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## **NEWS FROM THE PONTOONS**

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Welcome to new members of the marina fraternity. We hope you're settling in and finding your way around our marina and facilities and getting to know our longer established members.

### **Housekeeping**

There are a number of rules that apply in the marina, which are designed to make life enjoyable for all concerned. Copies are available from the marina office at no charge.

Some of the rules we need to be reminded of are:-

- One car per berth – which should display a yellow Club sticker.
- Pontoons/Walkways are to be kept clear of equipment. Hoses and mooring ropes should be coiled neatly.
- All vessels to be moored so as to ensure Bowsprits/Anchors/Dinghies/Davits do not protrude over the pontoon/walkway.
- **The marina power stands/pedestals require the use of 15 amp leads to your vessel.** - If damage is done to the power pedestals through using 10 amp leads you will incur cost of repairs.

### **Marine Watch**

The July meeting of the Marine Watch Committee once again reported no incidents in the MBTBC Marina.

Our Police Liaison Officer reported five break-ins to either cars or boats in the Manly Harbour precinct.

We are currently in need of new Pontoon captains for the following:-

- Licensed club and hardstand area
- All pontoons on the new marina
- C-D and G-H rows

Duties are light – only four meetings a year (plus the odd BBQ) and your involvement would be most welcome.

"How to Join" pamphlets for the Marine Watch program were placed on boats in the new marina over the weekend of 17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup> July. These are also available at the marina office. It costs nothing to join the program and we encourage you to make use of the engravers & stickers which are available for members.

The next Marine Watch sausage sizzle, engraving demonstration and fire drill will be in August, some time after the AGM.

Jeff Willis  
Marine Watch Coordinator