

ROYAL SYDNEY YACHT SQUADRON

ONBOARD

JULY/AUGUST 2017

FUNCTIONS & DINING

From the Commodore

Relaunching the Squadron Foundation and Endowment Fund

Your General Committee is committed to the ongoing health and vitality of the Squadron including the preservation of our historic clubhouse, surrounds and our sailing infrastructure.

There is a long list of Squadron capital works, repairs and maintenance projects which are necessary to maintain and invest in our facilities for current and future members. Uppermost on this list are new Youth Sailing launching facilities and replacing the old jib crane.

We are relaunching the Squadron Foundation (formerly known as the Squadron Yacht Racing Foundation) to enable Members to make a tax-deductible donation to our projects and also relaunching the Squadron Endowment Fund. We invite members to view further details on the website at www.rsys.com.au/members/squadron-foundation and then to make a contribution using the donation form available online or at Reception.

By supporting the Squadron Foundation and Endowment Fund you will be protecting and enhancing the Squadron. Your donation and/or commitment will be gratefully appreciated and will allow your club to continue to invest with certainty across a broad range of important and necessary projects.

Should you require further information or assistance please contact our CEO William Pettigrew.

Richard Chapman
Commodore

The Black & White Ball

Saturday 26 August Carabella Room 6.30pm

The Commodore warmly invites you to this formal dinner dance event. Dress is Black Tie and Masks. NB Groups of eight or more will be allocated their own table/s. Smaller groups may be required to join a Club table.

Cost: Members and their guests \$135, includes three course dinner, fine wines, beers and dancing to the Aston Martinis.



Cheese Night

Thursday 3 August

Jonathan Woods from Simon Johnson will give an informal talk in the Neutral Bay Verandah whilst you are served canapés and wines from Southern France and the Basque region.

Then proceed to the Carabella Room for a cheese-inspired three course dinner served with matched wines.

Talk: 6-7pm, \$35 Dinner: 7-9pm, \$85

Family Sunday

Sunday 6 August Carabella Room 12pm

A special child-friendly Sunday lunch in the Carabella Room with a new Share Menu for the grown-ups. Kids will enjoy a special menu then race off to the jumping castle on the lawn or the supervised playroom in the Kirribilli Room.

NB The play room is suitable for 3-12yrs, places are limited - bookings essential.

Cost: Adults Menu \$65, Kids U12 Menu \$15

Family Pasta Night

Wednesday 9 August CCA 6pm

Enjoy freshly made authentic pasta dishes from Italy including: Antipasto & Salami Plates, Linguini with Prawns & Calamari, Potato Gnocchi with Roast Pumpkin and Pappardelle with Veal Shank & Red Wine Ragù.

Cost: \$17-27, per the menu on the night. Kids' menu \$12.



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Functions: 9017 0156
Member Accounts: 9017 0135
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Membership: 9017 0157
Sailing Office: 9017 0152
Yacht Repair: 9017 0161

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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Rhône Master Class

