



KEELBOAT PRESENTATION NIGHT

2022-2023

13th May 2023

Welcome to the 2022-2023 Keelboat Presentation Night

Welcome members, special guests and all our Alpha and Charlie Course Keelboat Sailors to our 2022-2023 Presentation Night.

I would like to congratulate those successful skippers and crew who have received awards tonight. I also congratulate all our sailors who take to the water each week to enjoy our wonderful sport of sailing.

Thank you to our dedicated and loyal Race Management Team, Sailing and Boating Committee, and our Volunteers and Staff who support our on water activities each week. I also thank our club sponsors who provide much needed financial assistance to keep our racing affordable for all.

Once again, it has been a busy year at the club. I am very proud of what we have achieved over the past year and thank all involved. Enjoy the night!

RGYC Commodore
Roger Bennett

Patron Her Excellency the Honorable
Linda Dessau AC, Governor of
Victoria

RGYC Board

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Commodore	Roger Bennett
Vice Commodore	Paul Buchholz
Rear Commodore	Chris Manton
Club Captain	Phil Francis
Treasurer	Peter Alexander

Board Members

Steve Blackburn
Laura Cora
Brendan Garner
Alison Goodfellow
Jim Murray
Steve Williamson



Evening Program

- 6:30 pm** **Welcome** - Honorary Life Member Tony Bull
- 6:40 pm** **Loyal Toast to His Majesty Charles King of England**
- Life Member & Vice Commodore Paul Buchholz
- 6:45 pm** **Opening Remarks** - Commodore Roger Bennett
- 7:00 pm** **Main Course**
- 7:30 pm** **Toast to Kindred Clubs** - Rear Commodore Chris Manton
Response to Toast - RBYC Commodore Niesje Hees
- 7:50 pm** **Trophy Presentations;**
Club Captain Phil Francis
Vice Commodore Paul Buchholz
- 8:35 pm** **Toast to Yachting** - RGYC Member Melinda Troeth
Response to Toast - ORCV Commodore Cyrus Allen
- 8:45 pm** **Special Awards** - Commodore Roger Bennett

**Thank you to our
Alpha & Charlie Course Major Sponsors**



Award Winners

Allora - Paul Smedley

W.H.(Jockey) Jones Perpetual Trophy

1st Division 1, Club Course Aggregate

Josh Glover Cup

1st, Glover Cup

2nd Division 1, Leura Park Estate Season Aggregate

Bad Influence – Michael Bakker / Jeff Wolff

W H MacKinlay Cup Killara Trophy

1st PHS, Portarlington Race

Geelong Media Trophy

1st PHS Division 3, Portarlington Race

3rd PHS Division 1, Ports Victoria Twilight Aggregate

Baltic - Peter Bone

Kevin Bell Trophy

1st PHS Division 3, Kevin Bell Series

Betty Cole Perpetual Trophy

2nd PHS Leura Park Estate Season Aggregate

Award Winners

Bundaberg - John Kint

Race Committee Trophy

Most raced boat of the season

1st PHS Division 1, Pre Christmas Twilight Series

2nd PHS, Tuff Marine Series

Bundaberg - Jenny Perks

3rd PHS, Women's Helm Series

Dalliance II - Geoff Newman

3rd PHS Division 2, Post Christmas Twilight Series

3rd PHS Division 2, Ports Victoria Twilight Aggregate Series

Doesn't Matter - Doesn't Matter Syndicate

Murray McAllister Cup

1st Geelong to Queenscliff Race

Dynamic – Jim Murray / Gerard O'Brien

Wilfred Libby Memorial Trophy

1st Division 1, Leura Park Estate Season Aggregate

Victorian Regional Channels Authority Trophy

1st, Division 1, Ports Victoria Twilight Aggregate Series

Award Winners

Dynamic – Jim Murray / Gerard O’Brien - Cont.

2nd Geelong to Queenscliff Race

2nd Division 1, Post Christmas Twilight Series

3rd Division 1, Pre Christmas Twilight Series

Dynamic – Tobi Van Cleef

Montgomery Family Trophy

1st PHS, Women’s Helm Series

Lorna Anderson Trophy

1st PHS, Women’s Helm Series - Race 2

Extasea - Paul Buchholz

Lionel Windsor Trophy

Best Performed RGYC Yacht Rating Series Division 1 in the FoS Passage
Race

Davidsons Twilight Trophy

1st PHS Division 1, Davidsons Twilight Race

2nd ORC, Tuff Marine Series

2nd PHS, Gannet Cup

Fleurieu Warrior - Trevor Brown

Sea Wren Cup

1st PHS, Leura Park Estate Season Aggregate

Club Captains Trophy

1st PHS Division 2, Last Race of the Season

Award Winners

Fleurieu Warrior - Trevor Brown - Cont.

