

Winter is here

Plenty of rain and cold conditions over the last few days have at least given the club lawn a good watering. We plan to re-sow and tidy up this area as soon as the last Waka marathon event is completed next weekend.

We got it right leaving Mothers' Day off the Winter Race calendar. Note also the schedule for June has been altered with no racing on the Sunday of Queens Birthday (31 May) or the following Sunday (7 June) when the club is booked out for a function.

We were blessed with almost perfect weather for the first of the Mount Gay Winter Series races. The nice day encouraged 30 boats onto the water and we were pleased to welcome the Pleasant Point Farr 5000 fleet to join the racing.

No dinghies joined us although the R Class guys were out testing new foils.

Saturday sees the last Waka marathon series for the season in Christchurch and on Sunday race 2 of the Winter Series is scheduled

Club Events coming up

Mount Gay Winter series

May 17, 24
June 14, 21, 28
Racing for keelboats,
trailer yachts and dinghies.



CTYS AGM Wed 10 June
CTYS Prizegiving Breakfast Sun 14 Jun

Mander Trust Dinner Fri 19 June

Annual General Meeting Wed 24 June

Prizegiving for Dinghies & keelboats
will be after the final Winter Race—
Sun 28 June.

OOPS



Phil Auger, our friendly local sailmaker, owner of the Shaw 6.5 "Badonkadonk" has been sailing on a Shaw 6.5 in Thailand. They featured in one of online magazines getting a tow from a keelboat last weekend.

P & Starling National Champs 2010

The P Class and Starling Nationals are scheduled to be held at Naval Point from January 11-17th 2010.

This is the second biggest event on the NZ dinghy sailing calendar (after the Optimist Nationals).

We are in the process of forming a committee to organise and run the event. If you are interested in being part of it, please contact the office. There are lots of roles to fill with an event of this magnitude.

FRIDAY HAPPY HOUR

The bar is still open Friday nights for your Friday fish & chips and discount beers from 5:30pm.

The fire is on and we have a variety of speakers lined up for the winter evenings.

Wanted to Buy

No.2 jib wanted from a Young 88 or similar to use on the sail training yacht 'Good Point'

Average condition only needed,
also looking for tiller Autohelm.

Email Dudley@canterburycharters.co.nz
or call 03 9602401"