

The Traverse Board

Newsletter of the Friends Of The Paul McGuire Maritime Library Inc

July 2011

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News From The Friends

No More One And All?

SA Tall Ships Incorporated, the operators of the *One And All*, has gone into receivership from 1st July 2011. The future of the *One And All*, which is owned by the SA Government, and of the Youth Development Voyages is unclear at present.

The Government has called for proposals for the management and operation of the *One And All* in order to continue the operation of the Youth Development Voyages.

The Government's preferred option is to maintain the vessel in South Australia and retain its volunteer crews.

Proposals must be lodged by the 4th August 2011.

Whether any proposals are lodged or the vessel can be successfully operated commercially rather than on a not-for-profit basis remains to be seen.

This development puts our Youth Development Scholarship under a cloud. The 5 young people who have so far taken up our scholarship have all personally gained a great deal from their voyage on the *One And All* and it will be a great shame not to be able to continue this worthwhile program.



The *One And All* leaving Port Adelaide in May 2011 on a Youth Development Voyage.

Next Meeting

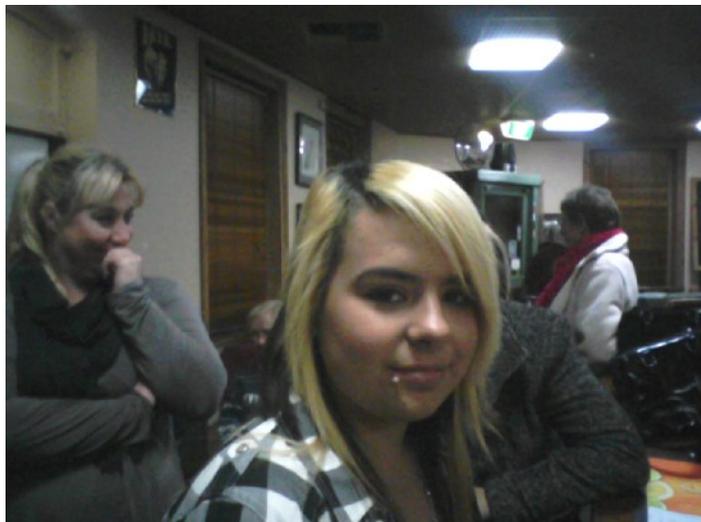
The July Meeting will feature local historian Dorothy Heinrich who will present her research on the pioneer barque, *Duke Of York* and its Captain Morgan.

Date: Sunday July 24th 2011

Time: 2:00 pm

Venue: Railway Hotel, Port Adelaide.

Cost: Donation



Avalon Oates, one of the 2011 Paul McGuire Youth Development voyage trainees, after her presentation at our May meeting. Avalon had a very rewarding 5 days on the *One And All*. There are more photos inside.

From The President: Julian's thoughts for July are to be found on page 2 due to the breaking news about the *One And All*.

Welcome to KIPA Members!

Kangaroo Island Pioneers Association members not travelling to Kingscote for the dinner on the 27th July are invited to the Friends' July meeting to hear Dorothy Heinrich's presentation on Captain Morgan and the *Duke Of York*. Please see the notice on the back page.

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The SA Maritime Museum's steam tug, *Yelta* after returning from a trip down to the ASC on 14th July 2011.

From The President

Here we are in the middle of winter already, just keeping the frost at bay, I hope. There are a few items of note, one of which was the news of the financial woes of our lovely *One And All*. It is to be hoped that ways will be found to make sure she remains South Australia's own tall ship, and not be collared by entities from elsewhere.

That to me is unthinkable.

At our last meeting in May we enjoyed meeting with Avalon Oates, one of the two young people we sponsored for a five-day voyage on the *One And All* from Port Adelaide to Wallaroo, to hear about her experiences over the five days. She was accompanied by her mentor and guardian. We look forward to hearing from the other voyager, Leon Kitek, in due course. We also enjoyed a DVD about a sailing journey across the Pacific, that Neil acquired on his recent travels to NZ and Canada.

