

MANLY SAILING CLUB

Affiliated with the N.S.W. 16 ft. Skiff Association.

19TH ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT

SEASON 1940-41.

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Life Members:

P. Johnston, E. Andrew, G. Johnston, A. Dwyer, L. Simms, G. Burton, W.G. Hole, K.D. Kershaw.

Commodore: W.R. Slade

Vice Commodore: D.J. Browne

Club Captain: A. Denoon

Vice Captain: J. Turle

Honorary Solicitor:

G. Asher

Honorary Secretary:

J.A. Forsyth

Honorary Treasurer:

A.L. Schultz

Committee:

R. Shervey, L. Morris, H. Graham, D. Stewart, C. Seller

16ft. Race Secretary:

A.J. Schultz

Hon. Handicapper and Judge:

P. Johnston

"B" Class Race Secretary:

W. Simpson

Hon. Starter and Judge:

P. Johnston

Publicity Officer:

W. Simpson

Sail and Boat Measurers:

J.A. Forsyth, A. Denoon and C. Seller.

Delegates to N.S.W. 16 ft. Skiff Association:

J.A. Forsyth and T. Fawcner

Hon. Auditors:

R.T. Andrew and W.G. Hole.

Trustees:

A. Seller, C. Seller and W.G. Hole

Gentlemen:

Your Committee has pleasure in submitting for your approval the 19th Annual Report and Financial Statement covering the Club's activities for the season ended 31st July 1941.

MEMBERSHIP:

Active Members	37
Junior "	21
Honorary "	31

By Honorary Members is meant those of our Members serving in one or other of His Majesty's Services, and so they shall remain until such time as they can resume active membership.

It might be mentioned at this juncture that the Committee has undertaken the responsibility and care of those craft left in our keeping by owners who have enlisted.

REGISTER:

16 ft. Skiffs:

<u>Boat</u>	<u>Owner</u>	<u>Skipper</u>
Escapade	R. Slade	R. Slade
Cynisca	C. Seller	C. Seller
Rainbow	G. Ling	B.H. Johnston
Uralla	F. Tolhurst	F. Tolhurst
Rival	Manly Sailing Club	D. Stewart
Revolt	A.J. Schultz	A.J. Schultz

Valdora was purchased by H. Graham at the latter end of the season and consequently did not race.

Memory has been left in our care by K. Beard, at present abroad with the A.I.F.

B. Class:

Aqua	B. Burke	B. Burke
Ace	J. Blackman	J. Blackman
Okita	L. Deaton	L. Deaton
Ajax	D. Barnett	D. Barnett
Lapwing	L. Morris	L. Morris
Victor	W. Simpson	W. Simpson
Francis	K. Signell	K. Signell
Leo	B. Wilson	K. Emery

RACING:

Once again "Escapade" (R. Slade) won the Club Championship from "Cynisca" (C. Seller), points being even till the third and final heat. The former completed the double by winning the point score, a meritorious effort from scratch.

In the "B" Class, "Aqua" (B. Burke) again won the Club Championship, whilst W. Simpson in his first season won the point score with "Victor".

To these skippers we offer congratulations.

Although Military training interfered a great deal with the "B" Class, we were able to muster a sufficient fleet to provide interesting racing. A full fleet of sixteens was always maintained.

INTER-CLUB RACING:

"Escapade" worthily represented Manly in the test races and gained selection for the team to represent this State in the Australian Championship and, although unsuccessful in this event, were by no means disgraced.

To Middle Harbour and to J. Lyons and his crew of the "U Dear" we offer our congratulations on their winning the Australian Championship and also the State Championship.

On our own course we were able to beat the Middle Harbour representatives in the P. Johnston Trophy and we have every reason to feel pleased about this feat. The teams were:-

Middle Harbour: U. Dear (J. Lyons), Privateer (R. Brown),
Onward (S. Spicer), Jason (L. Ford)

Manly: Escapade (R. Slade), Cynisca (C. Seller),
Rainbow (B. Johnston), Revolt (A.J. Schultz).

Three boats, "Memory", "Uralla" and "Revolt", made the trip to Belmont at Anniversary week-end and, although unsuccessful, had a darned good time.

The Club was represented in all Association fixtures, without success, but we learned a little more, and our turn may soon come.

The Middle Harbour Club was invited to contest the F. Deaton Interclub Race and in a field of 16 supplied the place getters - "Venture" (R. Ashton) winning the trophy.

