

## **COMMODORES REPORT: AGM DEC 2007**

Anton Gets said that having being Commodore of this Club for a number of years, he is now very proud to be in this position, the Club has grown and grown thanks to all the members who support one of the best fishing and social Clubs with everyone getting on very well together.

Thanks for all the support during the June/July busy competition period.

The club has had lots of expenses in the last two months as we had to fix the roof and other ongoing maintenance as well as the renovations to the kitchen.

There are lots of problems at the base but it's extremely difficult to get anything done at Council level, Anton has had several meetings and been pushed around from one department to the other. Council are trying to stop us washing boats and have threatened to cut off the water but legally they cannot do that. Planning now to introduce some control based on the water consumption but have been waiting for months for a water account which has still not come to hand.

Anton also met with Victor Chetty and Dave Middleton re the parking problem, an EIA will have to be done before any major changes can be made and this will take time. Eden Dunes have now built a wall on their boundary; therefore we have now lost a considerable amount of parking. Propose to introduce a one way system through the area so that we can then use one lane for parking against the wall.

There have been various proposals for development of the whole area but so far nothing viable has come to the table.

Anton thanked the committee members, the kitchen staff, Michelle and all the volunteers who help during the year as well as the staff, Mary, Sonny and Gary. We have had a pretty good year and thanks especially to Brenda for holding the ship together.