## 41 CLUB NEW ZEALAND PRESIDENTS REPORT - 2010

It is with great pleasure I present to you my Presidents report for the 2010 "Over the Top" Annual General Meeting.

For those whom are unaware my job as Marine Engineer has seen me working in various parts of the Pacific and Indian Ocean and as such has meant I have spent large amounts of this year out of New Zealand.

While it is customary to thank those who have assisted in the usual successful running of the National Executive, in my particular situation I cannot thank these people enough as they have kept 41 club NZ fully functioning in my absence.

I refer in particular to our Secretary/Treasurer Bill Hammond, IRO Derek Johns, Webmaster Peter Buchart, Graeme Haymes and Bill Yardley our outgoing executive. Lastly especially to my partner Judy Murphy, without whose efforts I could not have successfully maintained my position.

It has not been an overly active year and things just seem to have ticked by with the usual International correspondence etc etc. which was dealt with appropriately.

One outcome was that we elected to pay half the basic International Sub which as per the rules we were entitled to do as we are outside the Euro Zone.

Our thanks to John Bellwood (our International President at the time) for his guidance on this.

Our International President Matti Hinttala sends his apologies and wishes us a successful Annual General Meeting.

We as a club have worked hard together to deliver what we hope will be a good convention and without our committed team, this weekend would just not be possible – a big thank you to you all.

I have enjoyed the year serving as your President and wish Alan Nimmo from Nelson and his team all the very best for a successful term and convention in 2011

Yours in 41 Club

Barry O'Callaghan