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# OFFICIALS

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Patron: A. Cohen (W.A.)

President: F. Walpole
Sec./Registrar: C. Sutton
Treasurer: G. Kinsman
Measurer: E. Coates

### N.S.W. SKATE SAILING ASSOCIATION

Patron: F. Walpole

President: R. Davies
Secretary: C. Sutton
Snr. Vice-President: S. Fields
Treasurer: G. Kinsman
Vice-President: P. Peelgrane

### YARRA BAY 16ft SKIFF SAILING CLUB

Commodore: J. A. Saville
President: A. Cohen

### SKATE DIVISION

Class Chairman: R. Davies
Class Captain: E. Coates
Sec./Treasurer: M. Goldberg
Class Vice-Captain: J. Jennings
Race Secretary: G. Kinsman
Ass. Race Secretary: C. Sutton

### SAILING COMMITTEE

J. Saville
M. Goldberg
I. Hutchinson
E. Coates
R. Davies
G. Kinsman

### SAILING OFFICIALS

G. Garde, J. Jennings, R. Ferguson, C. Sutton, C. Murray, L. Dunne
H. English, C. Cameron

### LAUNCHES

H. Francis, H. English, F. Simons, K. Bull

### OFFICER OF THE DAY

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# Welcome...

*It is most fitting that the Captain Cook Bi-Centenary Year Celebrations shall draw to a close on Botany Bay with the commencement of the 1970-71 Australian Championship of the Skate Sailing Association.*

*We are indeed proud that the Yarra Bay 16ft Skiff Sailing Club has been able to participate to the extent that it has in these celebrations and be the venue for the Skate titles.*

*To all those good people who have journeyed from far and near to enjoy this Carnival may we, on behalf of the officials and members of the Club, extend to you a very special welcome with the hope that you will be able to look back on the Carnival with pleasant memories and look forward to visiting us again.*

*We wish the competitors good fortune and fair breezes and may they exhibit that degree of sportsmanship that we have come to expect of them.*

*In conclusion, on behalf of the Club, we wish you all a happy and prosperous New Year and a safe return home.*

J. A. Saville
Commodore

A. Cohen
President

# Sailing Programme...

**HEAT 1**
SATURDAY, 26th DECEMBER, 2.30 p.m.
**HEAT 2**
SUNDAY, 27th DECEMBER, 2.30 p.m.
**HEAT 3**
MONDAY, 28th DECEMBER, 2.30 p.m.
***LAY DAY**
TUESDAY, 29th DECEMBER
**HEAT 4**
WEDNESDAY, 30th DECEMBER, 2.30 p.m.
**HEAT 5**
THURSDAY, 31st DECEMBER, 2.30 p.m.
**LAY DAY**
FRIDAY, 1st JANUARY
**HEAT 6**
SATURDAY, 2nd JANUARY, 2.30 p.m.
**HEAT 7**
SUNDAY, 3rd JANUARY, 2.30 p.m.

***NOTE:** Annual General Meeting and Conference to be held at 10.00 a.m. in the Yarra Bay Clubhouse.

# Trophy Donors...

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YARRA BAY 16ft SKIFF SAILING CLUB

**SENIOR PLACINGS**
1st to 6th SCRATCH and HANDICAP, Skipper and F/hand

**JUNIOR PLACINGS**
1st to 4th SCRATCH and HANDICAP, Skipper and F/hand

The competitors wish to thank the Association Officials, Yarra Bay 16ft Skiff Sailing Club Officials, club members and all others who have helped to organise this Australian Championship. We would also like to express our thanks to the trophy donors for their contributions and especially W.D. & H.O. Wills for their backing of the Championship.

