



Safety Beach Sailing Club

Keelboat E-News

18th December 2018

Firstly, we would like to thank Rod Smallman for his amazing efforts as Keelboat Club Captain over the last three months. In a very short time he has achieved an amazing amount and has certainly been instrumental in getting us all back on track and the positive vibe around the club.

We all enjoyed and thrived on his passion and enthusiasm

Unfortunately, Rod has had to resign from the role due to medical reasons.

From all of us – Big Thank You Rod, Good Health and See you on the Water.



On another note we received some great news over the weekend.

Mark McAuliffe from *Lady Casandra* has put up his hand for the job of Keelboat Club Captain. Mark will spend the next few weeks settling into the role and sure you will hear from him in the very near future.

If you see Mark around the club, make sure you go and give him a big thanks and a pat on the back.

NEW Format for Results and Start Sheets

We have recently introduced a new format for our results pages and start sheets.

Go and check out the NEW Results Page at

<http://www.topyacht.net.au/results/sbsc/2018/kb/index.htm>

For the Pursuit Races each competitor will need to go to the relevant page and print off the start sheet for that race. We will provide the link, but the rest is up to you!!! If you have any questions just drop us a line at keelboat@sbsc.net.au

SAIL PENINSULA 2019

Things are full steam ahead with Sail Peninsula 2019.

We have several new faces on the Committee and have just locked in some GREAT new sponsors including Snooks Catering, Phaedrus Estate & Stumpy Gully Wines. Thank you for supporting the regatta and SBSC.

It is now up to our skippers and crew to get on board and register for the regatta at <http://sailpeninsula.com.au/>



**PETERSVILLE
REGATTA**



It is less than 2 weeks till the Petersville Regatta 2018 at Blairgowrie YS.

Get your entry in now before it is too late <http://www.petersvilleregatta.com.au/>

TOWER NEWS

Last Week's Race Results:

Friday 14th December 2018 Sport Phillip Marine Friday Pursuit Series #1 - Race 9 Results

1 st	Savara	SB33	Greg Murcott
2 nd	X to Sea	SB777	Graeme Ainslie
3 rd	Jaslyn	SB331	Phil Wooley

Many thanks to the Tower Team of Michael, Des and the *Whiskers Crew*

Sport Phillip Marine Friday Pursuit #1 - Series Scores:

1 st	Fransiska	880	Peter Morrison
2 nd	Détente	M32	Ross Churcher
3 rd	Lady Cassandra	SB423	Mark McAuliffe

Sunday 16 December 2018 Sunday Pursuit Series - Race #2 Results

Great to see 11 boats out for the second of our Sunday Pursuit Series races.

The conditions were rather trying at the start until a very pleasant NW breeze kicked in to see everyone get around the course in very tidy fashion.

Congratulations to:

1 st	After Midnight	SB8778	Stephen Richardson
2 nd	Razor's Edge	SB300	George Bulka
3 rd	Tripod	121	Michel Van der Zwaard

Big thanks to Judy and the team from *Lady Cassandra* for a sterling job in the tower.

Next Week's Races:

Friday 21st December 2018 Fun Friday Pursuit Series with Spinnakers

First warning at 17:55Hrs

Start Sheet available at <http://www.topyacht.net.au/results/sbcs/2018/kb/ftp18/01entr.htm>

On Tower Duty:

R.O. is Di Jackson plus three crew from *Necessit'e*. Tower Officers need to be in the tower at 16:45H

NOTE:

Spinnakers MAY be used. Yachts electing to use a spinnaker MUST notify the tower when signing on.

Those planning to use a spinnaker will incur a **3-minute** time penalty that will be applied to the boat's start time.

Sunday 23rd December 2018 Xmas Series Race #1

First Warning Signal at 13:25H

On Tower Duty:

On Tower Duty is Greg and Pauline Cleaver from *Mr Bojangles*.

Tower Officers need to be in the tower at 12:15H

Fellow Sailors, when a member steps down from a position in the club, the Committee thanks them for all their voluntary work but rarely do the general membership know or get the opportunity to thank the member for their efforts.

Recently Roy Aldrich stepped down from his position as Chair of Sail Peninsula, a sub-committee he has been on since the formation of Sail Peninsula in 2016. Roy has worked tirelessly putting all the artwork, both printed and digital, together making a huge impact on our marketing and has put Sail Peninsula firmly on the Victorian sailing calendar.

The success of Sail Peninsula has been due to Roy's hard work in the marketing and management of the Regatta to date, all of which hasn't gone un noticed.

Roy also has been the architect of our Tower Race Management systems and protocols that are the envy of many clubs, this again has been Roy's baby and is serving us very well complimented with the camera recording system which has saved a lot of disputes.

Without the tower management the KB racing fleet doesn't exist so if you see Roy around the club please take the time to thank him for all that he has done.

Roy enjoy your second run at retirement



SBSC Race Management

XMAS OCEAN RACES

We would like to wish all our SBSC yachts competing in this year's off shore races a fast and safe passage

We will all be following you closely on the race trackers

Patriot	Jason Close & Crew	Sydney to Hobart
Maverick	Rod Smallman & Thomas Vaughan	Melbourne to Hobart
Rogue	David Phillips & Crew	Melbourne to Devonport
Wingara	John Hall & Crew	Melbourne to Devonport