



What's On

THIS WEEK IN SAILING AT KBSC

IRON POT RACE

Get ready for an exciting day on the water with a Marathon Race around Iron Pot – followed by a relaxed Sausage Sizzle and fun for all ages!

Race Info:

- Separate Junior and Senior courses
- Race around Iron Pot and back!
- All sailors welcome
- Fun prizes up for grabs!
- RS Feva's and Corsairs available for hire (contact Sophie for more information)

Cost will be \$10 for adults and \$5 for children. Click [HERE](#) to register.

WOMENS & GIRLS REGATTA

Its that time again! Start getting your crews ready for this years Womens and Girls Regatta.

Click [HERE](#) to register



REGISTRATION FEES:
• OPEN CATAMARANS - \$70
• OPEN MONOHULLS - \$70
• INTERMEDIATES - \$70
• JUNIORS - \$35
• GREEN FLEET - \$35

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WHEN REGISTERING

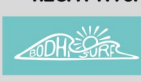
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REGISTRATIONS
NOW OPEN!!
**BOHDI SURF'S
KBSC 2025
WOMENS AND
GIRLS REGATTA**

DATE: 14-15TH JUNE
LOCATION: KBSC

BIG THANK YOU TO OUR
REGATTA SPONSORS!



Both Men and Ladies
are able to compete,
however each boat
must have a Lady
Skipper!



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FLEET TRAINING

Tuesday 20th (3:30pm-6pm): Laser Squad and Sliver Fleet @ Clubhouse

Wednesday 21st (3:30pm-5:30pm): Green Fleet 2 @ Causeway

Wednesday 21st (3:30pm-6pm): 29er Squad and RS Feva Squad @ Clubhouse

Thursday 22nd (3:30pm-6pm): Laser Fleet @ Clubhouse

Friday 23rd (3:30pm-6pm): Laser Fleet @ Clubhouse

Sunday 25th (8am-10:30am): Green Fleet 1 and Tackers 1, 2 & 3 @ Causeway

Monday 26th (3:30pm-6pm): 29er Squad Sabot/O'Skiff Squad @ Clubhouse

FRIDAY NIGHT RAFFLES

Clubhouse Volunteer 6-7pm: **Scantlebury Family**

Spinnaker Volunteer 6-7pm: **Byrt Family**

Please note: New raffle ticket sales time will be from 6-7pm.

SATURDAY - IRON POT RACE

We will be sailing from the Clubhouse, road closure will be in place.
Café will be will ONLY be open 6am-2pm.

Briefing at 10am, with racing starting from 10:30am.

Club Officer of the Day: Sandra Byrt

PRO: Carole Gifford

Start Boat (Muriel D): Carole Gifford & Bluey Harris

Rescue Boat 1 (Georgie B): Jim Cox & Daniel Franceschin

Rescue Boat 2 (Carole G): Sophie Baynton & Chris Crone

Rescue Boat 3 (Barbara R): Joe O'Shaughnessy & Damian Byrt

Shore Party: Sandra Byrt, Amy Fee & Rebecca Tarring (BBQ)

SUNDAY RACING - CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS RACES 9 & 10

We will be sailing from the Clubhouse, road closure will be in place. Café will be OPEN from 6am - Click [HERE](#) to check out the menu.

Briefing at 12:30pm, with racing starting from 1:15pm.

Club Officer of the Day: Sandra Byrt

PRO: Wayne Newton

Start Boat (Muriel D): Wayne Newton, Carole Gifford & Sandra Byrt

Rescue Boat 1 (Georgie B): Diane Gallais & Joella Curtis

Rescue Boat 2 (Carole G): Andrew Finch & Bluey Harris

Rescue Boat 3 (Barbara R): John Acworth & Camille Harrison

Shore Party: Ros Franceschin & Haley Case

MACKAY FESTIVAL OF SAILS REGATTA (31st-1st June)

If you are wishing to charter a club boat or are needing assistance transporting boats for the Mackay Festival of Sails, please get in contact with Conrad (conrad.byrt@kbsc.com.au).

Click [HERE](#) to register or for more information.



Committee Members

We thought it was the perfect time to reintroduce the 2024–25 Keppel Bay Sailing Club Board of Directors and Sailing Committee. These dedicated individuals work hard behind the scenes to ensure the success and smooth operation of our club and sailing activities.

If you have any comments, questions, or concerns, please feel free to approach any of the following committee members for a chat — they're always happy to help.

Board of Directors

Commodore: Sandra Byrt

Vice-Commodore: Wayne Newton

Board Members: Derek Scantlebury, Glen Crone, April Acworth, Karryn Johnson

Sailing Committee

Wayne Newton (Vice Commodore), Frances Grueger (Rear Commodore), Chris Crone, Bevan Newton and Blake Newton



South Passage

This week, the 2025 Gifford and Byrt Family Bursary South Passage recipients will set sail on their unforgettable 4-day voyage to Mackay. Congratulations to Morgan Bridgeman, Jack Tarring, Nora Leon, and Emily Franceschin, who have been awarded this prestigious bursary.