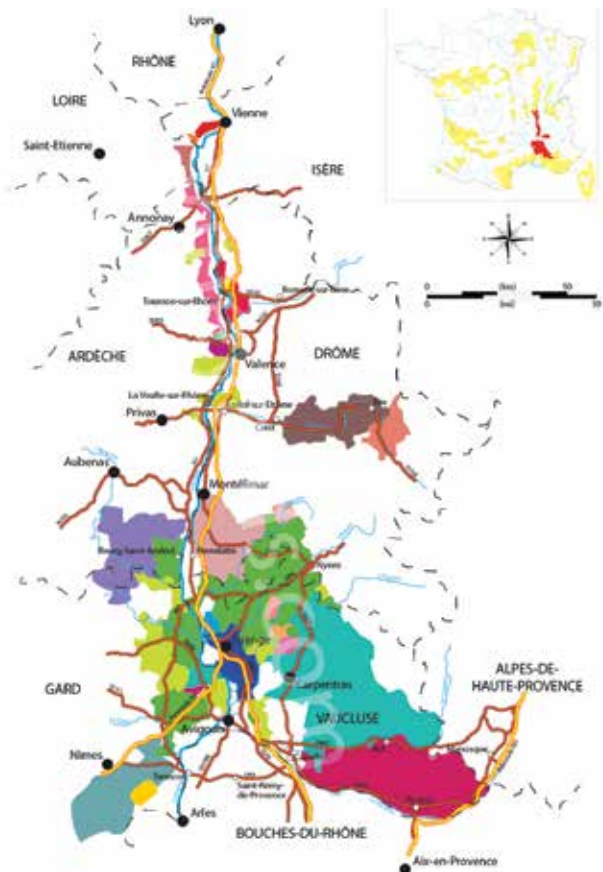
Wednesday 19 July CCA 6pm

Gavin Lennard from Vintage & Vine will guide you through the different appellations in the Rhône valley, tasting wines from Côtes du Rhône, Châteauneuf du Pape, Gigondas, Lirac, Crozes Hermitage and more.

Following the class, enjoy a themed two course set menu in the Carabella Room.

Cost \$50 for master class, \$42 for a 2 course set menu.

All wines on tasting at take away prices with dinner.



RSYS Book Club

Tuesday 25 July 11.30am

We will discuss 'Working Class Boy' by Jimmy Barnes. Before Cold Chisel and 'Barnesy', the success and excess, there was the true story of James Dixon Swan – a working class boy.

Future meetings:

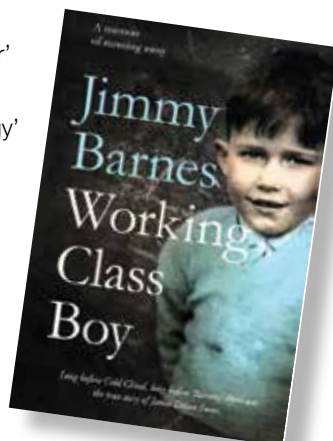
22 August – 'The Japanese Lover' by Isabel Allende

26 September – 'The Hillbilly Elegy' by JD Vance

24 October – 'A Man Called Ove' by Fredrick Backman

Cost: \$7pp includes tea, coffee, biscuits

Do stay and continue the conversation over lunch.



Lunchtime

Live Jazz



Sunday 30 July – The Capitols

Sunday 27 August – The Aston Martinis

The last Sunday of the month brings rhythm and soul to the CCA between noon and 3pm. Be sure to book a table for lunch!

Squadron Grand Buffet

Sunday lunch 20 August

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



Wine Appreciation Group

Wednesday 16 August CCA 6pm

Join us for a relaxed evening sampling a varied selection. Afterwards, do stay on to enjoy a two course set menu in the Carabella Room with tasting wines available to buy at take away prices.

Cost: Members \$10 Tasting, \$52 Tasting and dinner

Guests: \$15 Tasting, \$57 Tasting and dinner

Raid the Cellar!

**Friday 25 August Carabella Room
6.30pm for 7pm**

Chef will prepare a themed dégustation menu and you may take your pick from a selection of magnificent hand-picked wines – at take away prices or less!

Cost: \$69 for dégustation menu, wines at take away prices



SAILING & RACING

Cruising Division Presentation

Wednesday 26 July CCA 6pm for 6.20pm start

'So you want to Race around the World?'

Michael Molesworth will regale the Cruising Division with tales from the Clipper Round the World Challenge for Corinthian sailors.

Next meeting:
23 August 'The other shore: an illustrated history of North Sydney and surrounds' by Dr Ian Hoskins



Dates for your diary

Compulsory Skippers Briefing

Tuesday 22 or Wednesday 30 August

Carabella Room, 6pm to 7pm

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

Equipment Audits

Saturday 12, 19 & 26 August

Equipment inspections: 9am to 2pm. Bookings: margaret@rsys.com.au or 9017 0152.

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

Sling inspections for hardstand boats: Saturday 26 August (only) 9am to 12pm – an inspector will be stationed on the hardstand.



