



## *Trivia Night At the Clubhouse*

**Saturday, November 23**

**From 7.00 pm**

*Drinks at dusk*

**Bring your friends and family, organise  
a table of 8 or we'll organise one for you.**

**Champagne on the pontoon on arrival,  
nibbles on tables &  
light supper around 10.00 pm**

**BYO drinks  
\$25 per person**

Bigger and better  
than last year!!

All organised and  
run by our talented  
Club Members

**Do you know the answers?**

Which nation consumes the most  
Scotch whisky per capita?

What is the official language of  
Zimbabwe?

How many metres are there in a  
nautical mile?

Put your name on the list at  
the Club or call or email:

Linda McDonald  
9416-1576  
lindfield@alpha.net.au

**NEW MEMBERS:**

Come along and meet  
other members; get  
involved in your new  
Club.

**Bring  
small  
change  
for games**

## **Club Clothing**

The club has recently purchased a new long sleeve UV shirt suitable for rowing in the heat of summer. At \$40.00 it is available in S, M, L. We have a limited number of large short sleeved Club T shirts on sale at \$5.00. This will leave space for our new range. Other clothing currently available includes:

<i>Price List</i>	<i>Sizes Available</i>
Caps	25.00
Zoot Suits	55.00 Men & Ladies – S, M, L, XL
Fleecy Vests	45.00 Men Small, Ladies Small
Fleecy Jackets	50.00 Men Small, Ladies XS & Small
Waterproof Jackets	50.00 Men XL, Ladies Small

We will be expanding the range for next winter and welcome any suggestions for any items to add. With the new season about to start, we will try to have a committee member available on Saturday mornings for any purchases. If any member wishes to obtain an item of clothing and can't make it on Saturday please ring either Helen (0417 282 052) or Norma (0410 629 721)

## **Membership Subscriptions**

Subscriptions are now overdue. If you have not paid your 2002/03 subscription then you will not be allowed to row in the coming season, especially if you plan to compete. Please pay immediately with either a cheque to our P. O. Box or a direct debit to the club account. Contact either Norma (0410 629 721) or Helen (0417 282 052) to make arrangements.

## **Rebel Sports Discount**

A 5 % discount is now available for all Club Members at Rebel Sports in Chatswood. Quote our number, which is 30858 when you pay for your goods.

*Helen Ritchie, Assistant Treasurer*

I am hearing mixed reports from the World Masters Games in Ballarat. Thousands of competitors - somebody counted over 600 Vllls along the bank. Great competition with some pleasing results and a few medals, but the wind and the cold were a dampener. Still it was a fun week with great camaraderie among all the competitors.

Now to our own regatta which is on Sunday, 10 November on our home course - the Lane Cove River. Unfortunately with unforeseen changes and delays, we have had to accept a regatta program that is not exactly as we would wish. NSWRA sets a core program and allows the host to select 6 to 10 events of their own choosing. In the confusion of the changes, we lost our choice of events and we are unable to have a number of junior races we would have liked to have had. Our apologies to the juniors.

This will probably be our last Club Regatta on the Lane Cove River. Let us make it a success. We need a lot of help to run a smooth regatta and we are calling for volunteers. We need boat drivers, cakes and sandwiches to sell, help with the barbecue and runners to get the results to the computer. I look forward to a great day.

*David Cay, President*

## **World Masters Games Medals**

About 30 North Shore Masters Members competed in Ballarat. While the standard of competition from around Australia and around the world was very high, we managed to bring some medals back. It's a good thing John James was driving, otherwise he would have been paying excess baggage charges on the plane! He captured 3 gold, 4 silver and 1 bronze medals. Well done, John. Other medals went to our Mixed C & D quads, Mixed D & F eights and our Mixed D double scull. The Women's D 8+, Men's E quad and E pair all made the finals.

*Ed.*

## **Regatta Entries**

Please be aware of the new procedures for regatta entries. The entry forms on the notice board call for payment (not cash) prior to your entry being made to the NSWRA We now have to register all our entries via the internet using the Club's credit card. Payment by cheque, credit card or EFT for the whole crew is to be made to the club's credit card account. Please see Norma Perry, Helen Ritchie or myself about this. The latest date for an entry is the Monday two weeks prior to a regatta and so I will be putting that date on each entry form on the board. Please make sure that **all competitors** are registered with the NSWRA prior to this date. The age is the age you are turning this year. Please note that if you have made an entry and want to withdraw then you must advise the NSWRA on the their official withdrawal form prior to the regatta, otherwise The Club is fined and will pass that cost onto the crew concerned.

## **North Shore Regatta - 10 November**

Our regatta is soon upon us so let's see everyone support the club by being involved helping out and enjoying the day.

## **Boat Allocations**

Please be aware of the procedures on the Boat Allocation Board and if you are in any doubt speak to John James, Tony Wehby or myself.

## **Members in Charge**

We are still looking for members to man the "office" from 5.30am to 7.30am during the week so if you can help please advise me.

OK "Hands on"

*John Childs, Captain*

**Check out the Club's new web site!!**  
<http://users.tpg.com.au/nsrc/>

Farewell and good luck to Mike Curtin,  
Roseville Rowing Master. Welcome to Glen