# Entries...

## New South Wales

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 570 | Mea Tere | S. Bull/R. Moore | YBSC |
| 598 | Hustler | D. Slater/R. Topping | YBSC |
| 741 | Super Roo | J. Gettens/K. Cole | YBSC |
| 572 | Expo | G. Kinsman/J. Sherry | YBSC |
| 532 | Venom | R. Davies/K. Madden | YBSC |
| 651 | Robyn IV | E. Coates/M. Goldberg | YBSC |
| 530 | Frantic | B. Gresham/T. Dodds | BSC |
| 582 | Cactus | P. Saxon/T. Miller | BSC |
| 634 | Maverick | A. Holmes/A. Hickey | BSC |
| 624 | Echo | R. Simpson/D. Simpson | CRSC |
| 641 | Vandal | G. Senior/L. Donovan | CRSC |
| 585 | Statesman | B. Roy/T. Green | CRSC |
| 618 | Marcus | | PHOSC |
| 709 | Jo Blo | D. Jeffkins/P. Jeffkins | SPASC |
| 707 | Deb IV | R. Naughton/G. Feeney | SPASC |
| 710 | Maria | J. Taylor/R. Reilly | SPASC |
| 171 | Satchmo | K. Mitchell/D. McEnearney | SPASC |
| 18 | Gale | N. Frogley/— | STGSC |
| 636 | Free-'N'-Easy | P. Peelgrane/M. Peelgrane | STGSC |
| 504 | Rival | H. Paulay/— | STGSC |

## Victoria

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 702 | Galaxy | K. Taylor/B. Clarke | CYC |
| 701 | Tarli-Karng | K. Clarke/P. Taylor | CYC |
| 700 | Nero | S. Augustine/J. Teasdale | CYC |
| 511 | Rampage | C. McCartney/G. Simms | CYC |
| 637 | Fury 'S' | O. Mansfield/P. Bainbridge | CYC |

## Western Australia

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| — | Solo | V. Court/— | NYC |
| — | Sonja | J. Caporn/A. Caporn | NYC |
| — | Glimpse | R. Wakelin/B. Howells | NYC |

**LEGEND**

YBSC—Yarra Bay 16ft Skiff Sailing Club
BSC—Belmont Sailing Club
CRSC—Concord-Ryde Sailing Club
PHOSC—Port Hacking Open Sailing Club
SPASC—Speers Point Amateur Sailing Club
STGSC—St. George Sailing Club
CYC—Chelsea Yacht Club
NYC—Nedlands Yacht Club

# JACK HERRICK

## (THE CHAMPIONS' SAILMAKER)

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# Social Programme...

**THURSDAY, 24th**
XMAS EVE—Welcome night at Ross and Wendy Davies' home, 21 Wilson St., Maroubra. Barbecue, salad and refreshments provided. Function will commence at 7.00 p.m.
DRESS: Casual.

**FRIDAY, 25th**
XMAS DAY—Keg at Yarra Bay Sailing Club.

**SATURDAY, 26th**
BOXING DAY—Night at South's Juniors—NO BLAZERS.
DRESS: Coat and tie.

**SUNDAY, 27th**
CLUB NIGHT—Yarra Bay 16ft Skiff Sailing Club.
DRESS: Casual.

**TUESDAY, 29th**
HARBOUR CRUISE—Leaving No. 6 Jetty, Circular Quay at 4.30 p.m. for Rod Island. Beer, Steak, Salad, etc., provided.
DRESS: Casual.

