



What's On

THIS WEEK IN SAILING AT KBSC

CLUB RACING DATE CHANGES

Due to regatta clashes or bad weather, the following club race days have been rescheduled to the dates below:

- Winter Series Race, 4, 5 & 6: 9th August
- Winter Series Race, 7 & 8: 16th August

PLAY ON VOUCHERS

The new round of \$200 Play On! Sports vouchers are now available.

Click [HERE](#) for more info!

These can be redeemed for Youth Sail or Fleet training.
Email Sophie - sailing@kbsc.com.au

YOUTH SAIL



Youth Sail Registrations are live!
Click [HERE](#) to register!

Don't forget to get in contact with Conrad (conrad.byrt@kbsc.com.au) if you are needing a boat charter for Youth Sail QLD.

DID YOU KNOW?

We host the biggest Youth Sailing event in the country - Youth Sail QLD!
Running 21st - 26th September. Want to volunteer and get involved? Click [HERE](#) for more info!

26-27 MEMBERSHIPS & RACING FEES

Opening of Season Regatta is fast approaching. Have you renewed your membership & racing fees?

Online membership renewals can be done [HERE](#).

If renewing online there is no need to fill out the membership form.
If you are wishing to pay in person, present the membership renewal form at Clubhouse reception, Spinnaker reception or the regatta office and make payment by cash or card.

Click [HERE](#) to download the Member Renewal Form.

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FLEET TRAINING

Monday 3rd (3:30pm-6pm): 29er Squad @ Clubhouse
Monday 3rd (3:30pm-6pm): Sabot/Open Skiff Squad @ Clubhouse
Tuesday 4th (3:30pm-6pm): ILCA Fleet @ Clubhouse
Tuesday 4th (3:30pm-6pm): ILCA Squad @ Clubhouse
Tuesday 4th (3:30pm-6pm): Silver Fleet @ Clubhouse
Wednesday 5th (3:30pm-6pm): 29er Squad @ Clubhouse
Wednesday 5th (3:30pm-6pm): RS Feva Fleet @ Clubhouse
Thursday 6th (3:30pm-6pm): Green Fleet 2 @ Clubhouse
Friday 7th (3:30pm-6pm): Open Training Session @ Clubhouse
Friday 7th (3:30pm-6pm): RS Feva Squad @ Clubhouse
Sunday 26th (8:30am-11am): Green Fleet 1 & Tackers 1, 2 & 3 @ Causeway Lake
Sunday 26th (9am-11am): Adult Coaching Program @ Clubhouse

REMINDER: IF YOUR CHILD IS UNABLE TO ATTEND THEIR TRAINING SESSION, PLEASE ONLY CONTACT EITHER CONRAD OR SOPHIE, NOT THE INSTRUCTORS.

FRIDAY NIGHT RAFFLES

Clubhouse Volunteer 6-7pm: Swadling Family

SATURDAY EVENTS

Discover Sailing Day
8TH AUGUST 2026

Sign up **NOW** for your **FREE** Discover Sailing Experience!!

Scan the QR Code to RSVP

FREE
10am-2pm

LOCATION: KEPPEL BAY SAILING CLUB

Come along and try windsurfing, paddle boarding, dinghy sailing, and junior sailing.
Ages 6+ welcome

[BOOK HERE NOW](#)

KBSC
KEPPEL BAY SAILING CLUB

HAMPTONS
BY THE
Sea
SAILORS
Presentation Night

CELEBRATE • RECOGNISE • INSPIRE

SATURDAY
8TH AUGUST 2026

DOORS OPEN 5PM
WELCOME FROM 5.30PM

THE COMMODORES ROOM
KEPPEL BAY SAILING CLUB

Smart, Stylish, Sailing.
HAMPTONS STYLE ENCOURAGED

★ THANK YOU TO OUR AMAZING CLUB COMMUNITY
Together, we sail further.

[JOIN US - BOOK YOUR TICKETS HERE](#)

SUNDAY RACING - WINTER SERIES RACE 4, 5 & 6

The road closure will be in place, please remember to close the gate behind you. Café will be OPEN from 6am - 2pm, the bar will remain open until 4pm. Volunteer Briefing 11.15, Briefing at 11:30, with racing starting from 12:30pm.

