



FUNCTIONS & DINING

Father's Day

Sunday 2 September

Make a fuss of the Dad in your family and bring the whole tribe together to enjoy an extravagant seafood buffet.

Adults \$72, Children (under 12) \$32.

Lunch is also available in the Careening Cove.



Lunchtime Live Jazz

Sunday 26 August The Capitols

Sunday 30 September The Aston Martinis

Crabshack

Friday 28 September 6.30pm Carabella Room

Crabshack is back! Roll up your sleeves, pop on a bib and get stuck in to platters of crabs, yabbies, prawns, smoked sausage, corn and potatoes at the Squadron's very own take on an American favourite, accompanied by a live band.

NB table bookings of 10+, smaller bookings will be placed on Club tables.

This is always a popular event, so book early to secure your table.

Cost: \$95 includes beer, wines, soft drinks, entertainment.



Opening Day

Sunday 9 September 11am

Skippers: Adorn your boat, dress up your crew and join the annual Parade of Sail.

It will be a fun day! Participants receive a bottle of wine and a cheese platter and there are prizes for best dressed boat and crew. Boats must assemble at 1145 hrs for a 1200 hrs start. The Sailing Office can give you an entry form, the sailing instructions and bunting.

Landlubbers: the festivities will start with a glass of bubbly on the lawn at 11am followed by the unfurling of the new ensign and the traditional cannon fire salutes at noon. You may then enjoy lunch in the Clubhouse – either the Squadron Grand Buffet in the Carabella Room or lighter fare in the CCA.

Please note this is a busy day and reservations are essential.

Wine Appreciation Group

Wednesday 19 September 6pm CCA

Join us for a relaxed evening showcasing this month's selection curated by our award-winning Cellar team.

Cost: Members \$10 Tasting, \$52 Tasting and dinner, Guests \$15 Tasting, \$57 Tasting and dinner.

Afterwards, do stay on to enjoy a 2 course set menu in the Carabella Room with featured wines available to buy at take away prices.

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Functions: 9017 0156

Member Accounts: 9017 0135

Waterfront: 9017 0162

Membership: 9017 0157

Sailing Office: 9017 0152

Cellar: 9017 1021

Website password

Visit www.rsys.com.au

Members may access the secure area of the website and their personal accounts by logging in with their member number and unique password. If you have not yet received a password, please write to rsys@rsys.com.au.

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RSYS Book Club

Tuesday 28 August 'Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine' by Gail Honeyman

Eleanor Oliphant has learned how to survive – but not how to live. One simple act of kindness shatters the walls she has built around herself. Now she must learn how to navigate the world that everyone else seems to take for granted – while searching for the courage to face the dark corners she's avoided all her life.

Tuesday 25 September 'Pachinko' by Min Jin Lee

Cost: \$7 includes tea, coffee, biscuits

Do stay and continue the conversation over lunch.



Squadron Grand Buffets

Sunday Lunch: 12pm 19 August, 2 September (Father's Day), 9 September (Opening Day) 16 September.

Cost: \$72 Adults, Children U12 \$32.

Dinner and Duplicate Bridge

Wednesdays 12 September, 10 October

6pm for 6.30pm dinner, 7.30pm onwards for Bridge. Members & Guests \$65 for 2 courses (excludes beverages).

Ladies' Long Lunch

Sunday 23 September 12 for 12.30pm Carabella Room

This is a special lunch event for female Members and all the special women in their lives.

Chef has devised a lighter menu to be served with more delicate wines – all produced by female winemakers! Start with a canapé of Goat's Cheese, Fig Jam & Crispy Prosciutto; then Confit Tasmanian Ocean Trout & Yuzu Vinaigrette; Roast Corn Fed Chicken Breast with Roasted Jerusalem artichoke; finishing with a Gourmet Dessert Platter.

NB only 50 places as guests are seated at one long table.

Cost \$89 for 3 courses and wines.

