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## Evans Bay Yacht & Motor Boat Club's Latest News



Hi Grant, here's your weekly update...



### Hurricane Rigging Sprint Series

Will it be third time lucky this Saturday? Race day three (the first two were cancelled) of the Hurricane Rigging Sprint Series is ready to go this Saturday. The first race is scheduled to

Cruising Division will be racing as normal with a race start at 1300hrs - this may be a "Mark Foy" so keep an eye out for Alex's email.

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## Club Special Christmas Dinner - Friday 23 December

Join us for a special Christmas roast meal followed by a dessert to die for! The meal will include Roast Lamb or Pork (your choice), more roast veges than Santa can carry in his sleigh along with fresh beans. All of this followed by a dessert you really don't want to miss and it can all be washed down with a nice refreshing beverage. So head on down and have one final catch up with everyone before Christmas is here.

**Bookings are essential!** Please book by midday Thursday 22 December via email [generalmanager@ebymbc.org.nz](mailto:generalmanager@ebymbc.org.nz) or calling Noeline on 021 868 608



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**Request for helpers for upcoming adult learn to sail courses**

This is a great way to encourage others into the sport we love so much and is also an opportunity for you to go sailing (with some restrictions :-)) without having to hire a boat.

If you are able to help out in this role for the upcoming Summer **Sunday morning** or **Wednesday evening** courses could you please fill in your name and contact details into the spreadsheets below and reply to me confirming you can help.

You do not need to commit to the full course - any days you can help will be appreciated.

If you can help with the Sunday morning class starting 9am 29th January please fill in this [spreadsheet](#) under Helpers what days you can help.

If you can help with the Wednesday evening class starting 5:45pm 25th January please fill in this [spreadsheet](#) under Helpers what days you can help.

Thanks

Any questions please contact

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## Raffle Time

I know you are all starting to panic about what to buy that special someone for Christmas...

Well do I have an opportunity for you!

EBYMBC has a magnificent Gold 32GB iPhone 7 worth \$1,200 up for grabs.

This is brand new, still in the sealed box and has come directly from the Vodafone store as part of their generous support for our new Open Bic programme.

We are limiting the raffle to only 50 tickets which means every ticket has a great chance of walking away with the prize.

Tickets are \$30 each or two for \$50. And it will be first in first served, once they have been

Cheers

Rowdy



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## O'Pen Bic Clinic - Wanganui Sailing Club

Last weekend saw three EBYMBC junior sailors, Ole, Jack and Bella head up to Whanganui to attend their first O'Pen Bic coaching clinic and get a head start on the programme we are kicking off here in the bay.

The clinic was run by Hayden Whitburn and Sir Russell Coutts, with everybody (including the adults) picking up some really great sailing tips!

Special thanks to the team at Wanganui Sailing Club for their magnificent hospitality all weekend.





## Health & Safety Warning: Asphalt surface at Club

Many of you will have noticed the deterioration of the asphalt surface located at the south eastern corner of the clubhouse. We are in contact with Wellington City Council (our landlords) to get this repaired as quickly as possible. However with the events of the last couple of weeks, maintenance contractors are quite difficult to find.

So in the mean time please be very careful around this area of the club grounds, we want to ensure that no one is injured. Please be extra careful when moving around this area, especially when it is wet or dark (or even both!).

Thanks in advance for your co-operation and help.



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