We wish these young sailors fair winds and smooth sailing as they embark on this exciting journey. We look forward to hearing all about their experiences upon their return!





Volunteer Roster

KBSC Club Racing

PLEASE NOTE: We would appreciate if volunteers that are rostered on please arrived at Clubhouse by **10:30am** at the latest. There are numerous jobs that we need a hand with on Sunday mornings including: driving the tractor, checking fuel in the RIBs, launching the RIBs to greet Muriel D and Georgie B. It would also be appreciated that you pack away RIBs and help with pack up at the end of the day.

Many hands make light work!

| NAME | START TIME | EVENT | OFFICER OF THE DAY | START BOAT Muriel D | SAFETY BOAT Georgie B | SAFETY BOAT Carole G | SAFETY BOAT Barbara R | SHORE PARTY |
|--|--|-------------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | PRO | | | | | |
| Saturday 24th May Clubhouse | 10am | Iron Pot Race | Sandra Byrt | Carole Gifford | Jim Cox | Sophie Baynton | Joe O'Shaughnessy | Sandra Byrt |
| | | | Carole Gifford | Bluey Harris | Daniel Franceschin | Chris Crone | Damian Byrt | Amy Fee |
| | | | Carole Gifford | Bluey Harris | Daniel Franceschin | Chris Crone | Damian Byrt | Rebecca Tarring (BBQ) |
| Sunday 25th May Clubhouse | 1:15pm | Club Championships Race 9 & 10 | Sandra Byrt | Wayne Newton | Diane Gallais | Andrew Finch | John Acworth | Ros Franceschin |
| | | | Carole Gifford | Carole Gifford | | | | |
| | | | Carole Gifford | Sandra Byrt | Joella Curtis | Bluey Harris | Camille Harrison | Haley Case |
| Saturday 31st May - Sunday 1st June | Mackay Festival of Sails Regatta - Click HERE to register or for more information. | | | | | | | |
| Sunday 8th June Clubhouse | 1:15pm | Seasons End Handicap Races 4, 5 & 6 | Francois Gallais | Francois Gallais | Diane Gallais | Frances Grueger | Joe O'Shaughnessy | Amy Fee |
| | | | Carole Gifford | Carole Gifford | | | | |
| | | | Carole Gifford | April Acworth | Daniel Franceschin | Sophie Baynton | Camille Harrison | Rebecca Tarring |
| Saturday 14th - Sunday 15th June | Bohdi Surf's KBSC Womens and Girls Regatta 2025 - More information coming soon. | | | | | | | |
| Sunday 22nd June Clubhouse | 12:30pm | Winter Series Races 1, 2 & 3 | Wayne Newton | Wayne Newton | Jim Cox | Bevan Newton | Sarah Jane McNeil | Chris Crone |
| | | | Sandra Byrt | Sandra Byrt | | | | |
| | | | Sandra Byrt | Joella Curtis | Glen Crone | Bluey Harris | Yosune Hernandez | Julia Butt-Faulkner |
| Sunday 29th June Clubhouse | 12pm | Autumn Ocean Race | Francois Gallais | Francois Gallais | Joe O'Shaughnessy | Fran Grueger | Andrew Finch | Amy Fee |
| | | | Carole Gifford | Carole Gifford | | | | |
| | | | Carole Gifford | Sandra Byrt | Diane Gallais | Joella Curtis | Chris Crone | Rebecca Tarring |
| Sunday 20th July Clubhouse | 12:30pm | Winter Series Races 4, 5 & 6 | Conrad Byrt | Conrad Byrt | Damian Byrt | Damon Stover | Fraser Platts | Sandra Byrt |
| | | | Tim Larkin | Tim Larkin | | | | |
| | | | Blake Newton | Blake Newton | Stella Kenny | Sarah Lawrence | Craig Brown | Haley Case |



Raffle Roster

PLEASE NOTE:

If you are unable to sell tickets on your designated night, it is your responsibility to arrange a swap and advise the Sailing Regatta Office by emailing sophie.baynton@kbsc.com.au

Please contact Regatta Office if you wish to have your name removed from the roster.

FRIDAY NIGHT RAFFLES VOLUNTEER'S NEEDED

Are you available to assist with Friday Night Raffles??

If so, please get in contact with the sailing department to discuss availability.

As part of doing Raffles, you may be eligible to apply for Financial Assistance.



