



# BLOWING IN THE WIND

CYC Keelboat and Dinghy newsletter  
*10<sup>th</sup> October 2022*

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> October-Keelboats-2pm- Club Start-

Race 2 of Sydney Stubbs Series

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> October-Dinghies-10am-

## KEELBOAT NEWS

**Crew Sign On Sheet** It is the responsibility for ALL Skippers and crew to sign on before EVERY race. Before the Saturday race, the Chief Starter will have the file in the bar area and then will take it to the Start Box. We MUST keep these details for a requirement from Australian Sailing.

If skippers do not sign on we may need to go down the path of disqualification!! So do the right thing and sign on before heading out to your boat.

**Sailing Committee Meeting: Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November**

## KEELBOAT CALENDAR

### OCTOBER

15-Oct-22	SAT	1400	*CLUB START <a href="#"><u>(Race 2 "Sydney Stubbs" Series)</u></a>
22-Oct-22	SAT	1400	*CLUB START <a href="#"><u>(Race 3 "Sydney Stubbs" Series)</u></a> SS22 Association State Heat 1-RFBYC
29 Oct-22	SAT	1400	*CLUB START <a href="#"><u>(Race 4 "Sydney Stubbs" Series)</u></a>

### **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> October-Keelboat and Club Opening Day**

Our new Rear Commodore of Sail (Craig Feakes) ordered perfect weather for Opening Day 2022. Wilma dressed up the start box with naval pennants accordingly...if you know your flags...you would know that it said "CYC Open Day 2022". We had 15-17kts of breeze forecast...and it came in around that to start with, then petered out to just a zephyr at the end. The opening day sailing fleet consisted of 7 keelboats and 8 dinghies. The Sail Past looked great.

Our new Rear Commodore of Sail showed us all how it is done by shooting out to the front and staying there – beating us all home by a leg. Kiboko decided to take some soundings and found Karrakatta Bank easily...but having a swing keel...was not bothered for long. Krista decided to do some last-minute maintenance, which resulting in the main halyard getting stuck, requiring the mast to be lowered (twice!) before the start. They missed the start by 5 minutes and spent the day playing catch-up! Out front...we had "Seamist VI" leading by a longshot followed by "Beagle" "Kiboko". "Beaujolais", "Koolama", "Krista" and "Paprika" rounded out the fleet.

After the race, the bar was buzzing and the food was great. Our staff and volunteers did us proud on the day. A great day was had by all.

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## Thank You



**Without our volunteers we would not be able to go out and enjoy the sport that we love.  
So it is important to thank these people.**

**Thanks to our Duty starters for:**

**Saturday October 8th: Robert Jeffery, Wilma Poland, Allan Austin & Andrew Caddick. Also a big thank you to Jaquie who has come from the Krista Sailing School group.**

**Also, a big thank you to Ross Campbell and crew from Koolama for laying the Burnside buoys. As well as Tim and Allen from Dinghy section for manning the Lloyd Anderson and retrieving the Burnside Buoys.**

**Finally a big thank you to our intrepid Comm Dom for all the work he put in over the off season as Acting Rear Commodore for Sailing as well as running the Krista Sailing School which attracted a huge number of new crew for CYC skippers.**

## DINGHY NEWS

### DINGHY CALENDAR

16 Oct-22    SUN    1000    Club Race  
23 Oct-22    SUN    1000    Windward Series Race 1  
30 Oct-22    SUN    1000    Club Race

### Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> October-Dinghy Opening Day

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