East Fremantle Yacht Club Sizzle on a Skate Day

2nd April 2011

A good day was had by all those who took part in the Sizzle on a Skate Day at East Fremantle Yacht Club on Saturday 2nd April.

Although the winds were light pussy easterlies that are not associated with hair-raising rides on a Skate they did provide ideal safe conditions for younger sailors and novices to get a feel for it.

About 40 turned up for the day which we thought was a good turnout given it clashed with the opening rounds of the amateur footy comps and an Eagles and Dockers game.

Those that came certainly enjoyed the legendary hospitality of the Skate fraternity and even if they don't join us for the sailing they were tempted by the lifestyle.

The barbie on the go all afternoon with the sizzle of the quality sausages and a seemingly endless supply of cold refreshments from the sections big esky.

Of course all the yarns and excitement of rides on the big plank were shared under sun smart shelter.

The day provided a positive image for the class, some new friends and some possible boat sales.

I'm sure the success of the day will lead us to have more such days in the future and we would recommend it as a good way to promote the class where ever you are.

Thanks to all the guys in the Skate section for doing their bit to make the day a success.

Regards George Sloan "Gobstopper"