, rego, size, type, skippers name, etc by Monday, 5 March. Email karragarrayc@gmail.com or phone Commodore, Keith Turner on 0428 892 278 for more info and a registration form.

Preliminary Program:

10.30-10.45 am - Assemble at muster point, 27°38.027 S, 153°22.380 E, (Near the blue 'Police' mooring buoy, between the Lamb Island Jetty and Karragarra Island.)

11.00 am - Commence Sail Past. Paddle, row, sail or motor in line astern, following the Water Police vessel, to Red (Port) marker off Karragarra Beach, then anchor up once past the marker, ensuring you are out of the channel and away from barges and ferries, then proceed to the beach.

12.00 Noon - Assemble on the beach for formal Blessing of the Fleet by Alan Early, CPO Royal Aust. Navy Band (Retired).

12.30 pm - Ham and salad \$10.00 (Must be pre-ordered and paid by Monday, 5 March). Soft drinks \$2.00 and bottled water \$1.00 will be available on the day, and also free tea and coffee.

We will be having a couple of small raffles and may also have a small range of KYC merchandise for sale.

Looking forward to seeing a number of you, either out on the water or joining us on the beach.

Keith Turner KYC Commodore 9 Feb 2018

Notice of a Quarterly General Meeting - Saturday 24 February 2018

Please be advised that the next Quarterly General Meeting of the Tingira Boat Club Inc. will be held at the Club premises at 91 Coast Road, Macleay Island at 10:30am on Saturday 24 February 2018.

Written Notices of Motion must be in the hands of the Secretary not less than fourteen days prior to the date of the meeting.

They will be made available for inspection by members not less than seven days prior to the date of the meeting. They will be placed one the notice board in the Clubhouse, which is open every Friday night from 6:00pm.

Following the meeting members are invited to stay back for a sausage sizzle.

The bar will be open for refreshments.

Tingira Big Boat Sailing Events Planned for 2018

This year we plan to have a series of four sailing events for big boats culminating in the Calvert Memorial Sailing Event.

The course for the proposed sailing events will be similiar to that used for the Calvert Memorial Sailing Event held in October.

Each event will have seperate awards but we intend having an overall series winner using the best three results out of the four.

That way, participating crews are encouraged to sail the entire series but are able to miss sailing in one of the events or drop their lest favourable result.

The Calvert Memorial Sailing Event will still be sailed as a seperate event but the result also included in the overall series.

Awards for the events will be presented at the The Calvert Memorial Dinner.

Owner / skippers of yachts interested in taking part should put the dates below in their diaries. Further information regarding the course details and start times will be published in the near future.

Proposed Tingira Big Boat Series Dates:

Event 1 Sunday 25 March (Start time 11:00am TBC)

Event 2 Saturday 05 May (Start time 11:00am TBC)

Event 3 Saturday 15 September (Start time 11:00am TBC)

Event 4 (Calvert Memorial Sailing Event) Saturday 13 October (Start time 11:00am)

The Tingira Log - (A place to record, collect and share with other Club members your memories and reminisces of your times in the Southern Moreton Bay Islands.)

The Southern Moreton Bay Islands (SMBI) - submitted by Dudley and Billie Kavanagh

The SMBI were transferred into the then Redland Shire Council by the Queensland Government in 1973 and for most of the next 30 years were, more or less, left in peace and guiet far from the madding crowd.

Billie and myself discovered the Islands soon after relocating with Billie's Mum to Queensland in late 1996. She spotted a photo of a little cottage on Macleay in a Cleveland Real Estate window and wanted to inspect it. This brought us to the Islands. What we found was a remarkable community of people from far and wide with many practical, technical and intellectual skills/ experiences and, in a surprising number of cases, with a range of tertiary qualifications. Added to this was the peace and quiet atmosphere devoid both of traffic noise and exhaust pollution. Established Islanders, not surprisingly, tend to have a longer life expectancy. It is against this background that it was no surprise to find the

' Uncontrolled Children will be Sold as Slaves' sign on the Ferry! We were entranced and bought onto the Island.

As time has passed so has change come to the Islands which are now very well serviced by ferries and barges and with excellent Translink connections. But there is still the sense of escape and relaxation when you get back to an Island home, walk the dog, look after the wild life. In the case of Magpies, that is reciprocated, in our 21 years on the Island we have only heard of one person being dive-bombed by a Magpie!

Try that on the Mainland!



When it was founded (in the 2rd Millenium!) by an Island owned Company 'BITS' stood for BAY ISLAND! TAXI SERVICE. This was well before the Long Arm of the Law caught up with the enterprising Privateer: and the Ferry journeys were adventures in themselves. They frequently included stopping to watch dolphins at play, dugongs grazing, turtles coming up for air and a trip to the Slave Market for misbehaving children! In those days the working week (for passengers only!) usually ended on the las (6.00pm) ferry on a Friday night with a few Champagnes being downed by some hardworking women.

