

# New South Wales 16ft Skiff Association Inc.

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Attention: Club 16ft Skiff Race Secretary

The next meeting of the Association will be held at the **Georges River Club** on **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2010** at 7.30pm.

The following is a list of the Association officials who were elected at the AGM for the 2010/11 season:

## **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

President	Mark Graham
Vice-President	Riv Robson
Commodore	Lloyd Mulholland
Vice-Commodore	John Andrew
Hon. Secretary	Michael McMahon
Assistant Hon. Secretary	Roger Steel
Hon. Treasurer	Belinda Sherry

## **RACE OFFICERS**

Starter & Judge	Riv Robson
Assistant Starter & Judge	Michael McMahon
Time Keeper	Lloyd Mulholland
Asst. Time Keeper	Ian Heritage
Measuring Committee (Northern Zone)	(vacant)
Measuring Committee (Central Zone)	(vacant)
Measuring Committee (Southern Zone)	John Andrew
Boat Registrar	Craig Corke
Chairman Handicapping Committee	Paul Linnett
Handicapping Committee Member	Michael McMahon
Handicapping Committee Member	Ian Heritage

## **OTHER POSITIONS**

Patron	Bill Riley
Historian	Michael McMahon / Mark Graham
Auditor	Brian Treleaven

The following State Championship and interclub races were also confirmed at the AGM.

<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Venue</i>
Saturday 16/10/2010	Port Hunter Regatta	Port Hunter
Saturday 30/10/2010	Race 1 State Championship	Salamander Bay
Sunday 31/10/2010	Race 2 State Championship	Salamander Bay
Saturday 13/11/2010	Race 3 State Championship	Middle Harbour
Sunday 14/11/2010	Race 4 State Championship	Middle Harbour
Saturday 27/11/2010	Race 5 State Championship	Drummoyne
Saturday 28/11/2010	Race 6 State Championship	Drummoyne
* Saturday 12/2/2011	Australian 16ft Skiff Sprint Series	Belmont
* Sunday 13/2/2011	Belmont Bay Championship	Belmont
Sunday 27/2/2011	Botany Bay Championship	St George

\* Special Event (not counted for the purpose of any Association Point Scores)

The following is a schedule of fees, charges and values which were confirmed at the AGM.

<i>Activity</i>	<i>Fee Payable (16ft skiffs)</i>	<i>Fee Payable (13ft skiffs)</i>
Annual Skiff Registration Fee	<b>\$70</b>	\$35
Annual Subscription (for clubs)	<b>\$170</b>	*\$170
Beach Entry Fee (per race)	<b>\$60</b>	\$30
Combined Season State Championship and Interclub Race Entry Fee	<b>\$240</b>	\$110
Entrance Fee (for a club) to the Association	<b>Nil</b>	Nil
Interclub Race Entry Fee (per race)	<b>\$40</b>	\$20
Petty Cash advance	<b>\$100</b>	N/A
Secretary's Honorarium	<b>\$4,000</b>	N/A
Webmaster Honorarium	<b>Nil</b>	N/A

\* this fee is only applicable if the club is not already affiliated with the NSW 16ft Skiff Association with a 16ft skiff fleet. Thus, any club is only required to pay one annual affiliation fee.

Could Race Secretaries please forward a list of their club's office bearers. It would also be appreciated if you could forward contact details (**postal or email address and phone number**) for your **Commodore, vice-Commodore, Race Secretary and Association Delegate(s)**.

The following is a schedule of State Association meetings for the next 12 months together with closing dates for Regattas and other information required to be lodged with the Association. Please note that meeting dates could be subject to change if the need arises.

- 8 September 2010 (*Wed.*)      GENERAL MEETING at Georges River - 7.30pm
- 6 October 2010 (*Wed.*)      GENERAL MEETING at Manly - 7.30pm  
**Entries close for Port Hunter Regatta**  
*Skiff registration forms to be lodged*  
*Courses to be used by Clubs for Regattas required*  
*List of Club Office Bearers for 2009/10 season required*  
*List of Club Starter, Rescue Boat Drivers and Club Race Officials required*
- 20 October 2010 (*Wed.*)      GENERAL MEETING at Georges River - 7.30pm  
**Entries close for State Championships**  
**Entries close for Belmont Regatta** (at Salamander Bay)  
**Entries close for Middle Harbour Regatta**
- 10 November 2010 (*Wed.*)      GENERAL MEETING at Manly - 7.30pm  
**Entries close for Drummoyne Regatta**
- 8 December 2010 (*Wed.*)      GENERAL MEETING at Georges River - 6.30pm
- 9 February 2011 (*Wed.*)      GENERAL MEETING at Manly - 7.30pm  
**Entries close for Botany Bay Championship**
- 9 March 2011 (*Wed.*)      GENERAL MEETING at Georges River - 7.30pm
- 13 April 2011 (*Wed.*)      GENERAL MEETING at Manly - 7.30pm
- 25 May 2011 (*Wed.*)      GENERAL MEETING at Georges River - 7.30pm
- 18 June 2011 (*Sat.*)      **CLUB COMMODORES MEETING** at Manly - 12 noon
- 13 July 2011 (*Wed.*)      GENERAL MEETING at Manly - 7.30pm  
**Closing date for nomination of Association officials 2011/12**
- 6 August 2011 (*Sat.*)      GENERAL MEETING & AGM at Illawarra - 2.00pm

A pro-forma **skiff registration form** is attached to this circular. Could Race Secretaries please photocopy the number you require for your Club. Completed forms should be returned to the Association by the Association meeting on 6<sup>th</sup> October 2010 at the latest. Any forms not completed correctly or are incomplete will be returned and the skiff will not be registered until the form is completed correctly and lodged with the Association.

I would encourage all boat owners to complete the "email address" section of the Registration Form (please write the address clearly). This address will only be used for the purposes of sending Association circulars and correspondence. It will not be used to forward any spam mail or advertising material. The inclusion of email addresses will assist us in

communicating all relevant Association news. More than one email address may be included for each boat if any crew members would also like to be on the mailing list.

Also attached to this circular is a **State Championship and Regatta Entry form**. Could Race Secretaries please photocopy the number of forms you require for your Club. Please note that skippers have two options – they can either place a block entry for the season (which includes the State Championships plus the other interclub Regattas) **OR** enter for individual Regattas that they wish to attend.

**Please do not send any money with registration or regatta entry forms as an invoice will be sent to each Club by the Association Treasurer.** The only exception to this is Beach Entries at Regattas. That (entry fee) money must be lodged with the entry on the day.

A copy of the NSW 16ft Skiff Association Annual Report for 2010-11 is now available on the skiff website ([www.skiffs.org.au](http://www.skiffs.org.au)). If you are aware of anyone who requires a hard copy, there are some copies available. Just send me a note.

*M.J. McMahon*  
(Michael McMahon)  
Hon. Secretary