

Stawell Yacht Club Race/Rescue Boat Roster

Feb 2019 - April 2019

Current Boat Licence Holders

Chris Fitzgerald
Jan Ibs von Seht
Johno Knight
Leigh Edwards
Mark Knights
Peter Knight
Peter Mullenger
Phil Chaplin
Roger Spratt
Ross Bennett
Tony Hillier
Andrew Pearce
George Grellet

A/R - As Required-If weather conditions require a rescue boat on the day, a volunteer will be sought

February	3rd Pennant	10th Trohpy	17th Pennant	24th Trophy	
Rostered Driver	Andrew Pearce	A/R	Johno Knight	A/R	
Actual Driver					
Crew				Warrnambool Regatta	

March	3rd Pennant	10th Trophy	17th Interclub	24th Pennant	31st Pennant
Rostered Driver	Mark Knights	A/R	At Horsham	George Grellet	Phil Chaplin
Actual Driver			TBC		
Crew		9-11th Impulse States			

April	7th Pennant	14th Sail Off	21st Trophy	28th Trophy	
Rostered Driver	Leigh Edwards	A/R	A/R	A/R	
Actual Driver			19-22nd Easter Regatta		
Crew			Lake Bullen Merri	Closing Day Sail	

Notes:

It is the responsibility of the Rostered Driver to switch with another member if he or she cannot make that assigned date. As part of the Race/Rescue Boat duties, the operator will have the job of setting the course, starting the race and taking finish times if there is no land based time keeper available on the day. After the race they will retrieve the buoys. All Active Sailing Members who do not have a boat licence must volunteer as a crew member at least once during the sailing season. As per current club Bylaws, a member will be awarded 3rd place if driving the rescue boat on a Pennant Race day.

Start Procedure

- 6 min. before race start Sound the Horn-Short burst to warn sailors of pending 5 minute start procedure or use verbal warning if appropriate.
- 5 min. before race start Raise the course flag (Red or Green), sound horn and start the timing clock
- Red for port course or green for starboard course
- 4 min. Before race start Raise the Blue Peter Flag with a short burst of the horn.
- 1 min. before race start Lower the Blue Peter Flag with a short burst of the horn.
- 0 min. Race Start Lower course flag (no flags up) and sound the horn.
- Race times:- 5 minutes to be deducted from race times when club timer is used to start the race and record finish times.