Club Officer of the Day: Wayne Newton

PRO: Sandra Byrt

Start Boat (Muriel D): Wayne Newton, Chris Crone, Sandra Byrt

Rescue Boat 1 (Georgie B): Glen Crone & Paul Harris

Rescue Boat 2 (Carole G): Francois Gallais & **Volunteer needed**

Rescue Boat 3 (Barbara R): Andrew Fee & Ryan Swadling

Shore Party: Ros Franceschin & Bron Reardon



Presentation Night

Come and celebrate another great year of sailing with us!

Winners of the Club Racing Series and Special awards will be announced.

This year the presentation night theme is:

"Hamptons by the Sea"

When:

8th August

Where:

Commodore's Room

Time:

5pm - Doors open

5.30pm - Welcome

Dress Code:

Smart Casual/Cocktail Attire
(Hamptons - Blue/white theme)

Prices:

(Includes 2 course meal)

Adult: \$55

Kids under 12: \$20

Kids under 5: Free

Life Members: Complimentary

Join us to celebrate! [BOOK HERE](#)



Volunteer Refresher Training

We have two important Volunteer Training Days coming up to lock in your calenders:

Saturday 15th August - 9am - 4pm

Powerboat Handling Course: **Click [HERE](#) to book**

Safety Boat Operator Course: **Click [HERE](#) to book**

Use code: **POWERBOAT&SAFETY** to remove the fee when registering.

We encourage all our volunteers to do our annual training especially those who will be involved in Youth Sail QLD

Saturday 12th September - 8am - 4pm

Volunteer Refresher Training: **Click [HERE](#) to RSVP**

VOLUNTEER REFRESHER TRAINING

SKILLS. SAFETY. CONFIDENCE.
STRONGER TOGETHER
ON THE WATER.

Keep your skills up to date,
refresh your knowledge and
continue to make a difference
on the water.

TWO IMPORTANT DAYS OF TRAINING

POWERBOAT HANDLING & SAFETY BOAT OPERATOR COURSES	VOLUNTEER REFRESHER TRAINING
SATURDAY 15TH AUGUST 9:00AM - 4:00PM KBSC	SATURDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER 8:00AM - 4:00PM CCYC
✓ Powerboat Handling Course ✓ Safety Boat Operator Course ✓ Essential skills for safe and confident on-water support	✓ Update your knowledge ✓ Refresh key procedures ✓ Stronger, safer events ✓ Great team, great sailing!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COMMITMENT TO OUR SAILING COMMUNITY!



Fleet Training

OPEN FLEET TRAINING

ALL FLEETS. ALL SKILL LEVELS. ONE GREAT OPPORTUNITY!

Build skills, boost confidence and have fun on the water with expert coaching and great company!

ALL FLEETS WELCOME!

 GREEN FLEET 2	 SILVER FLEET	 RS FEVA FLEET	 RS FEVA SQUAD	 29er SQUAD	 O'PEN SKIFF/ SABOT SQUAD	 ILCA SQUAD
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 WHEN FRIDAY AFTERNOONS 3:30PM - 6:00PM	 WHERE AT THE CLUBHOUSE	 COST \$60
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We have a new Open Fleet Training session on Friday afternoons from 3.30pm- 6pm

All Fleets Welcome!

This is a great opportunity for your young sailor to get out for an extra coaching session on the water.

Cost: \$60 for the term

Click [HERE](#) to book

Our school pick up service is also available - email us at sailing@kbsc.com.au

To stay up to date with all communication regarding our fleets - scan the QR codes or click on the relevant link below:

RS Feva Squad -

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/LS5hRGoODhSDuDfDlpBehP>

RS Feva Fleet -

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/JMzpARdCBh1GixD2ZNzH8H>

Adult Coaching Program -

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/GkH0pQ4Q7WY3NagJjZsACO>

Green Fleet -

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/I8bzS5KgSCWB7LGGEmaKfu>

Green Fleet 2 -

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/C86PHUPlrx48KLIHuUMh0>

Silver Fleet -

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/LwDqvUh3lgmJdBOrByuLr0>

Laser Fleet -

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/BRfcWqj6m82GbythkHevs3>

Laser Squad -

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/CHJLZnCPAt34dFwhvE2jD4>

Open skiff/sabot squad -

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/GOTpktUDgyU0V9BzDLcjve>

29ers -

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/BEb5dWOZsxAI71BOMGpfOP>

MONDAY
29ER SQUAD
TIME: 3:30PM-6PM
LOCATION: CLUBHOUSE

O'PEN SKIFF/SABOT SQUAD
TIME: 3:30PM-6PM
LOCATION: CLUBHOUSE


TUESDAY
ILCA FLEET/SQUAD
TIME: 3:30PM-6PM
LOCATION: CLUBHOUSE

SILVER FLEET
TIME: 3:30PM-6PM
LOCATION: CLUBHOUSE


WEDNESDAY
29ER SQUAD
TIME: 3:30PM-6PM
LOCATION: CLUBHOUSE

RS FEVA FLEET
TIME: 3:30PM-6PM
LOCATION: CLUBHOUSE


THURSDAY
GREEN FLEET 2
TIME: 3:30PM-6PM
LOCATION: CLUBHOUSE


We have created What's App Chats for fleet training, to help streamline communication.
Scan the QR code to join your fleet!

FRIDAY
RS FEVA SQUAD
TIME: 3:30PM-6PM
LOCATION: CLUBHOUSE

OPEN TRAINING
TIME: 3:30PM-6PM
LOCATION: CLUBHOUSE

SUNDAY
ADULT COACHING
TIME: 9AM-11AM
LOCATION: CLUBHOUSE


SUNDAY
TACKERS 1, 2 & 3
TIME: 8:30AM-11AM
LOCATION: CAUSEWAY LAKE

GREEN FLEET
TIME: 8:30AM-11AM
LOCATION: CAUSEWAY LAKE


TERM 3 - FLEET TRAINING

AT KEPPEL BAY SAILING CLUB



KBSC AGM & Nominations 2026

Do you want to have a voice in the future of our Club?
Would you like to play an integral role in the decisions that shape KBSC for years to come?

As we approach this year's Annual General Meeting, we encourage members to consider becoming involved in the future of Keppel Bay Sailing Club.

Nominations are now open for the following positions:

Life Member
Board of Directors
Sailing Committee

These volunteer roles provide a rewarding opportunity to contribute to the direction, growth and ongoing success of our Club.

We welcome members from all backgrounds. Previous Board or Committee experience isn't necessary—fresh perspectives, new ideas, enthusiasm and a willingness to contribute are what matter most. Whether you bring professional expertise or simply a passion for sailing and our community, your contribution can make a genuine difference.

Serving on the Sailing Committee or Board offers the opportunity to:

Help shape the future of KBSC.
Be involved in important Club decisions.
Support the growth and success of our sailing community.
Work alongside a dedicated team committed to making our Club even stronger.

Nomination Details

Nominations Open:
5:00 pm, Monday 6 July 2026

Nominations Close:
5:00 pm, Tuesday 11 August 2026

Positions Available

Board of Directors
Three (3) positions, each for a three-year term.
Sailing Committee
Four (4) positions, each for a two-year term.

Nomination forms are available with this notification and can also be collected from the Regatta Office/The Helm at the Keppel Bay Sailing Club Clubhouse, Anzac Parade, Yeppoon.

Completed nomination forms can be lodged in the marked locked nomination box at the Regatta Office/The Helm. If you've ever wanted to give back to the Club, now is the perfect opportunity to help lead the next chapter of Keppel Bay Sailing Club.

For more information about the nomination process or the responsibilities of a Committee or Board role, please contact the Company Secretary at secretary@kbsc.com.au.

KBSC Life Member Nomination Form 2026
Nominees Skills and Experience Form 2026
KBSC BoD Nomination Form 2026
KBSC Sailing Committee Nomination Form 2026



Clermont Outback Regatta

RESULTS:

Marathon- Senior

Hazmat – Bradley Stanley
Flying Fish – Jonah Sayer
Airpower 2 – Darryl Skinner

Marathon – Juniors

Black Diamond – Willow Altmann
Iron Whalla – Ezra Groves
Its In – Harlan Semple

Regatta Results

Open Mono

Yeppoon Typhoon – Nora Leon / Tommy Crone
Taninha – Lauren Bentley / Camille Gallais
Flying Fish – Jonah & Pippy Sayer

Cats

Utot – Brett Holly
Airpower 2 – Darryl Skinner
5 O'Clock Somewhere – Bradley Kroning / Joshua Peterson

Intermediate

Pigs in Space Too Again – Eliza & Peter Mann
Bee Quick – Sarah Scantlebury
RS Feva – Karmani Mitchell / Ruby Nelayn

Juniors

Black Diamond – Willow Altmann
Optimus Prime – Julian Groves
Iron Whalla – Ezra Groves



The 2026 Clermont Outback Sailing Regatta was our biggest and most successful event to date, with 30 boats taking to the water, including around 10 visiting boats from sailing clubs across Queensland.