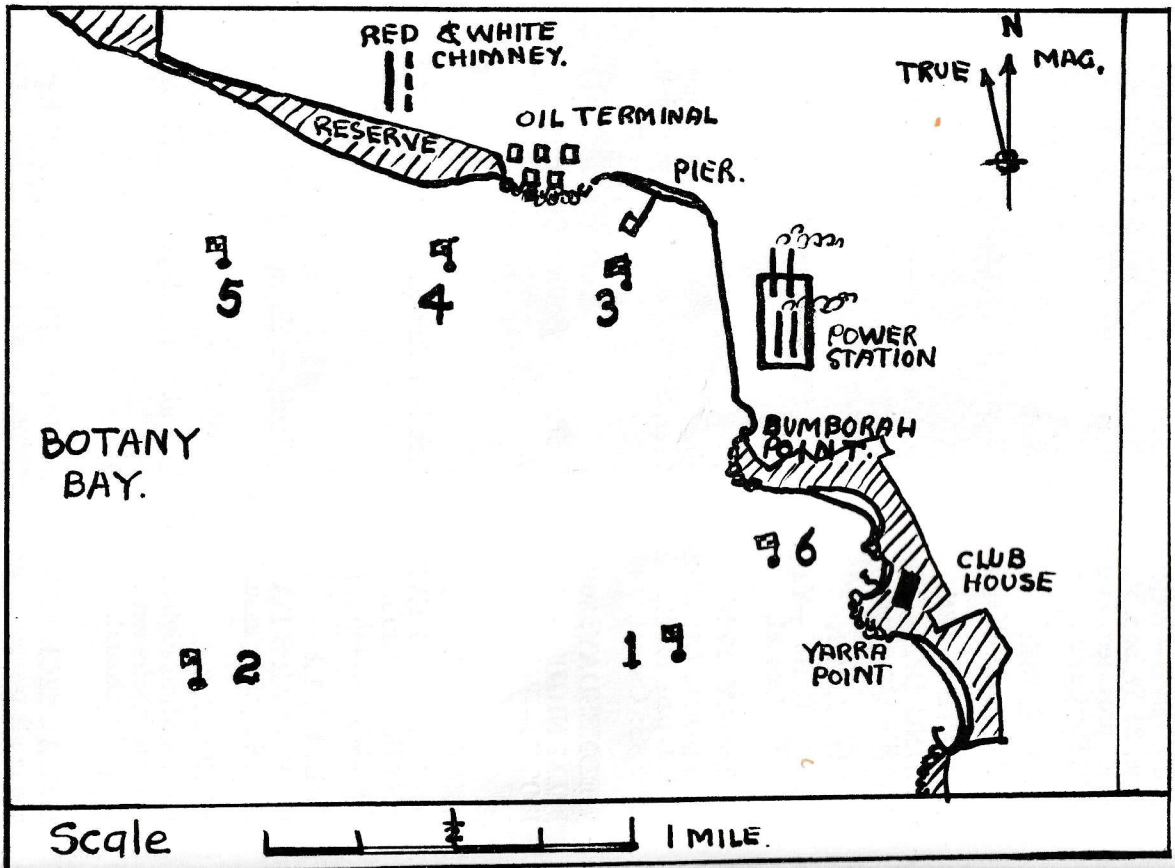
**WEDNESDAY, 30th**
FILM NIGHT—Yarra Bay 16ft Skiff Sailing Club.
HOSTS—W.D. & H.O. Wills.
DRESS: Casual.

**THURSDAY, 31st**
NEW YEAR'S EVE—Cabaret Evening at Yarra Bay 16ft Skiff Sailing Club.
DRESS: Casual.

**FRIDAY, 1st**
NEW YEAR'S DAY—Sick parade at Yarra Bay, 10.00 a.m.
DRESS: Very casual.

**SUNDAY, 3rd**
Presentation night and send off at Yarra Bay. Dinner, booze and entertainment.
DRESS: Casual.

SOCIAL TICKETS—are available at $10 each. These tickets cover all programmed entertainment and are available from Mike Goldberg or Roy Morrison.


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## COURSE INSTRUCTIONS

**COURSE 1—NORTH-EAST**
Downwind S to 3s 1s 2s 3s 2s 3s 1s 2s 3s finish at 1

**COURSE 2—SOUTH-EAST**
Downwind S to 1s 2s 4s 1s 4s 1s 2s 4s finish at 1

**COURSE 3—SOUTH**
Downwind S to 1s 5p 2p 6p 5p 2p 5p 2p finish at 6

**COURSE 4—WEST**
Start at 1 2s 4s 1s 2s 1s 2s 4s finish at 1

**COURSE 5—NORTH and NORTH-WEST**
Start at 1 4p 2p 1p 4p 1p 4p 2p finish at 1

**COURSE 6—EAST**
Downwind S to 1p 5p 2p 1p 2p 1p 5p 2p finish at 1

**COURSE 7—SOUTH-WEST**
Start in Yarra Bay to 1s 3p 2p 1p 3p 2p 3p 2p finish at 1

Finish between last mark and committee boat

**KEEP CLEAR OF DREDGE AT ALL TIMES**

# SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

**STARTING TIMES**
2.30 p.m. all races.

**SAILING RULES**
The series will be sailed under the I.Y.R.U. Rules as prescribed by the A.Y.F., the safety regulations of the Y.A. of N.S.W. (Part 3), the rules of the Australian Skate Sailing Association, and these sailing instructions as applicable.