Victorian Regional Channels Authority Trophy

1st PHS Division 2, Ports Victoria Twilight Aggregate Series

2nd PHS Division 2, Pre Christmas Twilight Series

3rd PHS, Tuff Marine Series

3rd PHS, Gannet Cup

Grumpy Old Men - Allan Buckley

1st PHS Division 2, Post Christmas Twilight Series

Hush - Paul Gunner

Kevin Bell Trophy

1st PHS Division 1, Kevin Bell Series

Davidsons Winter Trophy

1st PHS Division 1, 2022 Davidsons Winter Series

Inspiration - Peter Cameron

RGYC Foundation Twilight Trophy

1st Division 1, RGYC Foundation, Ports Victoria Twilight Race

3rd Geelong to Queenscliff Race

Jac Hoi - John Kelly

3rd, Etchells Leura Park Estate Season Aggregate

Award Winners

Jack Tar - Manfred Herzer

Davidsons Twilight Trophy

1st PHS Division 2, Davidsons Twilight Race

1st PHS Division 2, Pre Christmas Twilight Series

2nd PHS, Musto Two Handed Series

Joan D'Arc - Douglas Gaylard

2nd PHS Division 2, Post Christmas Twilight Series

Kavala - Dave Ruffin

Myer Emporium Tray

Best Performed RGYC Yacht EHC in the Festival of Sails Passage Race

Mayflower Trophy

Best Performed RGYC Yacht EHC over the Festival of Sails Regatta

Kestrel - Jonathan Apted

Sir Winston Churchill Perpetual Trophy

1st AMS Division 1, Leura Park Estate Season Aggregate

Club Captains Trophy

1st PHS Division 1, Last Race of the Season

2nd PHS Division 1, Ports Victoria Twilight Series

2nd PHS Division 1, Pre Christmas Twilight Series

3rd ORC Division 1, Leura Park Estate Season Aggregate

Award Winners

Kestrel - Helen Wallace

2nd PHS, Women's Helm Series

Larriken 2 - Darren Pickering

1st PHS, Tuff Marine Series

1st ORC, Tuff Marine Series

1st PHS, Gannet Cup

Matilda - Blake Robertson

2nd Etchells Leura Park Estate Season Aggregate

Meridian Passage - Paul Douglas

3rd PHS, Musto Two Handed Series

Murphy's Law - Harry Farnell

RGYC Foundation Twilight Trophy

1st Division 2, RGYC Foundation Twilight Race

Panache - Michael Melican

2nd PHS Division 2, Ports Victoria Twilight Aggregate Series

Panther - Brendan Garner / Steve Williamson

Captain A D McPherson Tray

1st Etchells Leura Park Estate Season Aggregate

Martini Marine Perpetual Trophy

1st Etchells Pre Christmas Twilight Race

Award Winners

Panther - Brendan Garner / Steve Williamson Cont.

Harold Troon Cup

1st Etchells Post Christmas Twilight Race

Reverie - Reverie Syndicate

Howard Hitchcock Perpetual Shield

1st Division 1, Leura Park Estate Season Aggregate

Cutty Sark Trophy

1st Club & Windward Leeward Aggregates

H P Douglass Sheild

1st Portarlington Race

3rd Division 1, Post Christmas Twilight Series

Scarecrow - Hiske Klaassen

1st PHS Division 2, 2022 Davidsons Winter Series

Solera - Stuart Richardson

3rd ORC Tuff Marine Series

Spirit - Dale Robertson

Coca Cola Shield

1st Division 1, Windward Leeward Series

3rd Division 1, Leura Park Estate Season Aggregate

Award Winners

Spirit of Rani - Phil Francis

1st PHS Division 1, Post Christmas Twilight Series
3rd AMS Division 1, Leura Park Estate Season Aggregate

The Usual Suspects - Daryl Speakman

Ernest Brockman Memorial Trophy

1st ORC Division 1, Portarlinton Race

2nd AMS Division 1, Leura Park Season Aggregate

2nd ORC Division 1, Leura Park Season Aggregate

Time Out - Lovro Ljubanovic

Two Handed Perpetual Trophy

1st PHS, Musto Two Handed Series

3rd PHS Division 3, Leura Park Season Aggregate

3rd PHS Division 2, Pre Christmas Twilight Series

Vivacite- Roger McLennan

Winchester Western

1st PHS Division 3, Club Course Aggregate

Special Awards

The Bolle Trophy

The Bolle Trophy is awarded for achievements which promote sailing as a sport of fun and personal or group development not driven by commercial interest or abnormal finance.

The William Smith Memorial Trophy

The William Smith Memorial Trophy is awarded to the boat considered to be the best prepared, found and maintained for the season.

The Verfurth Trophy

The Verfurth Trophy was presented by A.F. Verfurth in 1958, awarded to the RGYC Club Member who makes the most Outstanding Contribution to Yachting during the year.

The W.H Thacker Perpetual Shield

The W.H. Thacker Perpetual Shield is awarded to the Club Member considered to be most enthusiastic for the season.

Sailing & Boating Committee

Chairman: Club Captain Phil Francis

Commodore Roger Bennett

Life Member & Vice Commodore Paul Buchholz

Sailing and Boating Manager Drew Malcolm

Board Member Brendan Garner

Susannah Gillam

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