Literary Lunch

Friday 23 November 12 for 12.30pm Carabella Room

As entertaining as she is engaging, Susannah Fullerton will return to the Squadron with a talk entitled 'The Importance of Being Oscar Wilde.' This will be a treat and not to be missed!

Cost: \$65 for 2 courses and wines.



SAILING & RACING

Cruising Division Evenings

Wednesday 22 August 6pm for 6.20pm Carabella Room

'The Incredible Life of Captain Bligh' a talk by Dr Nigel Erskine, Curator of the Maritime Museum, covering the various phases of his life from his early days sailing with Captain Cook, to the mutiny and open boat voyage, to his time as Governor of NSW. We will show the small compass that he used to navigate in the open boat voyage.



Do stay for dinner to continue the conversation in the CCA.

Wednesday 26 September 6pm for 6.20pm

Pete Lowndes will give a talk on the practical use of VHF and AIS radios.

Annual Cruise 2019

Did you know – it's the 50th annual cruise next year!

Save the date: 12-18 April 2019.

First Aid Course

Monday 8 & Tuesday 9 October (both nights) 6-10pm Kirribilli Room

The Sailing Office in conjunction with REVIVA First Aid Training is pleased to offer Members and competitors an opportunity to complete their first aid certification. The course will be held over two nights.

Cost: \$160 (includes a light supper)

Book via the Sailing Office sailing@rsys.com.au 9017 0152.



Winter Dinghy Racing dates (Frostbite Series)

Sunday 26 August, Sunday 9 September

Each day there will be a Race Briefing at 8.30am with the First Warning Signal at 9.25am.

Information and registrations available on the website at www.rsys.com.au/sailing/dinghy-racing.

Adult Learn to Sail Courses

Get set for Spring sailing! Whether you're a nervous novice or looking to get back on the water and brush up your skills, RSYS runs a variety of sailing courses to suit you on our fleet of Elliott 7s.

We run courses for Ladies on Wednesdays and Open classes on Sundays across four levels: Start Crewing, Start Helming, Start Skippering and Spinnakers.

Courses run throughout the Spring and Summer and are open for booking now.

Cost: Members \$450 non-members \$550.

Further information and enrolments at www.rsys.com.au/learntosail or call 02 9017 0154.





Dates for your diary

Equipment Audits

Saturday 18 & 25 August 9am to 2pm
Please book via the Sailing Office sailing@rsys.com.au
9017 0152

Fire extinguisher inspection 9am-12pm: cost \$10 (cash) per extinguisher.

Sling inspections for hardstand boats: Saturday 18 August (only) 9am to 12pm

Safety compliance forms available at www.rsys.com.au/sailing/documents.

Compulsory Skippers Briefing

Tuesday 28 or Thursday 30 August Carabella Room
6pm to 7pm

Skippers must attend one of the briefings and register to be eligible to compete.

Spring series

Commences Saturday 1 September.

NEW Ladies' Coaching Regatta

Weekend 29-30 September, details coming.

Wednesday Series

Commences 3 October.

NEW Sunday Twilights

Commences 7 October

Held once a month starting at 1630 hours.

Friday Twilights

Commence Friday 12 October.

Tuesday Twilights

Networking Night and training sessions 16, 23, 30 October
Racing commences 13 November.

NEW One Design Regatta

Thursday 1 November, TBC

The best way to receive all the latest sailing news is to subscribe to the weekly Sailing e-newsletter. Please visit the website at www.rsys.com.au – scroll down till you reach the 'Subscribe to News' panel.

SOLAS Trusts Dinner

Friday 21 September 7 for 7.30pm Carabella Room

RSYS Members and guests are invited to attend an evening in support of the CYCA Safety of Life at Sea Trusts which have granted \$1.5 million to search and rescue services around Australia. The guest speaker is Commander Marc Pavillard RAN who rescued sailors in the 1998 Sydney to Hobart.