It was fantastic to welcome so many competitors to Theresa Creek Dam, creating a strong fleet while maintaining the relaxed, welcoming family friendly atmosphere that makes this regatta so unique.

We were fortunate to enjoy excellent wind conditions throughout the weekend, providing fantastic racing across all fleets. The consistent breeze set the scene for three days of close competition, giving sailors plenty of opportunities to test their skills while showcasing the best of inland sailing.

A major highlight of the weekend was seeing six of our young sailors compete in their very first regatta. They embraced the challenge with enthusiasm, determination and impressive resilience, growing in confidence with every race. Their excitement was evident from the moment they arrived each morning—they were so keen to get on the water that the safety boat was often heading out early! We are very proud of them.

The regatta also provided an opportunity to introduce more local families to sailing, with Tackers and OutThere Sailing sessions running throughout the weekend. These programs gave local children and teenagers the chance to experience sailing firsthand while the regatta was in full swing, helping make the event accessible to sailors of all ages and experience levels.

Beyond the racing, the relaxed and family-friendly atmosphere remained one of the event's defining features. Evenings around the campfire, great food and the opportunity to catch up with friends old and new made the regatta just as enjoyable off the water as it was on it.

A huge thank you goes to our volunteers, sponsors, race officials, support crews and everyone who contributed to the success of the weekend. Your dedication continues to make the Clermont Outback Sailing Regatta one of Australia's most unique inland sailing events.

With record entries, outstanding racing and another successful regatta behind us, we're already looking ahead to 2027. Plans are already underway, and we're excited to make next year's Clermont Outback Sailing Regatta even bigger and better.

We look forward to welcoming everyone back to Theresa Creek Dam for another unforgettable weekend of sailing!





O'PEN Skiff Worlds

Owen Wraps Up an Incredible O'pen Skiff World Championship Campaign

Owen started the regatta strongly, finishing Day 1 sitting 8th overall and loving every minute of the experience. Day 2 brought a standout result with an impressive 3rd place race finish, helping him climb to 7th overall out of 60 sailors.

The following day continued to test the fleet with a mix of conditions, but Owen kept fighting hard and remained right amongst the leaders.

The final day delivered extremely light and unpredictable winds, making for a challenging finish to the championship. While the conditions didn't quite fall Owen's way towards the end, he can be incredibly proud of what he achieved!

We're thrilled to announce that Owen finished 8th in the world in the Under 13 O'pen Skiff class at his very first international regatta!

For all the results click [HERE](#)

Beyond the results, the week has been about so much more than racing. Owen has built friendships with sailors from across the globe, gained invaluable experience competing in a world-class international fleet, and embraced every opportunity in front of him! Well done Owen.

Owen is already dreaming about the next opportunity to represent Australia on the world stage.

Thank you so very much to the amazing community and incredible friends and family and awesome coaches who have supported Owen to get to this point. We appreciate each and everyone of you - Harris Family





Volunteer Roster

PLEASE NOTE: If you are rostered to volunteer, please arrive at the Clubhouse at your allocated time, as there are important Sunday morning tasks to complete, including driving the tractor, checking and launching the RIBs, and assisting with pack-up.

If you are unable to attend, please notify the Sailing Department as soon as possible and arrange a replacement please.

Thank you for your support. An SMS reminder will be sent during your volunteer week.