2018 Tahiti Yacht Rally Talk

Thursday 10 August CCA 6.30pm

RSYS and Mariner Boating Holidays have partnered once again to offer Members a new international sailing holiday. The Tahiti Yacht Rally will take place around Bora Bora, Huahine, Raiatea and Tahaa from 15-29 September 2018. Trevor Joyce will reveal all at this presentation!

No cost to attend, complimentary drinks and nibbles. Please RSVP to Reception.

Winter Series Prize Giving

Saturday 29 July CCA 6.30pm

Skippers, crew and friends are invited to the Combined Clubs' 12 Race Winter Series prize giving. The prize giving will commence at 6.30pm and will take approximately 15 minutes. Stay and enjoy the company of your fellow competitors over dinner – book via Reception.

RSYS Adult Discover 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 new 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 August-November and are open for booking now. Further information and enrolments at www.rsys.com.au/training-top/adult-learn-to-sail or call 02 9017 0153

Cost: \$420 Members, \$450 Non-members

Junior Learn to Sail Courses

Tackers: Our Learn to Sail programme is designed for 8-12 years 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.

Term 3

8 Sundays, 23 July-17 September, 2017, 9am-12pm

School Holiday Camps

Tackers: 4 days 25-28 September and 3-6 October, 9am-3.30pm

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. 4 days 25-28 September and 3-6 October, 9am-3.30pm

All courses are open to Members and Non-members, cost \$450. Information and bookings at rsys.com.au/training-top/kids-learn-to-sail or call 02 9017 0153

Winter Dinghy Racing dates (Frostbite Series)

Sunday 30 July, Sunday 27 August

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

Information and registrations at www.rsys.com.au/sailing/dinghy-racing

First Aid Course

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

The Sailing Office in conjunction with Survival First Response 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 sandwiches, tea & coffee)

Book via the Sailing Office margaret@rsys.com.au

MEMBERS

Notice of Election

of General Committee, Election Committee and Official Measurer

In accordance with Section 57 of the Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron Constitution, nominations are now called for the positions of: Flag Officer, Honorary Treasurer, Ordinary Directors and Official Measurer. In accordance with Section 38 of the Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron Constitution, nominations are also called for the positions of the Election Committee.

Nominations shall be made in writing to the Club Secretary and shall be signed by the nominator and nominee. Nomination Forms are available from the Squadron Clubhouse reception desk. Completed nomination forms shall be lodged at the Squadron Clubhouse reception.

The closing date for nominations is Tuesday 18 July 2017 at 4.00pm. Voting will be conducted at the Annual General Meeting on Tuesday 5 September 2017 at 8.15pm.

Annual General Meeting

Tuesday 5 September 2017

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.

Nominations

NAME	ADDRESS	OCCUPATION	PROPOSER	SECONDER
Metropolitan				
Tanimura, Massahiko	Walsh Bay	General Manager	A Shepherd AO	M R G Johnson
Nix, Derek	Mosman	Managing Director	A L Cooper	M R Johnson
Baker, Kenneth	Norah Head	Retired	P J Read	K Evers
Ferguson, David	Artarmon	Company Director	K U Kevans	P J Davison
McPherson, Paul	McMahons Point	Director	P M Antaw	R Graham AM
Clark, Ian (Dr)	Northbridge	Pathologist	R J Grellman AM	R L Inder
Kassel, Ellen	Collaroy	Retired	L E Tutt OAM	J A Scott
Challen, Emma	Hunters Hill	Self Employed	M J Anderson	M I Anderson
Country				
Bentivoglio, Anna	Ashgrove, QLD	Practice Manager	P C MacDougall	B Gould
Intermediate				
Hall, Zara	Willoughby	Self Employed	Commodore R E Harrison	W Moyes
Affiliate				
Ferguson, Olivera	Artarmon	Company Director	K U Kevans	P J Davison
Youth				
Bryan, Nathan	Newport	Student	N O'Shea	R G Cassidy
Cassidy, Hannah	Chatswood	Student	N O'Shea	R McLachlan
Smith, Charles	Willoughby	Student	M Phillip	R McLachlan
Ferguson, Jack	Artarmon	Student	K U Kevans	P J Davison
Ferguson, Mina	Artarmon	Student	K U Kevans	P J Davison

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

Members Internet Portal

Members are encouraged to manage their personal accounts via the online Members Portal located within the secure Members Area of the RSYS website www.rsys.com.au.

