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



Hi Grant, here is the latest news...

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### A message from the Vice Commodore

With the exception of Opening Day, the weather gods have not been kind to us for the first two weekends of the season. Hopefully this coming Saturday will be different. From current forecasts as we go to press, Saturday looks to be a sailing day and this is what we have programmed:

**1300hrs - Telford Mug for Cruising Division**

**1330hrs - Spring Series for the Trailer Yachts and Dinghies**

Please ensure you complete a season entry form if you haven't done so already and remember the sign on/off procedures!

Also, a reminder that the hardstand area on the eastern side of the Clubhouse is for boats on Saturdays, not cars. Please keep the area free of cars, including the angle car parks marked in white. There is always plenty of parking space on the road on the western side of the Clubhouse or down in the boat ramp car park (especially if you have a trailer attached).

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## Poker Race

5 November 2016



**1230hrs Briefing**

**1330hrs Race Start**

**BBQ to follow**

### [Mishmosh Poker Race - Saturday 5 November](#)

This is our long anticipated Guy Fawkes Event for 2016. It'll be a great afternoon before the fireworks and we will be having a BBQ (from 1630hrs) while still allowing plenty of time to get around to Oriental Bay to watch the Sky Show.

**The Poker Race is designed for Powerboats, Wakas, Kayaks, Paddleboards, Surf Skis, Sailboats, or anything else that floats! So let everyone know and let's make this a great afternoon on the water at EBYMBC!**

This event will be happening no matter what the weather, so make sure you have cleared your diary and are ready to pull out that Poker Face!



## Friday Evening Roast Dinner

Get on down to the club this Friday evening for a great roast, you can have your choice of Beef, Lamb or Pork!

So head on down and order a meal, have a cold refreshing beverage, and a good old fashion chinwag about sailing, boating, or anything else you desire! What better way to end a short working week?!

Orders are being taken at the bar now and will close at 1830hrs on Friday, get in quick because you don't want to miss out!

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## Ward Island Club get together...

The Ward Island (which actually ended up at Scorching Bay) get together on Monday afternoon was a huge success. A strong contingent of 6 boats and 30 odd people (plus one dog) had a great afternoon and if you weren't there you really did miss out!

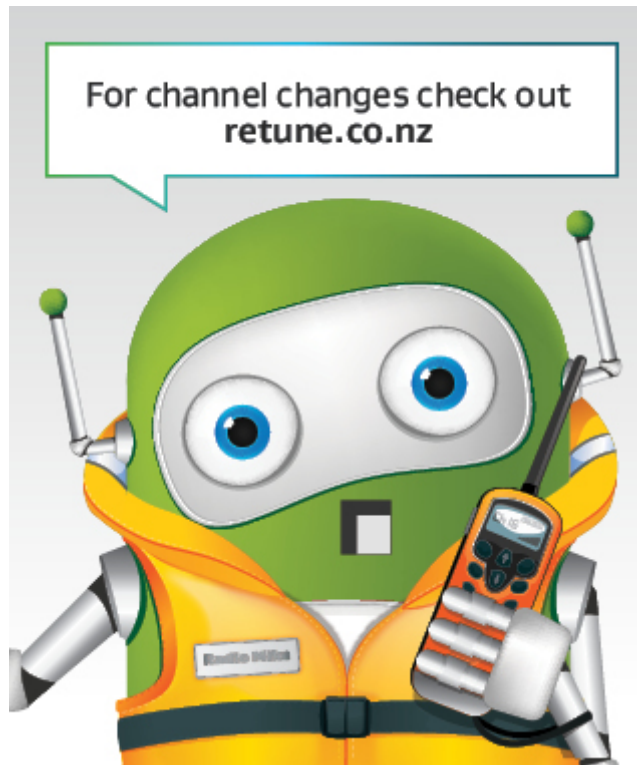
It was great to see the club coming together in a different setting and enjoying the magnificent harbour and beautiful locations that we have here in Wellington!



## Crew needed...

Nationals on Waitangi weekend in Napier, and to sail regularly in the spring and summer series between now and then. Ideally would be someone with good experience but would train you up if you're able to commit to regular sailing. Please email [challengeryacht@gmail.com](mailto:challengeryacht@gmail.com) or text 021 124 1443.

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## VHF Channel changes - 1 October 2016

New Zealand, along with a number of other countries, is required to change some maritime VHF repeater channels to make space for newly allocated international services for ship tracking and data services.

On the 1st October, New Zealand will be moving a few private VHF repeater services, most Coastguard VHF repeater services, and all NowCasting weather services. An updated radio handbook and frequency stickers are available from under the noticeboard at the Club.

For more information, and to find out which repeater and weather forecast channels you should be using from 1 October 2016, go to [www.retune.co.nz](http://www.retune.co.nz)

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## Other items of interest...

### **EBYMBC Band**

We've had a request from a club member for expressions of interest in forming an EBYMBC Band. I know that we have some very talented musicians out there, so how about we bring



## And finally...

Can anyone tell me when this was?

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