Cost: \$125 includes pre-dinner drinks, 3 courses and wine

RSVP: Monday 17 September via the CYCA on 8292 7800.

Youth Sailing Information Night

Parents and Sailors are invited to a brief meeting at 6pm on Thursday 20 September in the Youth Training Room for an overview of the Laser and Elliotts programs and to meet the coaches.



Junior Learn to Sail Courses

Tackers: Designed for 8-12 year olds with little or no sailing experience, taught by qualified Instructors in the Squadron's fleet of Optimists and is lots of fun!

Level 1: Having Fun;

Level 2: Tricks & Techniques; Level 3: Sailing fast.

School Holiday Camps

4 days 2-5 and 8-11 October, 9am-3.30pm

Term 4

8 Sundays, 21 October-9 December, 9am-12.30pm

Teens: Get your Teen off that screen and introduce them to the joy of sailing. This course is for 13-17 year olds, taught by qualified instructors in the Squadron's fleet of Elliott 7s.

Start Crewing; Start Helming; Start Skippering; Spinnakers.

School Holiday Camps

4 days 2-5 and 8-11 October, 9am-3.30pm

Cost Members \$450 non-members \$550.

Information and bookings at rsys.com.au/tackers or call 02 9017 0154.



Ship-shape for Spring?

Book your vessel for its annual lift. Let our experienced staff and sub-contractors take care of your anti foul, engine service, through-hull fitting and keel bolt inspections, any paint and gelcoat repairs, or any other jobs to ensure your boat is looking and performing at its best.

Contact Louise@rsys.com.au or call 9017 0161.

MEMBERS

Squadron Treasures

We have decided to begin an occasional feature, called *Squadron Treasures*, in which we hope to share information about the history and background of selected artefacts, trophies and memorabilia on display around the Squadron. Many of our newer Members, and some long-standing Members too, may not be aware of the stories about our treasures and we look forward to sharing them with you.

Club Mast

The flag mast on the lawn was presented by Frederick Waley, chairman of the Bellambi Coal Co. Ltd. While it was reputed to have been salvaged from a collier named 'Bellambi', this is incorrect because although the Bellambi Coal Co. did launch a collier called 'Bellambi' in 1908, the flag mast was installed in 1903 when our Club took possession of 'Carabella'. Research of the Squadron records and the National Maritime Museum has failed to confirm its origin!

The Squadron burgee was first flown on 24 January 1903 for the Opening Day of the Clubhouse. It is 100 feet from the base to the top.

Annual General Meeting

Tuesday 11 September 2018

The AGM will be held at 8.15pm in the Clubhouse. A detailed Notice of Meeting and Agenda will be sent to all Members in August.

Dinner will be available in the CCA beforehand from 5.30pm.

Nominations

NAME	ADDRESS	OCCUPATION	PROPOSER	SECONDER
Metropolitan				
Lumsdaine, Matthew	Palm Beach	Consultant	J G Hardy OBE	D P Hardy
Hatfield, Hilary	Kirribilli	Teacher (Retired)	D G Henry	A G Whealy
Hewson, Marie	North Sydney	Retired	J M Hoffmann	R W Commins
McCullough, Jane	Milsons Point	Solicitor	K D Gojnich	R McCance
Overton, Charlotte	Longueville	Nursing Sister (Retired)	J A Saalfeld	C M Champion
Cooper, Janet	Pymble	Retired	L C Chapple	A G K Simons
Biscoe, Alison	Bilgola Beach	Lawyer (Retired)	C J McKillop	J W Hughes
Ross, Andrew	Double Bay	Retired	I Clarke	C Smith
Country				
Pitts, Robert	Kew	Building Construction	L N Hill	S J Barlow
Dean, Peter	Bowral	Publican	A J F Rofe	C Caws
Affiliate				
Biscoe, Peter	Bilgola Beach	Judge (Retired)	C J McKillop	J W Hughes

A list of Candidates for Membership is also displayed on the Clubhouse noticeboards fourteen (14) days prior to an Election Committee Meeting.