Last month at the R.S.A.Y.S. Dr. Peter Last launched his latest book, a history of the Hardy and Hazelgrove families, and their involvement with the squadron. The chance was too good to miss, so Neil allowed the purchase of a copy, to be presented to the Paul McGuire Library in memory of our recently departed vice patron, Keith Flint. It is a wonderful book, filled with photos and anecdotes, a fitting memorial, I think.

On 24th July we have another Sunday lunchtime gathering, to hear about the pioneer ship *Duke Of York*, Captain Henry Morgan. Our guest will be Dorothy Heinrich. Please come along, I look forward to seeing you all there.

Regards Julian...



The SAMM's *Nelcebee*, the oldest powered ship on the Australian register sits on the wharf at No. 2 dock looking somewhat forlorn. The *One And All* lies contemplating her fate in the foreground.

Supporting Youth Development Voyages



The May Youth Development Voyage



Voyagers, including Avalon, centre, and Leon, right.



Leon, left, enjoying his experience



One & All – Youth Development Voyages – The Aims Of SA Tall Ships Inc.

These voyages, of up to 8 days in duration, are dubbed 'A journey of adventure and discovery'.

Participants discover strengths and abilities they never knew they had. They are invited to test themselves by stepping outside the comfort zone that surrounds them on land and discover their in-built potential that's still to be tapped. By spending time in a new and different environment one that can be both stimulating and strenuous, eye-opening and eye popping, they'll soon see what incredible feats they're capable of.

Out at sea the participants are sure to be tested but the satisfaction of completing a five day voyage under the full force of Mother Nature will linger far longer than the voyage itself.

Time at sea is a chance to take stock of where you've been, look at where you're at and start to think about where you might want to head. On the One & All you'll be part of a crew that works as a team and in harmony with the natural elements to help steer the ship to a destination point. Everyone's input is required to help keep the ship moving and to ensure it stays on course. If it were up to the elements the ship would have very little direction, it would simply go where the wind took it. You might find that it's time for you to stand up and take the helm. Rather than sit back and let life knock you about, a voyage on the One & All will show you that it's you who has the power to chart your own course.

SA Tall Ships Inc website: <http://www.satallships.com.au/index.php/volunteer-info/140>



Leon in charge!



Government of South Australia
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21 June 2011

Mr Julian Murray
President
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Dear Julian,

Please accept my thanks for the continued support by The Friends of the Paul McGuire Maritime Library for young people from our DECS Community Mentoring Program.

The sponsorship The Friends of the Paul McGuire Maritime Library has enabled young people from our program to participate in the One and All Sailing Voyages and given the opportunity for five young people to engage in a five day youth development program and experience. Most recently the opportunity was enjoyed by Leona Kuter and Avalon Oates.

The successful development of our young people to become socially, emotionally, physically and cognitively competent is a shared responsibility across schools, families and the community. Your sponsorship and partnership in this regard is greatly appreciated, valued and applauded.

Please extend our sincere thanks to all The Friends of the Paul McGuire Maritime Library members.

Kind regards,

Liz Browne
Program Manager
DECS Student Monitoring & Youth Development



Avalon Oates talking to members 30th May 2011.

Next Meeting
Sunday July 24th 2011
2:00 pm
Railway Hotel Port Adelaide
The *Duke Of York*

Wednesday 27th July 2011 marks the 175th anniversary of the arrival of the first of the official settlers at Nepean Bay, Kangaroo Island, in the new colony of South Australia aboard the barque *Duke Of York*.

The *Duke of York* carried officials of the South Australia Company, including its Manager, Samuel Stephens, and his assistant, Thomas Hudson Beare whose infant daughter Elizabeth, the youngest on the vessel, was the carried ashore to become the first official settler to set foot in SA.

To mark the occasion local historian Dorothy Heinrich will address us on her recent research on the *Duke Of York* and its Captain Morgan.

All are welcome.

If you are joining us for lunch from 12:30 pm please book your place with the hotel on 8447 1527.

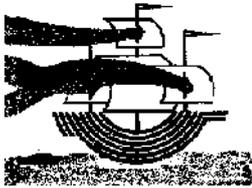
Please note that this meeting is on a Sunday afternoon, rather than the Monday evening.



Model of the *Duke Of York*

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