DATE	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					
Sunday 9 th August Clubhouse	12.30pm	Winter Series Races 4, 5 & 6	Wayne Newton	Wayne Newton	Glen Crone	Francois Gallais	Andrew Fee	Ros Franceschin
				Chris Crone				
			Sandra Byrt	Sandra Byrt	Paul Harris	VOLUNTEER NEEDED	Ryan Swadling	Bron Reardon
Sunday 16 th August Clubhouse	12.30pm	Winter Series Races 7 & 8	Daryl Skinner	Daryl Skinner	Jim Cox	Sarah Scantlebury	Andrew Finch	Anne-Marie Newton
				Carole Gifford				
			Carole Gifford	April Acworth	Tim Dau	Jared Newton	John Acworth	Kim Scantlebury
Saturday 29 th August - Sunday 30 th August		Opening of Season Regatta - More information coming soon!						
Sunday 6 th September Clubhouse	1.15pm	Club Championships Race 1	Paul Effeney	Paul Effeney	Glen Crone	Fran Gruger	Craig Brown	Amy Fee
				Carole Gifford				
			Carole Gifford	Chris Crone	Ryan Swadling	Bluey Harris	Dave Rigby	Ros Franceschin
Sunday 13 th September Clubhouse	12pm	Spring Ocean Race	Francois Gallais	Francois Gallais	Jim Cox	Daniel Franceschin	Diane Gallais	Kim Scantlebury
				Carole Gifford				
			Carole Gifford	April Acworth	Yos Hernandex	Jared Newton	Jordy Fee	Paul Harris
Monday 21 st September - Saturday 26 th September		Youth Sail QLD 2026 - Click HERE to volunteer						
Saturday 3 rd October - Sunday 4 th October		PCSC All Boats Regatta - More Information soon!						
Sunday 18 th October Clubhouse	1.15pm	Pinefest Handicap Races 1, 2 & 3	Wayne Newton	Wayne Newton	Jordy Fee	Tommy Crone	Camille Gallais	Chris Crone
				Emily Franceschin				
			Sandra Byrt	Sandra Byrt	Glen Crone	Andrew Fee	Lauren Bentley	Sarah Scantlebury
Sunday 25 th October Clubhouse	1.15pm	Club Championships Races 2 & 3	Paul Effeney	Paul Effeney	Jim Cox	Fran Grueger	Diane Gallais	Amy Fee
				Carole Gifford				
			Carole Gifford	Chris Crone	Bluey Harris	Ryan Swadling	Yos Hernandez	Ros Franceschin
25 th October		KBSC AGM - More Information coming soon!						
Saturday 31 st - Sunday 1 st November		Sail Bowen - More Information coming soon!						



KBSC

Volunteers Needed



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

KBSC ARE HOSTING 2 MAJOR EVENTS THIS YEAR!
WE ARE SEEKING VOLUNTEERS WHO CAN ASSIST

YOUTH SAIL QLD 2026

We are currently looking for
Volunteers for Youth Sail QLD 2026.
Youth Sail QLD is held 21st - 26th
September.

We are anticipating this event to reach
record numbers. Your support would be
greatly appreciated.

Volunteer Requirements:

- ✓ Transportation of RIB's Daily to/from the harbour
- ✓ Rescue Boat operators
- ✓ Shore Party; Catering, etc
- ✓ Maintenance Team

Easy sign up for Youth
Sail Volunteering:



[Volunteer Registration Link](#)

PLEASE EMAIL SAILING@KBSC.COM.AU IF
YOU ARE ABLE TO ASSIST.





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.

There will be no raffles held at the Spinnaker until further notice - due to renovation disruptions.

DATE	CLUBHOUSE
7 th August	Swadling Family
14 th August	Sophie Baynton & Fran Grueger
21 st August	Tim Dau & Daryl Skinner
28 th August	Crone Family
4 th September	Byrt Family
11 th September	Franceschin Family & Nora Leon Hernandez
18 th September	Tim Larkin & Blake Newton
25 th September	Scantlebury Family
2 rd October	Conrad Byrt & Fraser Platts
9 th October	Camille Gallais & Lauren Bentley
16 th October	Fee Family
23 rd October	Carton Family
30 th October	Swadling Family
6 th November	Sophie Baynton & Fran Grueger
13 th November	Tim Dau & Daryl Skinner



Upcoming Events



PRELIMINARY NOTICE OF
RACE



PCSC All Boats Regatta



Owners and charterers of suitably found **off the beach dinghies and multihulls** are invited to apply for entry in the PCSC All Boats Regatta, held on the waters of Gladstone Harbour on the 3rd and 4th of October, 2026. The organising authority is the Port Curtis Sailing Club (PCSC).

Full NOR and Sailing Instructions to be released soon!

Save the Date – Port Curtis Sailing Club All Boats Regatta

The Port Curtis Sailing Club All Boats Regatta is set to return on 3–4 October, promising a fantastic weekend of competitive sailing, great hospitality, and plenty of fun on and off the water.

Sailors from all off-the-beach dinghy classes are invited to join the fleet in Gladstone for what is always a popular event on the sailing calendar.

Further details, including registration, the Notice of Race, sailing instructions, racing schedule, and social BBQ information, will be released in the coming weeks.

For updates, visit:

<https://www.gyc.com.au/sailing/important-information/>