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Mar 21 – Mar 27, 2022

Time for a Barbie

Max is displaying his bar-b-que talents again this Friday night cooking up Sausages, Steak and Chicken served with a Dinner Roll and Salad. Cathy and crew are preparing the Salads.

Numbers are limited to 60 members & guests, so please ensure names are on the board (located on the wall adjacent to the main entrance) by 5pm Thursday.

Setting Up: Jeanette & George Feist

Driving the Bus: Norm Black

Working the bar: Peter Lawson & Dave Bennett

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 by telephoning **Max Keily on 0412 530 679 and let him know who, how many and the pick-up address.**

Arrangements for Sunday on the Deck

Join us for 'Sunday on the Deck' this **Sunday Mar 27**. Join us for Sunday on the Deck this Sunday. Meals and refreshments are available from 12 noon.

The rostered crew for Sunday:

Galley Crew: Lynne Smithers & Bronwyn Simcox

Bar Crew: Gary Turkington **BBQ:** Norm Hollingsworth

Please Note: If you are unable to assist on your rostered day, please swap with someone on the roster and advise Maree Lallensack on 0417 662 674.

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Stirring Paddling Times from Ted Upton

Hello, is everyone sitting comfortably? Then I'll begin....

Sunday 20th March, perfect weather, perfect tide for putting canoes in the water, full crew champing at the bit ready to head off, what could go wrong?

Well, firstly there were those other strange craft with white handkerchiefs for propulsion, lots of them taking up most of the space on the water. From the paddling crew, "Whence shall we away to? Let's have an adventure. What about round Garden Island for a change?"

The cold voice of authority; "Canoes are banned from the area south of Tingira Boat Club, they might frighten the little sail boats."

So that's what they were.

Ah well, canoers were, as always, willing to help Let's have a rethink. "What about the area North thereof?"

Voice of Authority; "Well OK, but don't you go out of sight of the rescue boat. We don't trust you buggers. Bundaberg is off limits!"

Away with a light laugh from our sturdy Number One paddler, Isaac "The Voice" and a gentle murmur from Poor Old Ted, nominally the Skipper and Stirrer – sorry, typo, that should have read "Steerer". Gentle murmurs from Marion, Julie, Roger and Cila also along the lines of; "Old Ted? Is he still alive? Bloody amazing, perhaps if we offer prayers to Neptune we might get back."

Oh Ye of little faith! We got back very early, first off because our sturdy number one, who I had NEVER considered a slave to the Voice of Authority, said; "We should go back so the rescue boat can see us."

Can a Captain mutiny?" While I was pondering this Das Boot did a U turn so we went back, clocked in and headed off yet again. Pack of whimps!!

This time for a magical voyage, shepherded by the voices of Kerry and Karen on OC 1's offering encouragement and lots of advice.....lots and lots of advice....

Made it to Dalpura, stopped for a swim and to play with a beautiful little black miniature poodle and an equally lovely sandy ChiHuaHua, booked another paddler for the future then onward to Coondooropa Cove accompanied this time by Brad on his super-canoes. More swims and chats and sadly, back home for refreshment and remembering.

Not a life changing and memorable paddle perhaps but a lovely one in good company and one that whetted our appetites for the future when, perhaps we can escape the Eye of Sauron (aka "Authority") and travel far.

With many thanks to Marion who organised our canoers and to Peter the Fox who tolerates my denigration of the Noble Sister and Brotherhood of Sailors – "Three Million Cheers!"

Ted.

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Paddlers out enjoying the bay

Photos courtesy Karen Smith



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Off-the-Beach Sailing - Sunday 20 March

Our recent call for assistance from some of our experienced skippers to lend a hand didn't go unheeded. Several turned up on Sunday to take some of our newbies out for a sail and give them experience in sailing a dinghy or small yacht.

The weather gods sent us a S to SE breeze that was gusty at times and quite shifty in direction. Sea conditions were good however, with the course being set on the lee of the Island.

We had three short social races with a mixed fleet of 5 Vagabonds and a Jubilee One-Design Yacht taking part.

A big thankyou to **Don Noble, Rob Hoare, Jen Rush, Moss Lane** and **Bruce Legg** who did an awesome job of starting, finishing and recording the races and taking photos (thanks Jen Rush) They also found the time to demolish a cheesecake for morning tea.

Thanks also to **John Hardy** and **Max Keily** who crewed aboard our Safety RIB *Sandpiper*.

Trevor and Jenny Rogers in Vagabond 1 were clearly the winners of the day, recording a 1st place in each of the races. More importantly however, is their consistency in attending our sailing days and always showing great enthusiasm, excellent sailing skills and sportsmanship.

