

Warm Again?

Once again we have been lucky with the Winter Series. Last Sunday saw 9 keelboats and 16 trailer yachts face the starter in fresh Westerly which was warm! We struck the only day in the last couple of weeks with reasonably pleasant sailing conditions. The breeze eased as the race progressed but there was still enough in the gusts to make life interesting.



VHF Course

We have a VHF operators course scheduled for the evening of 16 July. This is a 3 1/2 hour course run by Peter Marshall of Canterbury Maritime Training. You will sit the test and qualify for your VHF Operators certificate at the end of the session. Cost, including the test/certificate is \$30. Book with the office.

More Shaw 6.5 swimming



Fresh from an interesting regatta in Thailand (See last week's news), Phil Auger and crew took the water in last Sunday's Winter Race. No keelboats to tip them over this time— just a big NW gust!

They recovered to take line honours in the keelboat fleet.

Club Events coming up
Mount Gay Winter series

May 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— 28 June.

R Class Foils



Progress is going well on the R Class foil building programme with 2 foiling boats now on the water. Jess Hix and Paul Roe launched TheVirtual on the first prepreg set of foils at the start of May. David Pairman is nearing completion of the Merde's set of foils, and then he's just got to fit them to the boat, there's a bit more work to ready a Woof than the L3's, but how hard can it be?

Sean has started work on the fourth set of foils which is for a North Island boat. After that there are at least 3 sets queued up, its going to be a busy and interesting winter.

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.