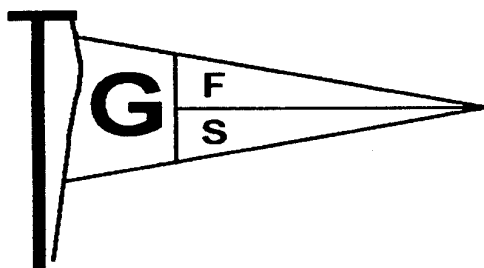


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## 2013 - 2014

# Season Program

For

## Yacht Divisions and Dinghy Classes

Club committee meetings are conducted at the Clubhouse on the second Tuesday of each month, commencing at 1930 hours.

### Safety Audits

Year	Month	Date	Audit
2013	August	24	Safety Audit – Saturday Series – 0900 Hrs
	September	21	Safety Audit 1 – Twilight Series – 0900 Hrs
		29	Safety Audit 2 – Twilight Series – 0900 Hrs

### Important Club Events

Year	Month	Date	Event
2013	August	17	Working Bee – from 0900 hrs
	October	2	Skippers' Meeting – Saturday and Twilight Series – Clubhouse from 1930 hrs
2014	February	22	Social Night – (if held)
	May	24	Prize presentation from 1500 hrs
	July	15	AGM

## Saturday and Down Harbour Keelboat Series

The starting sequence will begin at **1315 hours** for all Saturday Series. Races will start from the club launch when **code flag "Q"** (yellow pennant) is flown at the clubhouse. **'S'** denotes a possible **Safety Equipment spot check**; show the item requested to the launch crew after the finish.

Year	Month	Date	Event	Mick York Trophy	Duty Boat or Time and Venue	
2013	August	17	Working Bee		Clubhouse from 0900	
		24	Equipment Audits		Clubhouse from 0900	
		31	Spring Race 1		<b>CavSav</b>	
	September	7	Spring Race 2		<b>Flair</b>	
		14	Joe Walsh Down Harbour Race 1 (S)			
		21	Spring Race 3		<b>Young Obsession</b>	
		28	Spring Race 4	MY Race 1	<b>Blue Chip</b>	
	October	2	Skippers' Meeting		Clubhouse from 1930	
		5	<b>Long Weekend – International Fleet Review - Sydney Harbour – no racing</b>			
		12	Joe Walsh Down Harbour Race 2			
		19	Spring Race 5		<b>Speedwell</b>	
		26	Spring Race 6 (S)	MY Race 2	<b>Kirrala</b>	
		27*	<b>Balmain Regatta – details and entries to Balmain Sailing Club</b>			
	November	2	Spring Race 7		<b>Eggshells</b>	
		9	Spring Race 8		<b>Forte Forever</b>	
		16	Joe Walsh Down Harbour Race 3			
		23	Summer Race 1 - Handicap Start			
		30	Summer Race 2 - Handicap Start			
	December	7	Summer Race 3 - Handicap Start			
		14	Joe Walsh Down Harbour Race 4			
21		Summer Race 4 (S) - Handicap Start	MY Race 3			
28		<b>Christmas and New Year Break</b>				
2014	January	4	<b>Christmas and New Year Break</b>			
		11	Joe Walsh Down - Harbour Race 5			
		18	Summer Race 5 - Handicap Start			
		25	<b>Australia Day Long Weekend</b>			
	February	1	Summer Race 6 – Australia Day Regatta Race - Handicap Start			
		8	Autumn Race 1		<b>Out of Africa</b>	
		15	Joe Walsh Down Harbour Race 6			
		22	Autumn Race 2	MY Race 4	<b>TBA</b>	
	March	1	Autumn Race 3		<b>TBA</b>	
		8	Autumn Race 4		<b>TBA</b>	
		15	Joe Walsh Down Harbour Race 7			
		22	Autumn Race 5		<b>TBA</b>	
		29	Autumn Race 6	MY Race 5	<b>TBA</b>	
April	5	Autumn Race 7 (S)		<b>TBA</b>		
	12	Joe Walsh Down Harbour Race 8				
	19	<b>Easter</b>				
	26	Autumn Race 8	MY Race 6	<b>TBA</b>		

