



16 ft. SKIFF SAILING CLUB

31st ANNUAL REPORT and Financial Statements

FOR YEAR ENDED 30th JUNE, 1953

PLEASE NOTE

The meeting will be held on MONDAY 10 th AUGUST at 8 p.m. NOT FRIDAY the 8th

To be Presented at the Club House, Manly,
on FRIDAY, 7th AUGUST, at 8 p.m.

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OFFICE BEARERS

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W. Herman Slade.

VICE-PATRON

W. Russell Slade

PRESIDENT

A. A. Marshall

SENIOR VICE-PRESIDENT

J. A. Forsyth

VICE-PRESIDENTS

W.H. Adrian, H. Clark, A. Denoon, W. Douglass, L.E. Emanuel,
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C. Madden, E. Mitchell, N.E. Norton, N. Mossop, R. Parsons.

LIFE MEMBERS

L. Simms, G. Johnston, E. Andrew, A.M. Dwyer, W.G. Hole, P. Johnston
K.D. Kershaw, C.A. Seller, R.M. Dubois, A.L. Schultz, W.R. Slade,
H. Lemon.

COMMODORE

J. G. Graham

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J. L. Alston

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HON. TREASURER

C. Betts.

CLUB CAPTAIN

R. May.

VICE CAPTAIN

V. Alston.

SOCIAL SECRETARY

R. MacGilchrist.

MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

A. Dennon, A. Wilson, D. Stewart.

STARTER

C. Tracey.

HON. RACE SECRETARY

R. Curry

JUDGE

C. Madden

UMPIRE

C. Madden.

HANDICAPPING COMMITTEE

J. Graham, C. Seller, J. A. Forsyth.

HON. SOLICITOR

G. Asher.

HON. AUDITORS

R. M. Dubois, R. Parsons.

DELEGATE OF N. S. W. SKIFF ASSOCIATION

L. Monkhouse.

TRUSTEES

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

Gentlemen,

Your Management Committee takes pleasure in presenting to you the 31st Annual Report and Balance Sheet for the year ended 30.6.53.

MEMBERSHIP

The year closed with a financial Membership comprising of 53 senior members and 25 junior members. Though Senior Membership has remained somewhat stationary, the Junior side has shown a marked increase on last year's figures.

With a number of our Junior Members moving into the Senior Ranks in the forthcoming season we trust that their places will be filled by a fresh group of young enthusiasts.

BOATS

The boat register comprised of 9, 16ft skiffs and 6, B class boats.

16ft skiffs were, Atom, Encourage, Clipper, Enterprise, Nor' Easter, Success, Storm, Lorraine and Rona.

"B" class comprised of, Ixion, Y. Too, Varuna, Domino, Corbeau, and The Hawk.

Lorraine and Clipper were new additions to the 16 Fleet during the season though, unfortunately the latter was in poor condition and had to be withdrawn from racing.

Enterprise has recently been sold by R. Champion who has since purchased the "Solo".

CHAMPIONSHIP

The Committee desire to extend their congratulations to J. G. Graham "Success" in once again winning the Club Championship and to L. Monkhouse (Skipper) and members of the crew who shared the honours.

Also to R. May "Storm" and crew for their consistent sailing in winning the Major Point Score and Dalwood Tiller Trophy.

With the exception of "Success" the fleet was very evenly matched throughout the season and some close finishes were recorded.

We trust that during the forthcoming season the gap which exists between "Success" and the rest of the Fleet may be bridged.

Trophy Winners in Club races were as follows:-

"Storm"	R. May.	Dalwood Tiller	Trophy
		C. J. Watt	"
		J. Morton	"
		Manly Cup	"
"Success"	L. Monkhouse	R. & E. Parsons	"
		W.A.G.	"
		L. C. Emanuel	"
		J. R. MacDonald	"
		"Eula" E. Mitchell	"
"Atom"	V. Alston	Senior Vice President's	"
		StewartFarmer	"
"Enterprise"	R. Champion	Gresham Insurance	"
"Encourage"	C. Betts	R. Lundie	"
"Nor' Easter"	D. Parsons	Club Captain	"
		J. Faulkner	"
		A. L. Schultz	"

SPECIAL TROPHIES

Championship Shield)			
and J. G. Graham Trophy)	"Success"	L. Monkhouse	
Patrons Trophy	"Storm"	R. May.	
C. G. Brentnall Memorial)	"	D. Crawford	
for Forward Hands)			
Sheet Hands Trophy)	"Atom"	J. L. Alston	
L. E. McDonnell)	"	R. MacGilchrist	
Swingers Trophy)	"		
E. O. K. Green)	"	B. Jackson	
Junior Skipper Trophy)	"Lorraine"	B. Johnston.	
F. J. Richards)			
Vice Presidents Trophy			

Two special trophies were donated by the President for the most outstanding Senior and Junior Club Member of the year.

These were awarded to R. May and B. Williams respectively.

For a very fine performance in "B" class sailing G. Marshall was awarded a Special Trophy donated by the Club.

N.S.W. 16 FT SKIFF ASSOCIATION and INTER CLUB fixtures.

We were without representation in the Australian Championships which were conducted on Sydney Harbour last season, but feel that we were perhaps a little unlucky.

"Success" sailed very consistantly in Association Events and with a littel more luck could have made the grade. Performance of this skiff in these fixtures were as follows.

"Success" L. Monkhouse	2nd Northern Zone Championship
	3rd Botany Bay "
	3rd Port Jackson "
	4th Upper Harbour "

Fastest times were also recorded by this skiff at Belmont, Gosford, The Manly Regatta and the Dumaresque Cup. The Dumaresque Cup was won by the "Atom" J. L. Alston.