Reminder to Members

To avoid unnecessary embarrassment, please remember to sign in your non-member guests. We are bound by the Clubs Act and non-members may not enter the grounds nor make purchases at Club outlets unless in the company of a Member. Please note that this applies to the spouse/partner of a Member who is not officially an Affiliate Member. Non-member spouses/partners must be accompanied and signed in by the Member.

If you would like to enquire about Affiliate membership, please contact Michelle Baeza at rsys@rsys.com.au or call 9017 0157.

Flag Officers and Committee

Commodore
Richard Chapman

Vice Commodore
David Ward

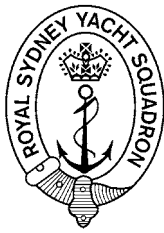
Rear Commodore
Christian Brook

Captain
David Edwards

Honorary Treasurer
Ross Littlewood

Geoff Davidson
Karyn Gojnich
Richard Hammond
Russell Taylor

If you would like to contact the Flag Officers and Committee please contact the Club Secretary's Office on 9017 0157 or michelle@rsys.com.au.



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AUGUST SIX PACK EXTRAVAGANZA

FRENCH BISTRO PACK

Some nice, tasty and not too pricey French wines that are great just for drinking or having over dinner with friends. Salut!

- 1x NV Cave de Turckheim Crémant Sparkling
- 1x 2016 Delas Côtes du Rhône Blanc
- 1x 2016 William Fevre Petit Chablis
- 1x 2015 Chanson Le Bourgogne Pinot Noir
- 1x 2012 La Tour Travers Bordeaux Rouge
- 1x 2015 Reserve Mont-Redon Côtes du Rhône Red

Normal Price \$171, Special Price \$159

FRENCH DELUXE PACK

For French wine lovers who like to indulge just a little bit or like to host dinner parties. The stand out is the Lirac.

- 1x NV Pol Roger Champagne
- 1x 2015 Jean Luc Mader Riesling
- 1x 2016 Christophe et Fils VV Chablis
- 1x 2015 Bruno Colin Bourgogne Pinot Noir
- 1x 2014 Mouton Cadet America's Cup Ltd Release Bordeaux
- 1x 2015 Château Mont-Redon Lirac

Normal Price \$295, Special Price \$274

NO FURTHER DISCOUNTS APPLY. AVAILABLE LATE AUGUST TO NOVEMBER.

It is against the law to sell or supply liquor to, or obtain alcohol on behalf of, a person under the age of 18 years.



AUSTRALIA'S
WINE LIST OF
THE YEAR
AWARDS

AUGUST SIX PACK EXTRAVAGANZA

SPARKLING PACK

We are getting ready for Spring which is already here! Amazing weather calls for amazing sparkling. Pay attention to the Monmousseau and the Mandala!

- 1x NV Squadron Sparkling
- 1x NV Guerrieri Rizzardi Prosecco
- 1x Monmousseau Sparkling
- 1x 2014 Mandala Blanc de Blancs Sparkling
- 1x Clover Hill Sparkling Rosé
- 1x NV Bleasdale Sparkling Shiraz

Normal Price \$153, Special Price \$142

RSYS STAFF PICKS PACK

These are wines that we are drinking and you should too! The CEO loves his Soave, the Asst. House Manager adores his NZ Pinot Noir and the Cellar Mistress wants to marry the Shiraz... Need we say more?

- 1x 2017 Chaffey Bros Tripelpunkt Riesling
- 1x 2016 Cantina Pra Soave
- 1x 2016 Scarborough Blue Label Chardonnay
- 1x 2017 Nanny Goat Pinot Noir
- 1x 2017 Château de Pizay Beaujolais
- 1x 2016 Powell & Son Barossa and Eden Valleys Shiraz

Normal Price \$197, Special Price \$182

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Member's Name _____ House Account _____

Signature _____

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Preferred Day/Time of Delivery: Day _____ AM / PM