Please note: a 'two-step' log in is required: first, to access the Members Area and second, to access your personal account. You need your Member Number and your unique password. (Click on 'forgot password' if you need to reset – NB this may take 24 hrs.)

- You can view and update your contact details
- Select your preferred communications options
- View recent account transactions and obtain a current account balance
- View past statements

There is a 'How-to' guide and FAQs at www.rsys.com.au/members/club-publications

If you do not have access to a computer, do not use email or do not wish to use the Portal, that is perfectly fine and you will not be at any disadvantage. You need take no action, we will continue to send you correspondence, publications and statements by post.

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.



JULY – PINOT GRIS/GRIGIO 6 PACK

NORMAL PACK PRICE \$119.00 **SPECIAL PACK PRICE \$105.00**

FREE
home delivery
for orders of dozen
bottles Sydney
Metro

Liquor license number 230104



2015 Babich Black Label Pinot Gris

Spicy and floral with red apples and pear. Big and warm palate, well structured with baked quince and a touch of ginger.

\$18 RRP

QTY



2015 Corte Giara Pinot Grigio

The palate displays flavours of pear, apple and citrus with some dried straw characters on the back palate.

\$21 RRP

QTY



2015 Le Chat Noir Pinot Gris

The palate is medium bodied and fruit driven with a vibrant core of pear and apple flavours, more spice, an attractive textural grip and soft mineral length.

\$17 RRP

QTY



2016 Sam Miranda Pinot Grigio

Red apple and ripe pear with notes of straw and dried herb. Very savoury and vinous with an earthy mix of white fruit and herbs, mouth-watering texture and racy acidity.

\$23 RRP

QTY



2016 Kilikanoon Skilly Valley Pinot Gris

Flavoursome and compelling, the long and juicy palate marries fresh limes, oriental pears and kitchen spices with crisp natural acidity in a rewarding and persistent finish.

\$24 RRP

QTY



2016 Chain of Ponds Novello Pinot Grigio

The lush and dense palate packs juicy flavours of stone fruit, pear and citrus supported by a layer of balanced acidity, to culminate in a sweet, lengthy and textural finish.

\$16 RRP

QTY

Vintage	Wine	RRP	6Btl	Qty
NV	Squadron Sparkling <i>Adelaide Hills</i>	\$17.00	\$16.15	<input type="text"/>
NV	Billecart-Salmon Brut Reserve <i>Champagne</i>	\$75.00	\$71.25	<input type="text"/>
2015	Squadron Chardonnay <i>Orange & Hunter Valley</i>	\$15.00	\$14.25	<input type="text"/>
2015	Fraser Gallop Parterre Chardonnay <i>Margaret River</i>	\$34.00	\$32.30	<input type="text"/>
2015	Johnny Q Pinot Gris <i>Adelaide Hills</i>	\$13.00	\$12.35	<input type="text"/>
2016	Squadron Semillon <i>Hunter Valley</i>	\$15.00	\$14.25	<input type="text"/>
2016	De luliis Verdelho <i>Hunter Valley</i>	\$24.00	\$22.80	<input type="text"/>
2015	Battle of Bosworth Sauvignon Blanc <i>McLaren Vale</i>	\$20.00	\$19.00	<input type="text"/>
2015	Corte Giara Pinot Grigio <i>Friuli-Venezia, Italy</i>	\$21.00	\$19.95	<input type="text"/>
2015	Tomich Rhyme & Reason Pinot Grigio <i>King Valley</i>	\$18.00	\$17.10	<input type="text"/>
2016	Pewsey Vale Prima Riesling <i>Clare Valley</i>	\$23.00	\$21.85	<input type="text"/>
2014	Domaine Laroche St Martin Chablis <i>Burgundy, France</i>	\$50.00	\$47.50	<input type="text"/>

5% discount for all orders of six or more wines
10% discount for orders over \$500

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.