The race itself was keenly contested and the coming season's race should again be a success.

TROPHIES AND DONATIONS:

We sincerely thank those supporters who came to our rescue with trophies and donations to such an extent that not one general handicap was on the programme.

It was anticipated that we might possibly experience a lean season, so our gratitude to these ladies and gentlemen is hard to express on paper.

Listed hereunder are all trophies, together with donor and successful boat:-

<u>Trophy</u>	<u>Donor</u>	<u>Won by</u>
<u>Sixteens:</u>		
Manly Cup	Perpetual	Rival (F. Tolhurst)
Murcia Shield	Perpetual	Rainbow (B. Johnston)
F. Deaton	F. Deaton Esq.	Escapade (R. Slade)
Jubilee Cup	Perpetual	"
Q.R. Paull	Q.R. Paull	"
Swingers	Manly Sailing Club	Cynisca (I. Thomson)
F. Tiernan	F. Tiernan Esq.	Revolt (A.J. Schultz)
Old Buffers	Manly Sailing Club	Revolt (F. Schultz)
Ladies	Manly Sailing Club	Uralla (Miss D. Bourne)
Commodores	W.R. Slade Esq.	Rainbow (B. Johnston)
Bailer Boys	Manly Sailing Club	Rainbow (A. Moss)
Seller	C. Seller Esq.	Memory (D. Stewart)
A. Brierley	Perpetual	Rainbow (B. Johnston)
Leicagraph	W. Thompson Esq.	"
W.L. Dendy	W.L. Dendy Esq.	Revolt (A.J. Schultz)
Sheethands	Manly Sailing Club	Rainbow (R.T. Andrew)
"Pool"	Port Jackson & Manly S.S. Co. Ltd.	Uralla (F. Tolhurst)
G. Filshie	G. Filshie Esq.	Rival (D. Stewart)
R. Towns	R. Towns Esq.	Uralla (F. Tolhurst)
Club Championship Trophies	R.T. Andrew Esq.	Escapade (R. Slade)
Point Score	W. Hermon Slade Esq.,	" "
<u>"B" Class:</u>		
F. Tolhurst	F. Tolhurst Esq.	Victor (J. Simpson)
Secretary's	J.A. Forsyth Esq.	" "
Vice Patron's	W.E. Hole Esq.	Frances (K. Signell)
H.T. Mathews	Perpetual	Victor (W. Simpson)
A. Rose	A. Rose Esq.	Aqua (B. Burke)
B. Burke	B. Burke Esq.	Victor (W. Simpson)
Old Buffers	Manly Sailing Club	Aqua (F. Burke)
Ladies	" " "	Frances (Mrs. Signell)
A. Horsnell	Miss A. Horsnell	Aqua (B. Burke)
"Eula"	E. Mitchell Esq.	Okita (F. Grosvenor)
H. Clark	H. Clark Esq.	Frances (K. Signell)
For'ard Hands	Manly Sailing Club	Tua Tea (D. Ironsides)
Sheet Hands	" " "	Tua Tea (J. Marshall)
Pool	Port Jackson & Manly S.S. Co. Ltd.	Tua Tea (B. Banner)
J. Day	J. Day Esq.	Victor (W. Simpson)
Club Championship Trophies	Manly Sailing Club	Aqua (B. Burke)
Point Score	A. Stevens Esq.	Victor (W. Simpson)

Donations were received from Dr. K. Parker, A.L. Schultz Esq., Dr. R.B. Minett and E.H. Andrew Esq.

CLUB HOUSE:

During the season the shed lighting was replanned and renewed and is greatly improved. Our thanks are due to W. Simpson who carried out the work for cost of material only.

It was also necessary to renew part of the water piping and this was done at a very low cost.

SOCIAL:

Once again Mr. J. Turle arranged the Club picnic which was held on 2nd March 1941 at Clontarf and was an unqualified success. Our thanks are due to Mr. Turle.

Several theatre nights were held with fluctuating patronage but the total proceeds were worth the trouble.

The Presentation of Trophies was a success socially and financially, the small admission charge justifying its imposition.

One Dance was held lately and showed a satisfactory profit but I am sure the older members could support our socials in greater numbers.

The "B" Class and Junior members are to be commended on their support.

Our thanks particularly are due to the following:-

Mrs. P. Johnston, Messrs. R.T. Andrew, H. Lemon, J. Blackman, D. Stewart (Snr.), F.E. Tolhurst, L. Morris and D. Asher.

