



Boating Officer's Report 2018-2019

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I'm pleased to report that a number of activities have been completed across 2018 /19 committee year to keep the boats in a seaworthy condition. I need to acknowledge all the volunteers that helped with this task as boat maintenance is a never-ending job.

Vitamin Sea

- VHF radio repaired;
- Trailer brake adjuster, new cable and brake pads installed;
- Wheel bearings greased and replaced on the trailer;
- New marine batteries installed; and
- Annual service completed 11th May 2018 – Recommend next service May 2020.

No follow up items required for this boat at present.

Stargazer

- Trailer lights replaced and upgraded to LED – No requirement to use the light bar;
- Dive flag and pole replaced;
- New Trailer brake cable and adjuster installed;
- Wheel bearings greased and checked;
- Electrical fuse box on console replaced due to anticorrosive spray being applied and re-wiring completed due to excessive tension on wires – 10+ hours of work; and
- Major service completed in April 2018 – Recommend next major service in April 2020.

Stargazer is currently sea worthy, but requires continual maintenance due to age and condition.

Boat Handlers

A very big thank you to the boat handlers that support the club and a special mention to the new boat handlers who joined the group in 2018:

- Jade Bruggling;
- Jack Morelli; and
- Paul Edwards – Almost signed off!

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