



Pelican Sailing Association of W.A. (Inc.)
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Welcome back, hoping everyone enjoyed their break from sailing.

Highlights over the Xmas break:

The January 2010 Regatta at Port Bouvard from all accounts was a successful fun weekend. It was great to see a boat come up from Esperance and boats from Geraldton making the trip. Port Bouvard had a number of boats on the water at various times over the weekend so watch out for these boats at the Tip Top Regatta.

Events coming up:

1. TIP TOP Championships:

Date: Saturday 27th February & Sunday 28th February (It is the March long weekend).

The Notice of Race for this event is posted on the website and is a separate email to this newsletter. Cost is \$10 per boat.

Camping will be available at the Yacht Club again - cost will be \$10 per family per night.

Again we will need some power boats to be used as Rescue boats.

Costs for Presentation Night is TBA this will be held on Sunday night.

2. States In Geraldton:

The **Notice of Race** has now been sent out to families. It is also available on the website. If you need to book accommodation for the States look at one of the sponsors.

The States run from Sunday 4th April to Friday 9th April. Layday will be Wednesday 7th April.

Entry form with fee, Form of Indemnity and shirt form need to be in by 27th March.

Note: Sail Measuring is on Sunday afternoon and Monday morning.

3. P.S.A. AGM:

The Pelican Sailing Association's AGM will be held during the State Championships. If you have topics that you would like to discuss could they be submitted to me for the February PSA meeting - 3rd, so we can send the information out for discussion.

Any motions require 21 days notice prior to the AGM. A notice will be sent out once the date is set.

NOTE only the PSA Committee and Club delegates can vote at the AGM. There is still a vacancy for a Rep for the Geographe Bay Yacht Club.

4. Change of Boat details:

If you have changed any of your boat details please notify Rosa Wright (Registrar).

5. Number of Pelicans Sailing:

From our December PSA meeting we have worked out that each weekend we have some 50-60 boats on the water racing. That is 100-120 sailors enjoying sailing. What other class could match that!

6. Trophies from Busselton Easter Regatta 2009:

If you are in possession of the Busselton Easter trophies from last year could you bring them down to the Tip Top series so we can hand them over to Kevin for safe keeping.

Please note that a new committee address page is on the website.

Happy Sailing.

Cheers

Margaret Shiner