The following members are now serving in the fighting forces:-

Army:

K. Beard, A. Conolly, A. Barnabas, A. Lomas, T. Kidd, L. Thompson, J. Deaton, G. Ling, F. Osborne, W. Adrian, W. Healey, L. Wood, E. Andrew, R. Andrew, R. Tompson, K. Ramsden, T.P.J. Brogan, R. Stevens, B. Bieler, A. Swinbourne, A.M. Dwyer, R. Tolhurst.

Navy:

A.G. Stokes, J. Moppett, D.J. Browne, R. Brown, F. Browne, F. Still.

R.A.A.F.:

J. Tregloan, I. Millburn, F. Grosvenor.

The above list represents almost 50% of our active members at the outbreak of war, so we can say the Club is doing its bit, and we who remain must maintain the sport in Manly at the same high level as those absent members would prefer it.

GENERAL:

The coming season shows promise, providing crews can be maintained. Valdora, refitted and rigged will once again race, this time in the hands of H. Graham, whilst D. Stewart has brought a new skiff "Flying Cloud" to worry Messrs. Slade and Co. A. Schultz has sold "Revolt" and now has "Rona" late "W.E.L." from the Lyons stable.

In the "B" Class "Ace" has changed hands and is now owned by P. Houston. His father, Mr. A.E. Houston, has joined the Club and wishes to take an active interest, in fact he has already intimated his desire to provide a trophy.

We welcome these new members and wish all of the above the best of luck and good sailing.

If we all pull together and work with the one idea in mind I see no reason why the coming season should not be the best ever.

FINANCIAL REPORT BY YOUR TREASURER, A.L. SCHULTZ:

Your Committee feel that the Balance Sheet as presented shows a very satisfactory result for the season's activities when the difficult nature of the period under review is taken into consideration.

The actual cash balance of the Building Reserve and Trust Fund has been increased from £75.5.1 to £96.2.7 and in addition the Club has purchased the 16 ft. skiff "Rival", valued at £20, thus making a total increase of £40.17.6 in the account.

The Club's General Account shows a slight debit for the season of £2.9.1 and we must consider this an excellent result as the usual complete programme of races was held and all prize moneys and trophies paid in full in spite of the extreme difficulty in raising money due to the war effort.

OBITUARY:

To those of our members who have suffered bereavement we offer our sincere sympathy.

J.A. FORSYTH

Honorary Secretary.

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MANLY SAILING CLUB

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR YEAR ENDED 31ST JULY 1941.

Prize Money and Trophies	51 15 0	By Balance as at 1st August 1940	8 3 8
N.S.W. 16 ft. Skiff Association	10 5 6	" Members' Subscriptions	25 3 0
Sundry Expenses	9 16 9	" Registration Fees	6 18 0
Launch Hire	15 1 2	" Race Entry Fees	26 6 6
Telephone Account	4 16 0	" Income from Socials	21 2 4
Printing and Stationery	5 14 9	" Sundry Income	3 2 2
Petty Cash	6 10 0	" Donations	15 18 6
Balance at Bank	2 15 0		
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BUILDING ACCOUNT.

Rent, Rates, Taxes and General Expenditure	29 10 9	By Balance at 1st August 1940	75 5 1
Purchase of "Rival"	20 0 0	" Shed Rents	68 18 9
Balance at Bank	96 2 7	" Interest	1 9 6
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MANLY SAILING CLUB

BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31ST JULY 1941.

Liabilities.

Assets.

CUMULATED INCOME ACCOUNT

As at 31st July 1940 342 17 0

UNDEBTED CREDITORS 5 4 5

PROFIT for year now ended 1 9 2

£349 10 7

COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA

Current Account 2 15 0

Building Reserve and Trust
Fund Account 96 2 7 98 17 7

CLUB SKIFF "RIVAL" 20 0 0

CLUB BUILDING

As at 31st July 1940 252 0 0

Less Depreciation 25 4 0 226 16 0

SUNDRY DEBTORS

3 17 0

£349 10 7

The foregoing Balance Sheet and Income and Expenditure Account have been compared by us with the books and records of the Club which have been audited by us for the year ended 31st July 1941.

J.A. FORSYTH - Hon. Secretary

W.G. FORSYTH

A.L. SCHULTZ - Hon. Treasurer

R.T. SCHULTZ

Auditors.