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"FROM THE BILGE"

The next big evening on our agenda is our Christmas Eve In July scheduled for the 24th of July, the entertainers have been organised, the food will be as good as it was on Presentation Night, all we need is numbers and money. Ring Deidre Roberts on 0413 113 015 or Maria Albury on 49820146 for details. Cost is \$35 per head which will cover the meal and the entertainment.

The "Chardy Ladies" luncheon sheduled to be held at the Wonganella Winery on the 26th June at 12:30pm. will now be held at The Point Restaurant, Wonganella is being renovated so if you turn up there all you will get is black sugary tea and sandwiches! Maria Albury is sorting this one out, contact her on 49820146.

Had an email from Penny Dawson, she is spending the next couple of weeks in Townsville prior to flying to Sydney for the birth of a new grandchild and is planning to be at our Christmas in July. She is taking delivery of a new Benetou yacht in November.

Secretary Bill Haskell is due back "in country" towards the end of this week. We are looking forward to hearing how the local team went in the Pacific Rim series of races held in Canada recently.

Subscriptions are now due. If you are a social member and your details have not changed in the last 12 months, you do not have to fill out any forms, just either drop \$10.00 into the bar in an envelope with your name on it or remit the same to our bank account which is: BSB BSB – 062826 Account Number – 00900784 Account Name – Port Stephens Yacht Club Limited. Reference – Your Surname & Initial/s

The sooner you can do this the better as it will make our Hon Treasurer and Secretary's job a lot easier.

As winter is certainly upon us we will be holding our Friday Night Socials every second Friday night 2nd and 16th July, 6th and 20th August are the upcoming dates.

Please make sure that any visitors to the Club sign the book when entering. Most important.

More volunteers behind the Bar are always needed so, if you are interested, let us know. The Club pays for the course.

FOR THE FRIDGE DOOR – Sunset Social BBQ from 6.00pm every **Second Friday-- bring something for the BBQ or microwave & a salad/side dish/sweet to share..we also need some more volunteers for the BBQ on Friday nights. Not much involved, just getting it out of its shed, lighting it giving it a wipe and putting it away. Contact Peter Ballard on 4982 7567 if you can assist.**

If you have any suggestions which you feel may help in the smooth running of our Club, please contact any of the members of the Club Committee.

During a visit to the mental hospital, I asked the director, "How do you determine whether or not a patient should be institutionalized?"

"Well," said the director, "we fill up a bathtub, and then we offer a teaspoon, a teacup and a bucket to the patient and ask him or her to empty the bathtub."

"Oh, I understand," I said. "A normal person would use the bucket because it's bigger than the spoon or the teacup."

"No," said the director, "a normal person would pull the plug. Do you want a bed near the window?"

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