Click the link [HERE](#) to read our Financial Assistance Policy.

| DATE | SPINNAKER | CLUBHOUSE |
|----------------|--|--|
| 23rd May | Byrt Family | Scantlebury Family |
| 30th May | Tim Dau & Daryl Skinner | Fee Family |
| 6th June | Franceschin Family & Nora Leon Hernandez | Tim Larkin & Blake Newton |
| 13th June | Camille Gallais & Stella Kenny | Sophie Baynton & Fran Grueger |
| 27th June | Conrad Byrt & Fraser Platts | Crone Family |
| 4th July | Scantlebury Family | Gallais Family |
| 11th July | Fee Family | Byrt Family |
| 18th July | Tim Larkin & Blake Newton | Tim Dau & Daryl Skinner |
| 25th July | Sophie Baynton & Fran Grueger | Franceschin Family & Nora Leon Hernandez |
| 1st August | Crone Family | Camille Gallais & Stella Kenny |
| 8th August | Gallais Family | Conrad Byrt & Fraser Platts |
| 15th August | Byrt Family | Scantlebury Family |
| 22nd August | Tim Dau & Daryl Skinner | Fee Family |
| 29th August | Franceschin Family & Nora Leon Hernandez | Tim Larkin & Blake Newton |
| 5th September | Camille Gallais & Stella Kenny | Sophie Baynton & Fran Grueger |
| 12th September | Conrad Byrt & Fraser Platts | Crone Family |
| 19th September | Scantlebury Family | Gallais Family |
| 26th September | Fee Family | Byrt Family |
| 3rd October | Tim Larkin & Blake Newton | Tim Dau & Daryl Skinner |
| 10th October | Sophie Baynton & Fran Grueger | Franceschin Family & Nora Leon Hernandez |



Upcoming Events

KBSC

UPCOMING LEARN TO SAIL COURSES

SCAN QR CODE FOR
MORE INFORMATION



From tackers to professionals, from social sailors to competitors, Keppel Bay Sailing Club has it all. Talk to our friendly sailing team about how you and your family can get involved in the fabulous sport of sailing



ADULT SOCIAL SAILING

We will be offering a 1 hour session each Friday from 10am-11am. Cost \$35pp

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TO BOOK!



TACKERS

Tackers is an introductory, fun, game-based sailing program designed for kids aged 6 to 12. Cost: \$190.00

START SAILING

Start Sailing 1 covers the basics of sailing in a safe, supportive environment. Cost: \$200.00

Course Dates:

- 15-16th March
- 28-29th June

SHESAILS START SAILING

SheSails are women's only learn to sail courses. Run for Women by Women!

Course Dates: 10-11th May

Course Dates:

- Term 1 (2nd Feb-30th March)
- 5 - 8th April
- Term 2 (27th March-22nd June)

31ST MAY - 1ST JUNE 2025

MACKAY

Festival OF Sails

NEW VENUE!

Seaforth QLD

ACCOMMODATION:

Camp onsite @ Seaforth Camping Reserve

HIRE:

Club Bics + Sabot

SATURDAY NIGHT ON SHORE:

\$5 Barefoot Bowls + \$26 Snitty includes buffet & a pot of beer, glass of wine or can of softdrink.



REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN:

www.revolutionise.com.au/mackaysailing/events/294632

GREEN FLEET
JUNIOR FLEET
OPEN SENIOR
OPEN CATAMARAN
WINDSURFER



Click [HERE](#) to register or for more information.

Click [HERE](#) to view the NOR.

Accommodation - Seaforth Camping Reserve is a council run caravan park directly next to the regatta site. When booking, tell the Caravan park your with the Mackay Sailing club and they will place you on a site alongside your competitors.

Camping (up to 6 people per site, \$30 per site). Bookings for the Camping can be made via the Seaforth Booking Office - 0427 373 358 or (07) 4966 4359.



GREEN FLEET RACE DAY!!

TIME: 11AM-2PM
7TH JUNE 2025

Keppel Bay Sailing Club is excited to host monthly Green Fleet Race Days at Causeway Lake — and you're invited!

Who Can Join?

- Green Fleet 1 & Green Fleet 2 Sailors
- RS Feva Fleet Sailors (with separate races run just for Fevas!)

This is a fantastic opportunity to:

- Practice your sailing skills
- Gain race experience in a fun and supportive environment
- Get out on the water with friends

RSVP TODAY!!

Click [HERE](#) to RSVP for JUNE!

KBSC Presentation Night 2025

Come and celebrate another great year of sailing with us! Winners of the Club Racing Series and Special awards will be announced.

Purchase your tickets TODAY to avoid missing out!!

Cost: \$50.00 (Adults), \$20.00 (Child under 12yrs)

The Dress Code for this year's event will be Smart Casual/Cocktail attire, Under the Sea themed. Presentation Night will be held at 5pm at the Clubhouse

Saturday 12th July

Click [HERE](#) to purchase your tickets.
(Bookings are open now and close Monday 7th July)