**REGISTRATION**
All yachts must be registered with their respective Associations.

**COURSE SIGNIFICATION**
The course to be sailed will be signified by the number of the course, which will be displayed on the starter's boat.

**STARTING PROCEDURE**
**(a) Warning**
A five-flag system will be used. Ten minutes before the start of the race the class signification flag (code flag H) will be hoisted.

**(b) Preparatory**
Five minutes before the start, the class signification flag will be lowered and five pennants hoisted. These pennants will be lowered at one-minute intervals.

**(c) Start**
The fall of the last pennant will indicate the start of the race. Attention will be drawn to each of these signals by a horn blast.

**RECALL**
Should any boat be on or across the starting line when the starting signal is made, she will be recalled by name or number, and must return and restart to the satisfaction of the starter.

**GENERAL RECALL**
If, in the opinion of the starter, there are too many boats across the starting line before the starting signal should be made, the last pennant will not be lowered, nor shall the horn be sounded. All boats must return and restart after a time lapse of five minutes during which time the preparatory procedure will be repeated.

**STARTING LINE**
The starting line shall be between the starter's boat and the buoy. Distance mark shall be placed adjacent to buoy and starter's boat. Start must be between these two.

**FINISHING LINE**
The finishing line for all courses will be between the official boat and course mark as shown in course diagram.

**TIME LIMIT**
The time limit will be 3½ hours from the starting signal for the race.

**SHORTEN COURSE**
Code flag S flown from the committee vessel shall signify a shortening of the course. Yachts will finish between the committee vessel and the course mark.

**PROTESTS**
Protests, accompanied by a fee of $1.00, must be lodged with the officer of the day within 60 minutes of the protesting yacht's finishing time. (Or 60 minutes after her arrival at the clubhouse should she not finish the course.) Protests must be lodged on the official protest form.

**RACING PENNANTS**
All boats shall carry a racing pennant as indicated in Rule 27.

**TIDE**
Tide predictions at Fort Denison will be posted on the notice board daily.

**COURSES**
Each course approximately 12-14 miles.
See course map and instructions on pages 8 and 9.

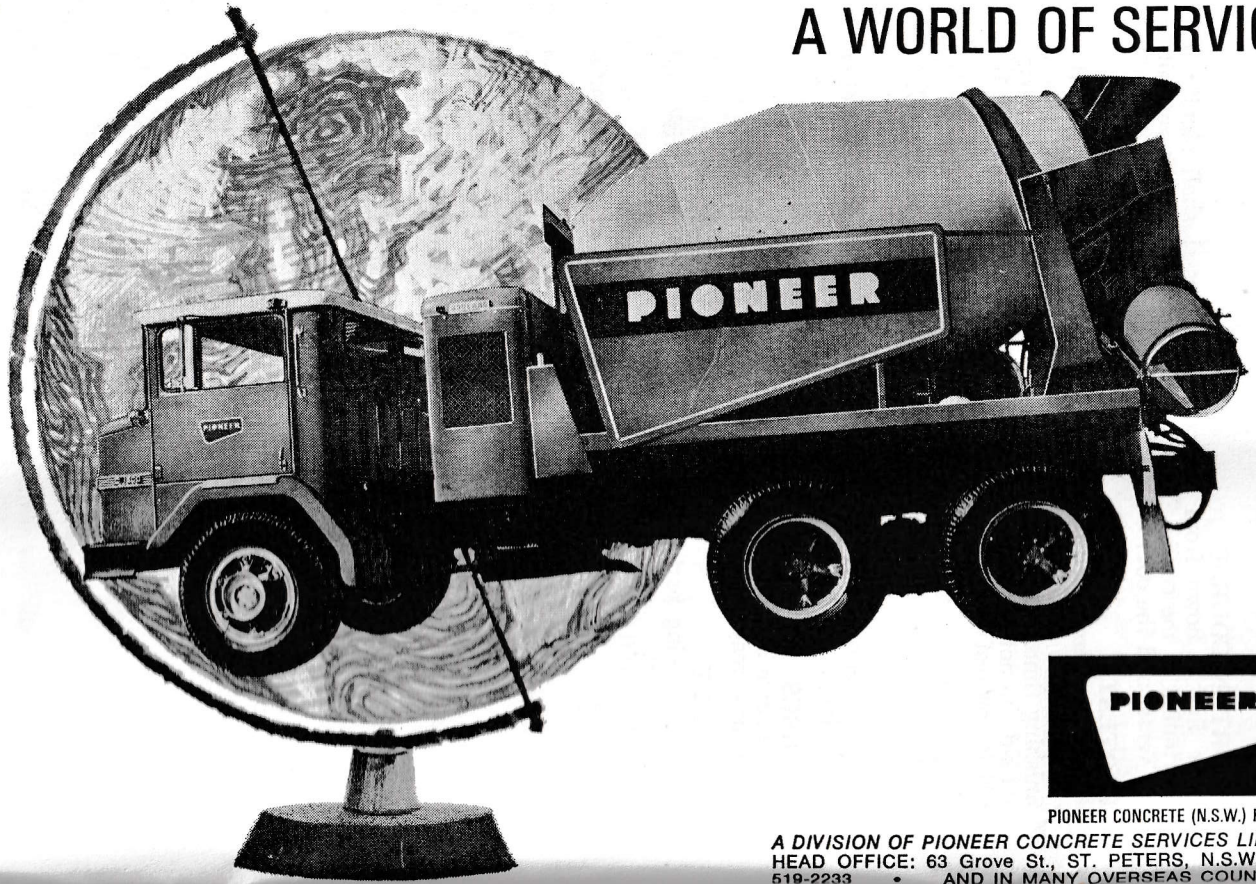
**LIABILITY**
All those taking part in this race do so at their own risk and responsibility.
Yarra Bay 16ft Skiff Sailing Club is not responsible for the seaworthiness of a yacht whose entry is accepted or for the sufficiency or adequacy of its equipment.
Attention is drawn to I.Y.R.U. Rule 1.3 which states interalia "it shall be the sole responsibility of each yacht to decide whether or not to start or to continue to race."