Points donated by the Skiff Association in connection with their fixtures show the following results:-

Middle Harbour	264,	St. George	208
Manly	194	Georges River	64

PERCE JOHNSTON TROPHY

This event was sailed over the Manly Course this season and honour once again went to our friend from Middle Harbour.

Without the services of R. Slade and D. Stewart our Club was faced with a very stiff task.

"Success" sailed an outstanding race until they were forced to return with damaged gear.

The first four places were filled by :-

"Imp" R. Hendry, "Scamp" D. Stewart, "Return" J.O'Rourke, and "Audrey" J. Lyons.

MANLY REGATTA

A fleet of 48 skiffs competed in this event which was sailed in a light Nor' easter.

"Encounter" from Drummoyne was the successful skiff and to them we extend our congratulations. Fastest time was sailed by "Success" L. Monkhouse.

Officials of the Association conducted the regatta in a very thorough and competent manner. To them we extend our sincerethanks.

SOCIAL

The social side of the Club has every prospect of developing into something which has been long awaited and we look to the future with confidence.

Our new Club House has finally been completed and our Presentation Dance which was conducted on these premises was a huge success.

To Mr. MacGilchrist and those who assisted him in the organization of this function we extend our sincere thanks.

It is our intention to conduct regular monthly dances from now on.

VICE PRESIDENT'S DAY

This Annual Function proved once again to be very popular and was attended by a good roll up.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. Ben Johnston for his success in the "Lorraine".

FINANCE

The Treasurer's Report gives a most comprehensive report of the Club's financial position which is very satisfactory.

To Mr. Betts we extend our thanks for the efficient manner in which he has carried out his duties.

APPRECIATION

Your Committee desires to place on record their appreciation of the valuable assistance rendered the Club by your President A. A. Marshall, and Club Captain R. May. Also a special vote of thanks is extended to your Vice Commodore Mr. C. Madden for the very capable manner in which he carried out his duties as pick-up boat official.

Our thanks are extended to Messrs; R. Parsons and R. M. Dubois

who carried out the Club audit for the year.

J. L. Alston.
HON. SECRETARY.

ADDENDUM

If you will recall the addendum of season 1951-52 I referred specifically to the transformation of a Boat Shed to a Club.

With much pride I now say that physically the Committee achieved their desires and as you will agree an edifice worthy of any Amateur Organisation.

For such a result we owe thanks to Debenture holders and such office bearers as our Commodore Mr. Graham, our Secretary Mr. Alston the Treasurer Mr. Betts and to our excellent Club Captain Mr. May.

Towards the end of the season a Ladies Auxiliary was formed and to them on our behalf I wish every success.

Once again thanking those who had such faith in our administration and to those who worked so hard for the future of the Manly Sailing Club and for the sport of sailing itself.

A. A. Marshall,
PRESIDENT

MANLY 16 FT. SKIFF SAILING CLUB

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT

FOR YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE, 1953.

GENERAL ACCOUNT

Balance S131	37 12 6	Prize Money and Trophies	126 11 -
Boat Registration	8 - -	Petty Cash	11 - -
Club Race Entries	14 18 6	Printing and Stationery	28 7 3
Membership Subscription	122 5 6	Boat Registration	9 - -
Donations	86 13 -	Donation - N.S.W. 16 ft	
Socials and Competitions	122 2 11	Skiff Association	9 - -
Interest - Bank	13 4 4	Insurance - Boats	5 14 8
Deposit - Hotel Pacific	27 - -	Insurance - Building	19 10 -
Badges	4 - -	Towage	48 2 -
Association Race Entries	36 5 -	Typewriter Repairs	7 10 -
Association Prize Money	15 - -	Association Race Entries	42 10 -
		Canvas Chairs	52 14 -
		Sundries	12 17 7
		Balance, S131	134 10 3
	<hr/> <u>£487 6 9</u>		<hr/> <u>£487 6 9</u>

BUILDING ACCOUNT

Balance, S131	1269 3 6	Club Buildings	1244 5 4
Shed Rents	59 14 -	Electricity	28 1 1
Donations	7 1 -	Rates and Taxes	11 19 6
Debentures	247 - -	Repairs - Plumbing	5 12 3
Redemption War Loan	50 - -	Sundries	4 15 11
		Balance, S131	338 4 5
	<hr/> <u>£1632 18 6</u>		<hr/> <u>£1632 18 6</u>

MANLY 16 FT. SKIFF SAILING CLUB

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30TH, JUNE 1953

SUNDRY CREDITORS

Debenture Holders	1619 12 -	
Boat Owners	<u>20 - -</u>	1639 12 -

ACCUMULATED INCOME ACCOUNT

Balance 1st July 1952	953 11 3	
Add Increase for year	<u>100 8 -</u>	1053 19 3

COMMONWEALTH BANK

Building Account S131	338 4 5	
General Account S131	<u>134 10 3</u>	472 14 8

SUNDRY DEBTORS - Boat Owners 5 10 -

CLUB BUILDINGS 2086 10 1

TYPEWRITER 10 - -

Less Depreciation 1 - - 9 - -

TABLES AND TRESTLES 18 - -

Less Depreciation 2 - - 16 - -

RADIO 18 - -

Less Depreciation 2 - - 16 - -

COIR MATTING 45 - -

CANVAS CHAIRS 32 14 -

BADGES AND RULE BOOKS 10 2 6

£2693 11 3

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C. G. BETTS TREASURER

We, the undersigned have examined the books of account of the Manly Sailing Club for the year ended 30th June, 1953 and having obtained the information and explanations required, hereby certify that the above Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Club's affairs, according to the best of our information and the explanations given us and as shown by the books of the Club.

R. M. Dubois)
R. Parsons) Hon. Auditors.