



Royal Newcastle Aero Club

Windsock Tails...
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Hello Everyone,

Welcome to “**RNAC Windsock Tails**”, #010.

This has been a little while coming, however I think most members will enjoy the content... First, you must look at the You Tube video below. It is a reconstruction of the Airbus landing in the Hudson River. It is computer generated from the black box data and is really amazing.

There are many learnings from this event, but from the student pilot perspective or for those who maybe a little rusty on emergencies, take very special note of the established glide airspeed, and then take note of the airspeed from about 250ft before splashdown. Also, note the very subtle, but continuous changes in nose attitude throughout the glide.

The entire flight, from beginning to end was about 7 minutes.

I found this video really interesting, I hope you do as well...

https://www.youtube.com/embed/tE_5eiYn0D0?t=109



And now a very quick story to completely finish our Tiger restoration project. Many of you would know that our very famous VH-RNI has been back in the air since September last year. The recent news is that the donation supporters plaque is now affixed to the aircraft. See photo below...



I would invite all interested pilots to come and have a good look at our beautiful Tiger.

RNAC Changes....

From the 1st of April 2017, all RNAC email addresses have been changed so if you have a need to contact the club, please take note of the following..

office@rnac.com.au :To contact the club for general enquiries and bookings.

instructor@rnac.com.au : To contact RNAC instructors.

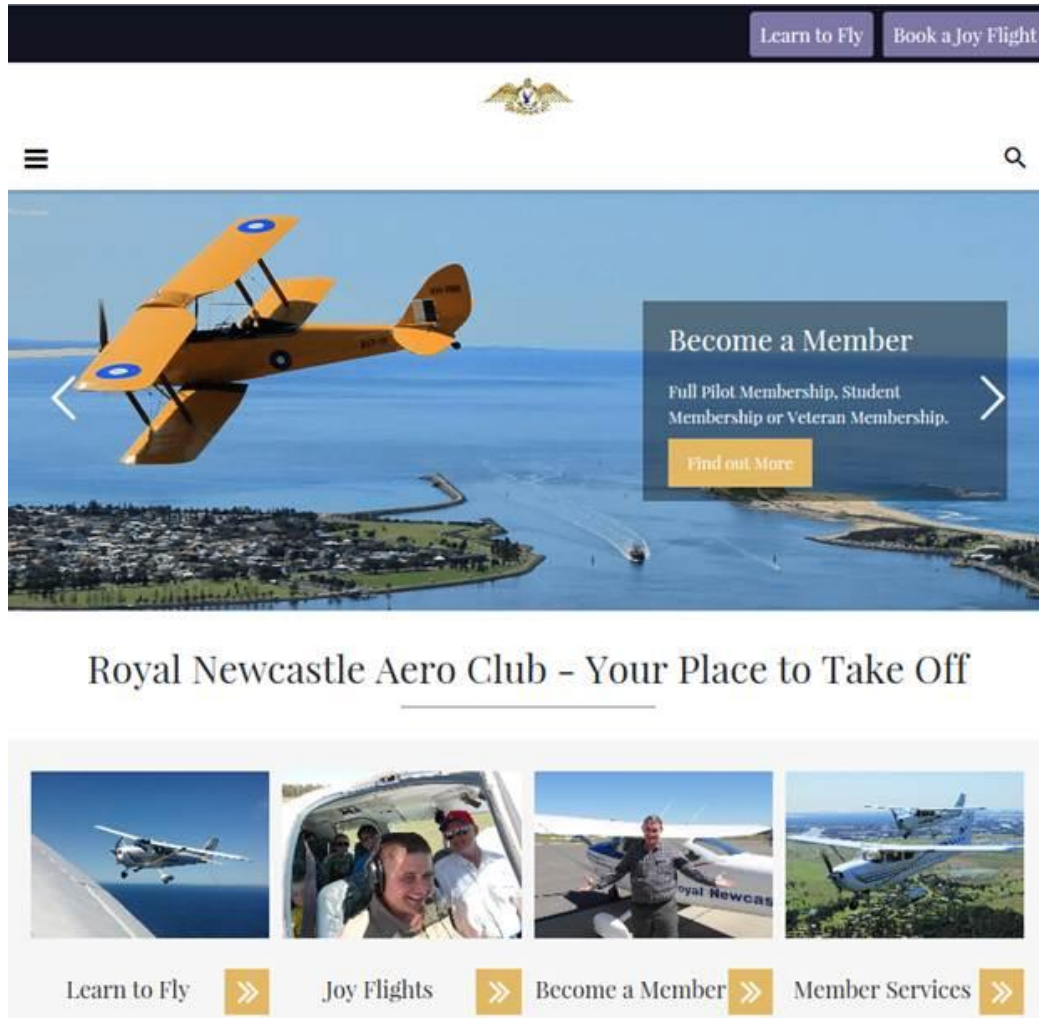
cfi@rnac.com.au : To contact RNAC, Chief Flying Instructor, Phil.

lyn@rnac.com.au: To contact Lyn for all other enquiries.

The old *westnet* email addresses will operate in parallel for a month or so but will be retired soon.

RNAC Web Page Upgrade...

The RNAC web site is being upgraded. I am hopeful that it will be ready on or before the new financial year. Below is a sneak peek at some early progress...



I should point out that this is in development and may change before the final release.

OK, that's enough for now... Hope to have another *Windsock Tails* out soon...

Very kind regards, Trevor.

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