**SAIL MEASURING**
All sails must be presented for measuring before 12.30 p.m. on Saturday, 26th December, 1970.

**DECLARATIONS**
All skippers must sign declaration form before starting and on completion of each race.

**POINT SCORE**
The Championship will be conducted over a seven heat series using the Olympic pointscore system.

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# Club Rules...

The Yarra Bay 16ft Skiff Sailing Club is a fully licensed and registered club and as such is governed by the licencing laws and the Liquor Act. Here are some of the rules that must be followed in the club by all visitors and members.

No persons under the age of 18 YEARS are permitted in licensed premises.

Persons over 18 and under 21 are permitted to enter and drink in the club but they MUST NOT PLAY POKER MACHINES.

Bottled beer cannot be taken off the premises after 10 p.m. on weekdays and not at all on Sundays.

**DRESS RULES**

No thongs are allowed in the Club after 7.p.m. on Friday, Saturday or Sunday. The minimum dress requirement for gents in any part of the Club on these nights is shorts, long socks, shoes (no slippers or thongs), etc.

Proper sport or dress shirt must be worn at all times (no T-shirts or sloppy joes).

No overalls or work clothes allowed in the Club after 7 p.m. Friday and not at all on Saturday or Sunday.

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# AUSTRALIAN TITLE HOLDERS

| Year | Skipper | Forward Hand | Boat |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1957-58 | Ray Young | John Barter | Classic |
| 1958-59 | Ray Young | John Barter | Classic |
| 1959-60 | Laurie Chivers | Ken Court | Venom |
| 1960-61 | Laurie Chivers | Ken Court | Venom |
| 1961-62 | John Gettens | Keith Cole | O'Lay |
| 1962-63 | John Gettens | Keith Cole | O'Lay |
| 1963-64 | Laurie Chivers | Ken Court | Venom |
| 1964-65 | Neil Head | Ken Court | Valour |
| 1965-66 | Neil Head | Tim Bailey | Valour |
| 1966-67 | Warwick Wood | Bill Graves | Echo |
| 1967-68 | Doug Jeffkins | Denis McEnearney | Fury |
| 1968-69 | Ben Piefke | Frank McBeath | Bitsa |
| 1969-70 | Bob Lowndes | Les Donovan | Peta |
| 1970-71 | | | |

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