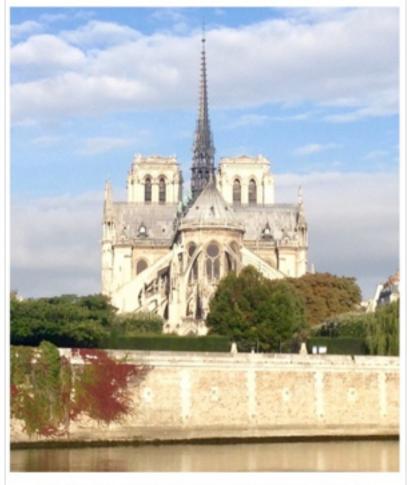
Ah!, THOSE WERE THE DAYS!!

France and England 2017 An Illustrated Talk by Ruth Venner

'FRANCE & ENGLAND 2017'

Illustrated Talk by Ruth Venner
AT TINGIRA BOAT CLUB, MACLEAY ISLAND

FREE - RING RUTH 0427 794 211 TO CONFIRM BOOKING



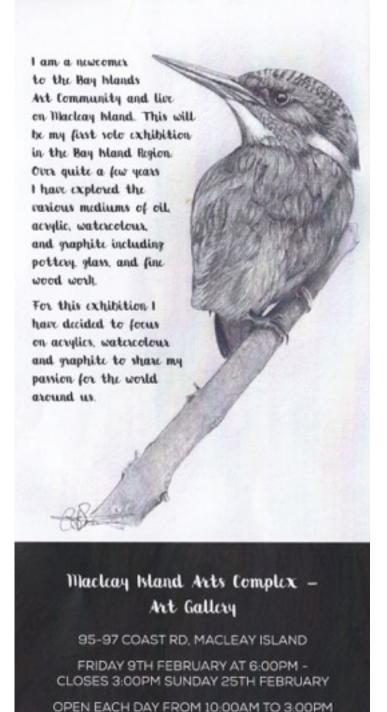
10.30 AM SUNDAY 25TH FEBRUARY 2018
WHY NOT COME ALONG & STAY FOR LUNCH ON THE DECK!
A PLEASANT AND INEXPENSIVE ENDING TO THE EVENT

Tingira Boat Club member Ruth Venner is keen to share her travel adventures with other Club members. The talk will include personal travel but the main emphasis will be on the Arts/Museums aspect, with particular emphasis on the meeting with Donald Jackson, Scribe to Her Majesty's Crown Office, and Artistic Design Director of the St John Bible (one of the only completely handwritten and illuminated editions of the Bible since the Middle Ages); and Exhibitions in the Louvre, and Instituto du Monde Arabes in Paris, as well as the work of Jill Bonnet. Sculptor and Artist, Paris... All Tingira members are invited to attend but please give Ruth a ring on 0427 794 211 to confirm your

And yes! - as Ruth mentions in her flier above - why not after the talk stay on and enjoy having lunch at Sunday on the Deck.

attendance.





Invitation to Passion, Paint and Pencil Art Exhibition

Club member **Alex Callaghan** will be exhibiting her artwork at the Macleay Island Arts Complex. It will be her first solo exhibition to be held in the Southern Moreton Bay Islands area.

The exhibition will be open each day from 10:00am to 3:00pm up until 3:00pm on Sunday 25 February.

At a Glance - Upcoming Events at Tingira Boat Club

Friday 23 February Members Dinner from 6:00pm

Saturday 24 February Quarterly General Meeting commencing 10:30am

Sunday 25 February Sunday On the Deck with lunch and refreshments from midday

Friday 02 March Fish 'N' Chips from 6:00pm

Sunday 04 March Sunday On the Deck with lunch and refreshments from midday

Off the beach paddling. kayaking and sailing from 9:30am

Friday 09 March Members Dinner from 6:00pm

Saturday 10 March Karragarra Yacht Club Sail Past and Blessing of the Fleet

Sunday 11 March Sunday On the Deck with lunch and refreshments from midday

Friday 16 March St Patrick's Day Members Dinner from 6:00pm

Sunday 18 March Sunday On the Deck with lunch and refreshments from midday

Off the beach paddling, kayaking and sailing from 8:30am.

Friday 23 March Members Dinner from 6:00pm

Sunday 25 March Sunday on the Deck with lunch and refreshments from midday

Tingira Big Boat Sailing Series Race 1

Friday 30 March Good Friday Club Closed

3 Million Cheers, Peter Fox, Hon. Secretary, Tingira Boat Club Inc.