

Canterbury J class (One Design) Owners Association Inc. Newsletter

June 2022 CJCOA

Hi Canterbury J-Class Skippers. Keeping you up to date with the cJ-Class.

Our Association:

Your Committee continues to do the regular tasks of keeping the CJCOA going. This is focussed on ensuring that:

- The “One Class Design” is upheld;
- Supplies for these cJ boats are to remain available (hulls, leads, sails, fittings);
- Boats are measured;
- Regattas/events are scheduled and run;
- Health and safety issues are dealt with;
- Potential members are nurtured;
- Money is accounted for;
- There is communication to the members (webpage, emails, newsletters, publications).

All of these aspects are vital for a healthy organisations. If you would like to contribute to the Committee, please ask someone.



Mike Inns has taken up the role as our new **Treasurer**. Thanks.



We need more old lead please

Scrap metal **Lead** is urgently wanted

Lead scrap needed by the lead pourer for making more keels.

Chris Koskela asks you to drop it off at the CMYC Boatshed please.

Membership

Our current membership is 99, which includes Life & Honorary members. [last season 107]
The membership list is jointly maintained by the Treasurer and Secretary. Secretary keeps the email list current.

Membership is spread throughout New Zealand. There are growing groups in Palmerston North and Tauranga.



Leon Blewett is the Registrar keeps boat ownership, measurement status data base, in addition to being hull-supplier. Boat building continues, and we are up to supplying Hull J-364.



A big thank you to **Vern Rolton** for keeping the webpage up & running smoothly. And for email news and updates.

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Events in 2022



The Ferrymead skippers had a celebration to mark their 10 years of sailing on their lake. A great turn out, with a lunch at the local pub – The Valley Inn. Thanks to Jim Paterson and his team for organising this successful event in May.



Endeavour – Defender Trophy Fleet Racing 2022

Held on Saturday 5 & 6 March – on Lake Victoria

Skippers: Keith Drewitt, Bruce Laing, Mike Inns, Pete Bradley, Jim Paterson, Tom Arthur, Graham Parratt (Polly), Cliff Bishop, Glen Church.

Winners: Gold: Graham Parratt. Silver Keith Drewitt.

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The Auld Mug handicap event, was at Ferrymead Sunday 10th April.

Events managers - Tom Wilda, Jim Paterson, with Graham Parratt Race Officer. Vern Rolton managed the results.

A handicap based regatta, and may be Mark Foy or a handicap system where the object being to be ahead of your expected placing. The handicap is based on information built up from past events or applied on the day. The person placed highest against their expected finishing place wins. There are no "line honours". Prize is; *The Auld Mug*.

Winner: Denis Rump



The Winter Series is being held at Westlake

Sundays:

15 May (cancelled due to bad weather);

12 June (race day won by Keith Drewitt, with Mike Inns 2nd, and Tom Arthur 3rd);

Yet to come: 10 July; and 7 August.

Coming up

Match Racing Sunday 21st August on Lake Victoria, 2022

Online entry for the Ranger Trophy will open beginning of August.

Last year's event cancelled due to covid lockdown.

Winter sailing



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Happy sailing,
Rodney Ford,
(Newsletter editor)

On behalf of your Canterbury J Class Owners Association. CJCOA