

November 2014 Newsletter

RNLI donation

Back at the end of May we held the harbour open day and from this, last week Ruth presented the RNLI at Macduff with a cheque for £227 and some cakes which were all gratefully received!



Winter Sailing

Just because the calendar says November it certainly doesn't deter a lot of the boats from keeping going over the winter months if the forecast is half decent. See below a couple of weekends ago a grand day out at Cullen (minus the ice cream) and a foray down to Gardenstown



Wednesday evenings

What started off as a time to carry out some repairs and get things in order on the 707s has turned in to a regular weekly meeting for club members. If you're looking for advice or would just like to come along for the craic you would be very welcome.

Competitions

There were some great entries in both competitions, the photos you can see on Facebook page and log entries will be up on the website soon, we look forward to the unveiling at the Christmas lunch. Calendars with a selection of all your photos will be available to buy there as well for £10. The annual club prize giving and 50 club draw will also take place on this day. Photos will be in next newsletter.

Coming up...

- Sunday 30th November is Xmas lunch and prize-giving at the Town & County, tickets available from Pam Peters on pamela6.peters@btinternet.com The meal is always tremendous so please make the effort to come along.
- There will be a curry and quiz night in February (date to be confirmed). If anyone fancies setting the quiz please let me know.
- If anyone has any suggestions for slideshows/talks/visits over the winter months please speak to any of the committee members

707 news

Aberdeen Uni have now been along on a couple of occasions and been out on the water, with some mixed ability the potential is there for things to progress with them. We look forward to seeing them back in Jan/Feb

The boats will be left in the water this year until around March time when there will be a quick lift out and bottom scrub.

And finally....

Next year is the 40th anniversary of the club, if you have any ideas for events to mark the occasion please put them forward to the committee.

If you are selling anything or looking to buy anything please let me know and I can include it in the next newsletter.