



KNYSNA YACHT CLUB

(Established 1910)



Newsletter May 2018

Commodores Corner – Allan Waterston

Our closing cruise which took place on Sunday 15th April was yet another clear indication that the spirit of sailing persists at KYC. The turnout of Keel boats, Sea Cadets, Dinghies, Canoes and a Dragon boat was fantastic, putting on a magnificent show for all spectators. Our thanks and appreciation to Kevin Fouché of Knysna Yacht Company for arranging a magnificent Knysna 500 for the day, making it possible for our guests to participate and enjoy the event on the water.

The closing cruise was followed by a short prize giving with tea and cake provided by the Galley.

Revised pricing has been introduced in the bar which currently reflects an automatic discount of 10%, this to allow members time to fund their club accounts and make use of their membership cards when making purchases at the club.

As previously advised this automatic **DISCOUNT WILL CEASE LATER THIS MONTH** and will only be enjoyed should you have funded your club account and use your membership card when making purchases. The date when the automatic discount is to cease will be advised by SMS.

A revised menu is nearing finalisation; on introduction a 10% discount will also apply to purchases in the restaurant when using your club account. *(See below for more information on funding your club account)*

An informal members meeting was held on 5th April and a follow-up meeting is scheduled for Tuesday 15th May at 17:30.

With our AGM date set for 21st June 2018 a call for nominations of candidates to be elected to take on the roles and responsibilities of the various Flag Officers and for the general committee member positions has been sent to all. If you feel you can contribute to the running of our club and would like to be part of the team taking the club forward, have a chat to Rob or anyone of the existing committee members.

Last date for submission of nominations is 25th May 2018, 17:00.

Restaurant and Bar

Friday 4 May brought a new weekly draw in the restaurant where one lucky member, who has swiped his or her membership card, enjoys a 50% discount on the food bill for the table to a maximum of R400. To stand a chance to win, book a table for Dinner on Friday, swipe your club card to use your club account and have the food bill for the table halved. This draw will take place at around 20:00 and you don't have to be present to win.

Our first winner was: Tony & Ansie – well done and thanks for the support

Our extended hours which now include opening on Tuesdays and Thursdays continue to gain popularity, a snack on the deck with your favourite drink and good company; autumn evenings on the deck are very special. Invite a few friends and neighbours and show off your club.

We would like to welcome our new chef "William" who will be working closely with Elton.

Breakfast:	08h30 – 11h00 Tuesday to Sunday
Lunch: a-la-carte	12h00 – 14h00 Tuesday to Sunday (plus roast of the day on Sunday)
Dinner: a-la-carte	18h00 – 21h00 Wednesday and Friday
Bar Menu	available during above hours plus 16h00 – 19h00 Tuesday and Thursday evenings come and enjoy a special light meal.

Phone 044 382 0166 to reserve your table.

PLEASE NOTE: IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO TAKE UP A RESTAURANT BOOKING PLEASE LET US KNOW TIMEOUSLY. WE WILL THEN BE ABLE TO ALLOCATE THAT TABLE TO OTHERS AND NOT TURN MEMBERS AWAY BELIEVING WE ARE FULLY BOOKED



Bar

Normal hours during the week are 11h00 till late and Sunday's 10h00 – 22h00

Wednesday nights– Happy Hour from 18h00 – 19h00 with a Lucky draw in Ashes Bar.

Functions -Please keep KYC restaurant in mind when planning any kind of celebration, weddings, birthdays or year end functions.

Contact Rob on 044 382 0166 for information on use of the venue and catering.

Membership

Thank you to our members who have paid their subs for 18/19. We have had an excellent response. PLEASE USE your surname or your membership number when you do an EFT as we have received payments we cannot identify.

Please see below payments received but we can't identify the member.

Please contact Nicky so that we can allocate it to the correct account.

KNYSNA FRAMERS	R3 850.00
SANA & WATSS INC	R1 970.00
SIMOLA INV10315 (no Invoice with that number)	R1 940.00
601607 (no such number on system)	R1 940.00
601444 MILLS	R1 800.00
SWING015	R5 508.00

PRE-FUND YOUR MEMBERSHIP CARD

An EFT can be done to the same KYC account as the subs.

Please use your membership number and add **SP** at the end, so that we know that amount must be allocated to the members spending account, example **1859SP**. This amount will be allocated to your account as soon as it appears on our bank statement. Please bear in mind the delay in the banking world when transferring from one bank to another e.g. Absa to FNB, this may take up to 48hrs.

Please note membership fees for the current financial year **must** be paid by end of May. If not paid as per our constitution you will be classified as a defaulter which will affect your access to the club.

Please remember to advise Nicky of any of your personal details if any of these have changed.

Please call or email your new details to Nicky at secretary@knysnayachtclub.com

Please make sure we have your correct Cell number on the system.

Speak to Nicky should you have any problems.

We welcome the following members to KYC:

Ralph & Shelly Banks	Knysna	Ordinary member couple
Bernd & Caroline Brinkman	Germany	Country member couple
Karel Esterhuizen	Knysna	Ordinary member single
Olive Frey	Knysna	Ordinary member single
Nina Ligeti	Knysna	Ordinary member single
Margaret Nel	Knysna	Ordinary member single
Henrik & Nanthicha Petersen	Knysna	Ordinary member couple
Yvette Raffanti	Knysna	Ordinary member single
Jerome Starkey	Knysna	Ordinary member single
Samuel Theodosiou	Cape Town	Country member single

Club regalia

KYC branded clothing and caps are available from the Office or from the Bar. If there is something special you are looking for chat to Nicky and she will see what she can do.

Fleece Jackets



Navy

Bomber Jackets



Body Warmer



Navy

Long sleeve knit



Golf Shirt



Navy/Blue/White

Golf Shirt



Navy

V-neck T shirt in navy



Upcoming Events



MOTHERSDAY LUNCH

SUNDAY 13TH MAY 2018

12h00 for 12h30

STARTER

Broccoli & Cauliflower Blue cheese soup

OR

Deep fried Camembert cheese with
Rocket and cranberry sauce

MAIN

Kingklip with Garlic mash
and vegetables with lemongrass sauce

OR

Roasted Sirloin with Garlic crushed
Baby potatoes and Rosemary sauce

DESSERT

Cheese cake with berry sauce

OR

Crème Brule vanilla pot

R150.00 per person

Please book to avoid disappointment

Informal members meeting - Tuesday 15 May 17h30

AGM 21 June 18:00

FOR SALE

- The club has a second-hand Mariner 50hp two stroke outboard for sale, make an offer - any reasonable offer will be considered.
- Wooden Mirror and Optimist boats available. Why not take one home, a perfect project for the winter; get on the water when the season opens in September and join the fun of sailing.

Contact Rob on 044 382 0166

