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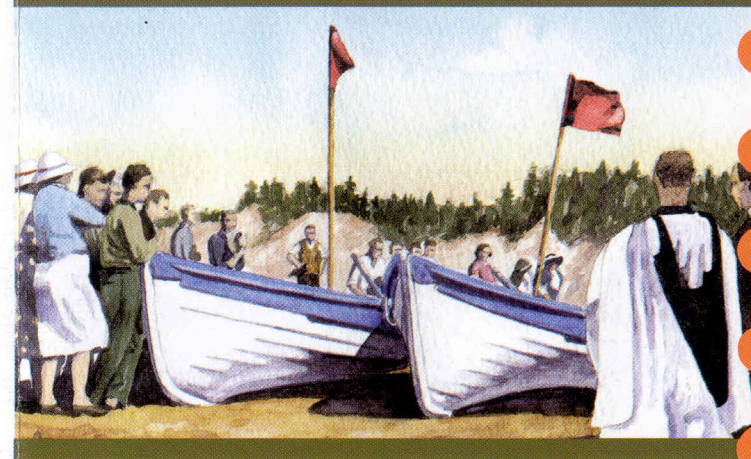
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NORFOLK ISLAND PHILATELIC BUREAU

BULLETIN #3 2010



Dear Collector,

Since I last wrote the island has been experiencing increased activity, mainly in the form of sporting events.

Generally, throughout any year we are hosts to many sporting activities associated with Golf, Tennis, Football, Bowls, Archery, Squash and Netball.

In more recent days we have hosted the inaugural *Tour de Norfolk* with 20 competitors with plans to increase this to 200 in next year's event and expanding the event to 3 days. Congratulations to the organisers and competitors.

Last weekend saw, also a first for Norfolk Island, the *Relay for Life*, held at the Norfolk Island Central School sports oval. The relay is held to raise funds for Cancer research.

There were 33 teams and more than 350 walkers participating throughout the long, cold night to the closing event at 9.00am on Sunday morning.

The opening event commenced with speeches from organisers, the Administrator and the Patron for the Relay and then all cancer survivors and carers made their way to the oval to do a lap of honour before being joined by participants.

Visiting for the occasion was, New Zealand marathon runner, Alec "Macca" McKenzie, who, at the end of the event set a world record for running on grass. He ran 160km in 24 hours, and as if that was not enough, he pushed on to complete 200km in under 30 hours.

The *Relay for Life* event has raised, at the time of writing, \$12,000. The goal is \$20,000 and I am sure once all donations have been received, Norfolk Island will recognise its goal.

Norfolk Island, a small community with a big heart.

The next stamp issue is the History of Whaling in Norfolk Island.

Not always a well received topic in this day, however, this issue pays homage to the whales who were sacrificed during difficult economic times on Norfolk Island prior to and post WWII.

Until next time.

*The Norfolk Island
 Philatelic Bureau Team*



NEW STAMP ISSUES



The History of Whaling in Norfolk Island

The earliest recorded account of whaling operations carried out by the early Pitcairn settlers on Norfolk Island was November 1858, when 2 whale boats were purchased from visiting American whalers.

The men were good seamen and the industry proved to be a lucrative one and in a short period of time 120 barrels of oil worth 500 pounds were produced.

The whaling industry, in hard economic times and an isolated community, gave the people of Norfolk Island the ability to have a better way of life. The money earned from this industry fed families, assisted in the purchase of books, clothes, farming equipment and tools.

In 1956 a more modern whaling station was built at Cascade. Modern chasers were used to catch the whales. The station's quota of whales each season was 150 and the season went from June to October each year. The quota increased to 170 per season until closure of the station in 1962.



In 1962 the station caught only 4 whales and the whole whaling operation was closed forever.

The 4 stamps in this issue depict:

- Blessing of the boats 60c
- Launching the boats 60c
- Women on cliff tops burning fires to show the way to the shore \$1.20
- A better way of life for families \$3.00

Whales have returned to the waters around Norfolk Island and can be seen during their migration. The people of Norfolk Island pay tribute to these powerful sea creatures and to the men who lost their lives supporting our community.

Release date for this issue is 16th August 2010.

TECHNICAL DETAILS

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Print Qty:	15,000 sets



HISTORY OF WHALING



*The men on the boat strain hard at the oars,
As they head for the whale and away from the shores.
Up at the bow the harpoon man stands,
The steel-shafted harpoon held tight in his hands.*

Bureau housekeeping for 2010

No longer available:

- Seabirds Part 1 - FDCs;
- Hibiscus Sets;
- Day Lilies Booklets;
- Year Books - 1998, 2003 and 2004.

Credit card details:

Customers who purchase orders using their credit cards may like to check that their card and expiry dates are up to date. If you wish to increase or decrease your authorised amount please inform the bureau and we can update this information on your file.

Christmas gift ideas:

With Christmas now only 5 months away the Bureau does have a few items that may be of interest for Gifts:

- The beginners pack Junior Stamp Albums reasonably priced at \$14.95;
- The Seven Seas supplement sheets to wet the appetite of prospective stamp collectors priced at \$21.90 per year;
- Medallions – Cupro Nickel \$32.70 or Silver \$76.30 – great gift ideas.
- Norfolk Post Eco Shopping bags \$2.85 each.

Please contact us if we can assist with any of these items or just fill in the attached order form.

Issues for 2010

Year Book 2009, Norfolk Island Museum Artefacts – Definitive, Return of Cruise Ships to Norfolk Island, They came aboard the Morayshire, The History of Whaling, Christmas 2010, World Bowls Championship 2010 and Year Book 2010.

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