It was very pleasing to have **Alison Early** make a visit from Lamb Island. Alison regularly sails in 10ft classical skiffs on the Brisbane River and is also a regular skipper in our local Jubilee fleet. She took **Greg Nelson** on board as crew, and he would have gained valuable experience sailing with her. **Peter Fox** sailed with **Amanda Rosenfeld** who had her first sail in a sailing dinghy and was soon competently handling the jib sheets.

Wendy 'Bells' Mason sailed with **Mike King** aboard his Jubilee called *Nereid*. Judging by her smile she totally enjoyed her morning out sailing.

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Don Newman ventured out with **Kim Snowdon** but retired due to Kim not feeling her best. Sailing Master **Ian Waller-Wilkinson** sailed solo in his Vagabond which was quite demanding in the gusty and shifty conditions. Ian is to be commended for his ongoing work in building up our sailor numbers and organising our volunteers on the pontoon and safety boats. A big thank you Ian.

The results of our 3 races last Sunday are below and show the aggregate points accrued so far for the 2022 sailing year.

Results for Sunday 20 March 2022

Boat	Skipper / Crew	Race 1	Race 2	Race 3	Points	Agg Points
Vagabond 1	Trevor & Jenny Rogers	1st	1st	1st	3	11
Vagabond 2	Alison Early & Greg Nelson	4th	3rd	3rd	10	28
Vagabond 4	Don Newman Kim Snowdon	DNF 7	DNS 7	DNS 7	21	33
Vagabond 6	Ian W-W	5th	5th	5th	15	19
Vagabond 5	Peter Fox & Amanda Rosenfeld	3rd	4th	4th	11	20
<i>Nereid</i> (Jubilee)	M. King and Bells Mason	2nd	2nd	2nd	6	19

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Ian Waller-Wilkinson sailing Vagabond 6



Peter Fox & Amanda Rosenfeld sailing Vagabond 5



Kim Snowdon & Don Newman sailing Vagabond 4

Photos courtesy Jen Rush



Alison Early & Greg Nelson sailing Vagabond 2

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Club Bus Trip to Mt. Cootha & Hamilton Hotel

A shaky start to the day with the Club bus having a flat battery did not deter nine Club members who took advantage of a day out in Brisbane last Thursday. A lucky vacant spot on the next barge allowed the day to go ahead. Originally, it was planned to go for a City Cat ride up the Brisbane River and then lunch at the Hamilton Hotel. However, plans were quickly changed when the Brisbane River was closed to vessels due to damage from the recent floods. It was a beautiful clear day and the views from Mt Cootha were spectacular. Everyone enjoyed morning tea at the café before a drive through the Botanical Gardens, which looked magnificent after the recent rains. Then on to the Hamilton Hotel for more delicious food before shopping at Victoria Point and heading home. With excellent driving by Vice Commodore Max Keily, a great day was enjoyed by all.



Barry, Rob, Val, Elaine, Cheryl, Cathy, Geoff, Max and Ray enjoying the view at the Mt. Cootha lookout

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Lunch at the Hamilton Hotel

Members with RSA Qualifications

The Club's liquor licence requires someone with a **Responsible Service of Alcohol (RSA)** certificate to be present in the clubhouse during the licenced trading hours.

Currently we have a small number of members who have an RSA certificate and several Club members recently completed the online training and gained an RSA certificate.

We do however need a few more members to gain an RSA certificate so that we can be sure to always have a qualified person available during opening hours.

The good news is that the Club will reimburse the full amount of the RSA training fees

If you are interested in finding out more about the RSA Course **please contact Moya Fox 0437 129 348**

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Celebration of Life - Val Notley - Saturday 02 April

The 'Celebration of Val Notley's life' will be held at the Tingira Boat Club on **Saturday 02 April**.

There will be a gathering at the Tingira beachside to reflect on Val's life and her (and husband Ron's) time with the Tingira community. This will be led by Immediate Past Commodore Neville Prosser who will speak on behalf of the Club.

Other Club members and close friends are invited to share their special memories of Val at this time also.

This will be followed with the laying of flowers on the outgoing tide from the Club pontoon and our OC6s (and other private boats if they wish).

This will take place close to the shore so that it will be visible to those watching from the shore.

Afterwards the club will provide a light lunch. Refreshments will be available from the bar.

During lunch, a presentation of photos and videos featuring Val will be shown.

10:30am Gather at the Club's beachside (if the weather is fine) or on the clubhouse deck (if the weather is wet).

11:00am A welcome and reflection on Val's life (particularly her time at the Tingira Boat Club) led by Immediate Past Commodore Neville Prosser.