JULY – CABERNET 6 PACK

NORMAL PACK PRICE \$163.00 **SPECIAL PACK PRICE \$146.00**

Fax completed orders to
Jamie Dickinson (02) 9956 6218
Email: dickinson@rsys.com.au



AUSTRALIA'S
WINE LIST OF
THE YEAR
AWARDS

A copy of the full cellar list is available
from the Members section on the
Squadron website at www.rsys.com.au



2014 Taltarni Cabernet Sauvignon

Typical aromas of blackcurrant leafiness and cigar box and a refined complex medium weight palate with supple texture makes this Taltarni release great drinking.

\$37 RRP

QTY



2014 Thomas Goss Cabernet Sauvignon

Rich and generously loaded with dark cherry, mulberry and black currant fruits with oak spice and fine long tannins.

\$20 RRP

QTY



2014 Vasse Felix Cabernet Sauvignon

Compact and concentrated in flavour of blue and purple berries, nuances of herb and licorice, cedar and light wood smoke, with a gentle mouth-coating tannin persisting.

\$40 RRP

QTY



2013 Johnny Q Cabernet Sauvignon

Fresh aromas of cassis and mint fruit flavours with some well integrated vanillin oak. On the palate it is full bodied with dense ripe cassis fruit flavours balanced with vanillin oak but yet long and smooth.

\$14 RRP

QTY



2012 Freeman Altura Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon

A deeply coloured elegant wine marked by ripe blackberry and blueberry aromas with hints of chocolate.

\$26 RRP

QTY



2014 Château Bois de Rolland Rouge

The fine tannins are present on the nose and these hints of vanilla are joined by crushed strawberries. The wine is full bodied and concentrated. The finale is fresh fruity and gently woven with sweet tannins.

\$26 RRP

QTY

Vintage Wine	RRP	6Btl	Qty
2014 Squadron Shiraz <i>Barossa Valley</i>	\$16.00	\$15.20	<input type="text"/>
2016 Squadron Pinot Noir <i>Tasmania</i>	\$22.00	\$20.90	<input type="text"/>
2013 Squadron Cabernet Sauvignon <i>Hilltops</i>	\$15.00	\$14.25	<input type="text"/>
2014 Squadron Nor-Easter GSM <i>Barossa Valley</i>	\$18.00	\$17.10	<input type="text"/>
NV Mouton Cadet America's Cup Rosé <i>Bordeaux</i>	\$48.00	\$45.60	<input type="text"/>
2014 Trentham The Family Nebbiolo <i>Murray Darling</i>	\$12.00	\$11.40	<input type="text"/>
2015 Wooing Tree Beetlejuice Pinot Noir <i>Central Otago</i>	\$43.00	\$40.85	<input type="text"/>
2014 Mont Redon CDR Reserve <i>Côtes du Rhône</i>	\$24.00	\$22.80	<input type="text"/>
2014 Coriole Redstone Shiraz <i>McLaren Vale</i>	\$25.00	\$23.75	<input type="text"/>
2015 Patrick Sullivan Volcano Springs Pinot Noir <i>Gippsland</i>	\$62.00	\$58.90	<input type="text"/>
2014 Rivers Retreat Cabernet Sauvignon <i>Murray Darling</i>	\$12.00	\$11.40	<input type="text"/>
2015 Clyde Park Locale Shiraz <i>Geelong</i>	\$28.00	\$26.60	<input type="text"/>
2013 Tyrrell's Lunatiq Shiraz <i>Heathcote</i>	\$41.00	\$38.95	<input type="text"/>

Member's Name _____ House Account _____

Signature _____

Phone: Bus _____ Priv _____

Pick up Home Delivery

Deliver to: _____

_____ Postcode _____

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