



# MLAC Bulletin

Happy and Safe Boating!

*"Respect the Past – Create the Future"*

## NEXT OUTING

**27-28 July**  
**Engels**  
**Captain's Cook**

## March – 2024 – Summer Games

9 March 2024

Once again, the Summer Games proved to be a whole lot of fun. Games Master Tracy did not disappoint, with some interesting new games this year as well as the favourites from last year. Held at Shelley Beach on 9/03/24, 8 boats stayed overnight (Toyship, Ampolla, Carroa, Hallett, Bobcat, Independence, Kiandra, Lazy Days) and 3 boats made the day trip for the afternoon of fun. Attempts at cheating came thick and fast, but the Games Master was quick to ensure the rules were followed. Participation was key and it was great to see everyone taking part, laughing and enjoying the events.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**21-22 Sept**  
**River Mouth**

**5-7 October**  
**Myall Lakes**



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The new BBQ was fired up to cook an early dinner, to allow the day trippers to get home before dark. In a break from tradition the Huddle was held after dinner, to allow hardworking Team Independence to arrive. With the backdrop of a cracking sunset at Shelley's the Commodore conducted the huddle:

- Last outing was the successful AGM and Christmas function at Korsmans. New MLAC committee members Tracy and Shelley were welcomed. In the absence of Shelley, Robbie did a great job with the catering, following Shellie's instructions perfectly. Thanks to Tracy, Linda, Shelley and Shorty for the organising this event.
- The Bell family would like to thank all members who attended Sandy's funeral.
- Joe M is recovering well from his stroke, however we are seeking a couple of volunteers to help with the slipping of Joe and Chris's boat. Thanks to Ben and Col for volunteering.
- Sending our well wishes to Sandy R, who is receiving cancer treatment at present.
- The NPWS Heli Pad wharf is in place, adding the walkway is next.
- The floater for the Independence wharf has been refurbished.
- NPWS are upgrading the walkways on Yacaaba headland and Sunnyside campground.
- Generator etiquette - request for members to be mindful of others when utilizing their gen sets in the early morning or late evening.
- Next outing is the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Singing Bridge sail past on 6/4/24. Further details to come. There is a trophy for the best decorated boat.
- Tracy declared team Boolambayte the winners of the Summer Games 2024.

The evening continued with friendly banter and laughter to finish off another great day on the Lakes.

