

BLOWING IN THE WIND

NEWLETTER FOR SAILING AND DINGHY SECTIONS OF CYC

3-7-18

KEELBOAT NEWS

Upcoming Events

Sunday 15th July-Frostbite-2pm

Sunday 5th August-Frostbite-2pm

Please note that Sailing Season 2018/19 we will ONLY be sailing on Saturday afternoons and no Sundays (the only Sunday we will sail will be for the Commodore's Cup race on 17th March 2019) We will still be sailing our usual Wednesday night Twilights as well.

This year we have been able to get our sailing program booklet printed. This booklet includes the Keelboat Sailing Instructions, Courses and program.

These documents are also available on the Club Website in the Sailing section.

"WINTER ""FROSTBITE"" SERIES 2018"

15-Jul-18	SUN	1400	Winter Frostbite Race (combined Keelboat/Dinghy)
05-Aug-18	SUN	1400	Winter Frostbite Race (combined Keelboat/Dinghy)
19-Aug-18	SUN	1400	Winter Frostbite Race (combined Keelboat/Dinghy)
02-Sep-18	SUN	1400	Winter Frostbite Race (combined Keelboat/Dinghy)
16-Sep-18	SUN	1400	Winter Frostbite Race (combined Keelboat/Dinghy)

(note: all Winter Frostbite races only use twilight courses 15 and 16 - watch the flags)

Reminders:

**Rostered Starter for Frostbite for Sunday 17th July is: Robert Jeffery.
Rostered Starter for Frostbite for Sunday 5th August is : Wilma Poland**

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.

Thank You to our Starters for Sunday 18th June-Robert Jeffery.

Thank You to our Starters for Sunday 1st July-Wilma Poland & Wally Giles

Without these kind members, giving up their time on Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays we would not be able to enjoy the racing and friendship and CYC.

Thank you very much for the time that you put in at CYC to enable us to go sailing.

Big thank you to all our hard working Starters. Led by Robert Jeffery and Wilma Poland. Aably assisted by Andrew Caddick, Sarah Steinhardt, Joan Austin, Kingsley Porter and Colin and Margaret Cook. Thank You so much for what you do for the Sailing Section of CYC

Sunday 1st July

Each month during Winter we are running a FROSTBITE RACE for any yacht or dinghy whose crew are prepared for an enjoyable sail on our "not-so-busy today" but beautiful Swan River. These races take place, wind and conditions permitting on the FIRST and THIRD SUNDAY in each month and only use the twilight courses of 15 or 16. Robert Jeffery and I are taking it in turns to run these so if you are not able to sail perhaps you would like to join us in the Start Box.

Four yachts and six lasers enjoyed the light breezes of the afternoon. Serana, Theseus, Panache and of course Beaujolais. Beaujolais crossed the line first and was able to stay in front for the majority of the race. Course 16 is a bit tricky in as much as the first mark is Claremont Spit but after passing Burnside Spit on the return run a skipper must head and go round College and then the rest of the spit posts of the Karrakatta Bank. Today Theseus were having such a good time that they forgot to go to College but having a good time is just as important. Panache decided to pick up a mooring in Mosman Bay and sort out a halyard problem but finished correctly. Beaujolais took line honours with Theseus then Panache and finally Serana. All in all a good time was had by everyone. Results for Frostbites are "over the line" but there will be a prize for the yacht that does the most number of races so "come on down" and enjoy the river and the Club. Chef Aaron is always on hand with tasty hot food and the bar staff with a long cold beer, glass of wine or soft drink. The six lasers were able to do three rounds of their course and there were no laser sailors appeared to be practicing self-righting procedures. Perhaps the water was a little cold for that! My thanks to Wally Giles for his assistance in the box and to the Dinghy rescue crew although fortunately their assistance was not required today.

Wilma Poland

DINGHY NEWS

This year we have been able to get our Dinghy program booklet printed. This booklet includes the Dinghy Sailing Instructions, Courses and program.

These documents are also available on the Club Website in the Dinghy section.

Dinghy Program will be included in the Booklet which will be available on Club Opening Day on Saturday 14th October

Please see Keelboat section for Frostbite Dates

Thanks to all the Volunteers for the Dinghy Section

Starters

Jim Murray
Judith Lithgo
Wally Giles
Chris Mews
Alan Gibson

Course Setting

Bob Brereton
Peter Korcsek

RCS Dinghies

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**Please note articles need to reach Ann Caddick by Monday evening for your article to be included in that weeks BIW.
If you are sending them to the Office please try to do it by Monday otherwise send straight to AC. Thanks**