11:30am Laying of flowers on the outgoing tide from the Club pontoon, OC6s and other participating private boats.

12:00pm Light refreshments and audio visual presentation of photos and videos of Val and Ron Notley.

Members wishing to attend the Celebration of Val Notley's Life should RSVP by Thursday 24th March.

Please send your RSVP to Secretary Peter Fox by telephone / text 0417 841 009 or email admin@tingiraboatclub.com

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Tingira Cruising Group Event Saturday 26 & Sunday 27 March

The Tingira cruising group have developed an itinerary for their cruise over to Deanbilla Bay, North Stradbroke Island on Saturday 27 March.

- Boats make their own way to Deanbilla Bay and meet up midmorning on Saturday 26.
- Visit to the Little Ship Club for their Seafood Spectacular (see information below).
- Some boats have elected to stay overnight at Deanbilla Bay. Meet for a BYO BBQ and drinks on the beach from 4:00pm onwards.
- Cruise home later in the day on Sunday.

On Saturday, the **Little Ship Club** at Dunwich will be running a Seafood Spectacular from 11:00am to 9:00pm. There will be live music with two live bands and the waterfront bistro will be open for lunch and dinner. The Little Ship Club is only a short distance from Deanbilla Bay and some have decided to attend the seafood spectacular and stay overnight.

As with all Tingira boating events all persons taking part in this event do so at their own risk and at their own responsibility. Tingira Boat Club Inc is not responsible for the seaworthiness of the participating yachts or the sufficiency of equipment. It shall be the sole responsibility of each skipper to decide whether or not to start or to continue with the cruise.

If you are interested in participating in this cruise event or collaborating with other members (with or without boats) please contact Ian by mobile / text. 04116 77714.

**Inquiries / Contact Sailing Master Ian Waller-Wilkinson
(04116 77714)**

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Pontoon Mystery Tour - Sunday 03 April

A trip on the Club Pontoon has been scheduled for **Sunday 03 April** with a boarding time of 9:30am at the Tingira Boat Club. With the tide fairly full, it will be easy to board the pontoon from the Tingira beach. High tide will occur at 11:00am

The pontoon will then make its way to either Coochiemudlo Island or down Garden Passage towards Karragarra Island (depending on weather conditions that present on the day). Those participating may like to bring some morning tea and refreshments in case we do not go to Coochiemudlo that day. If we do go to Coochie we will be able to access the local kiosk for tea or coffee and snacks. Our Club RIB, *Sandpiper*, will accompany the pontoon and members with their own private boats are encouraged to join in.

Also the paddlers and Vagabond sailors may also wish to join in if the weather is suitable.

The Pontoon will return to the Tingira beach between 12:00 - 12:30pm in time for lunch at Sunday On the Deck.

Members interested in coming please contact our Sailing Master Ian Waller-Wilkinson 04116 77714. Numbers on the Pontoon will be limited so please give Ian a call soon.

Tuesday Boat Maintenance Days

Regular boat maintenance days at the Tingira clubhouse have resumed. They are held each Tuesday commencing at 9:00am.

Currently there are three projects underway:

Recoating the front ramp with timber oil.

Recoating the interior floor of the OC6 with a non-skid blue flowcoat.

Repainting the Club's Corsair sailing dinghy.

Inquiries - Sailing Master Ian Waller-Wilkinson 04116 77 714

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Tingira Boat Club - Events Calendar March - April 2022

DATE	EVENT	DETAILS
Friday 25 March	Members Dinner	From 6:00pm
Saturday 26 March	Tingira Cruising Division Trip to Deanbilla Bay	Details and Times TBA closer to the date.
Sunday 27 March	Tingira Cruising Division Trip to Deanbilla Bay Sunday On the Deck	Details and Times TBA closer to the date Lunch and Drinks From 12:00 Noon
Friday 01 April	Fish'n'Chips	From 6:00pm
Saturday 02 April	'Celebration of Life' for Val Notley	Start 10:30am 12:00pm Light lunch and bar.
Sunday 03 April	Pontoon Mystery Tour Sunday On the Deck	9:30am – 12:30pm Lunch and Drinks From 12:00 Noon
Friday 15 April	Good Friday - Club Closed	
Sunday 17 April	Easter Sunday On the Deck	Lunch and Drinks From 12:00 Noon
Friday 22 April	Members Dinner	From 6:00pm

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Tingira Boat Club Management Committee Contacts

Position	Name	Contact
Commodore	Moss Lane	0428 717 535
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garage, was
sweating filling
up  felt sick
when I was
paying .. Think I
may have
Carownervirus**

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