All Yachts registered for the Twilight Series are eligible to enter the Saturday Down Harbour Series and Mick York Trophy Series. The **Mick York Trophy Series** will run in conjunction with the regular Saturday Series Races. Down Harbour Series Races are sponsored by Joe Walsh Rigging

## West Harbour Winter Series, 2014

Year	Month	Date	Event	Other Information
2014	May	18	Winter Series Race 1	Dates for the combined Balmain Sailing Club, Drummoyne Sailing Club and Greenwich Flying Squadron Winter Series.  The number of divisions and the yachts in each division will be communicated prior to the first race.
	June	1	Winter Series Race 2	
		15	Winter Series Race 3	
		29	Winter Series Race 4	
	July	13	Winter Series Race 5	
		27	Winter Series Race 6	
	August	10	Winter Series Race 7	

## Twilight Series

All Twilight Races will start and finish at the clubhouse.

Twilight Spring and Autumn Series will be sailed in **six (6) Divisions**. The start sequence will commence at **1740 hours**. Coloured boards indicate the course to be sailed by each division. Blue Division will sail the blue course, White Division and Yellow Division will sail the white course, Green Division and Black Division the green course and Red Division will sail the red course (see Sailing Instruction 10 - Courses and Course Signals).

**The Summer Series will possibly be a Handicap Start Series. This will be communicated prior to the start of the series.**

Year	Month	Date	Event	Other Information	
2013	August	17	Working Bee	Clubhouse from 0900	
	September	21	Equipment Audits	0900 - 1200	
		29	Equipment Audits	Clubhouse from 1930 & Bar Open	
	October	2	Skippers' Briefing	0900 - 1400	
		6	<i>Daylight Saving Commences</i>		
		9	Spring Race 1	BBQ and Bar Open	
		16	Spring Race 2	BBQ and Bar Open	
		23	Spring Race 3	BBQ and Bar Open	
		27*	<i>Balmain Regatta – details and entries to Balmain Sailing Club</i>		
		30	Spring Race 4	BBQ and Bar Open	
	November	6	Spring Race 5	BBQ and Bar Open	
		13	Spring Race 6	BBQ and Bar Open	
		20	Spring Race 7	BBQ and Bar Open	
		27	Spring Race 8	BBQ and Bar Open	
	December	4	Spring Race 9	BBQ and Bar Open	
		11	Summer Race 1	BBQ and Bar Open	
		18	Summer Race 2	BBQ and Bar Open	
25		<i>Christmas Break</i>			
2014	January	1			
		8	Summer Race 3	BBQ and Bar Open	
		15	Summer Race 4	BBQ and Bar Open	
		22	Summer Race 5	BBQ and Bar Open	
		29	Summer Race 6 – Australia Day Regatta Race	BBQ and Bar Open	
	February	5	Autumn Race 1	BBQ and Bar Open	
		12	Autumn Race 2	BBQ and Bar Open	
		19	Autumn Race 3	BBQ and Bar Open	
		26	Autumn Race 4	BBQ and Bar Open	
	March	5	Autumn Race 5	BBQ and Bar Open	
		12	Autumn Race 6	BBQ and Bar Open	
		19	Autumn Race 7	BBQ and Bar Open	
		26	Autumn Race 8	BBQ and Bar Open	
	April	2	Autumn Race 9	BBQ and Bar Open	
		6	<i>Daylight Saving Ends</i>		

All Yachts registered for the Saturday and Twilight Series are eligible to enter the Saturday Down Harbour and Mick York Series. The starting sequence will begin at **1315 hours** for all Saturday Series races.

### Joe Walsh Rigging Down Harbour Series

Year	Month	Date	Event
2013	September	14	Joe Walsh Down Harbour Race 1
	October	12	Joe Walsh Down Harbour Race 2
	November	16	Joe Walsh Down Harbour Race 3
	December	14	Joe Walsh Down Harbour Race 4
2014	January	11	Joe Walsh Down Harbour Race 5
	February	15	Joe Walsh Down Harbour Race 6
	March	15	Joe Walsh Down Harbour Race 7
	April	12	Joe Walsh Down Harbour Race 8

### Mick York Trophy Races

Year	Month	Date	Event
2013	September	28	Mick York Trophy Series Race 1
	October	26	Mick York Trophy Series Race 2
	December	21	Mick York Trophy Series Race 3
2014	February	22	Mick York Trophy Series Race 4
	March	29	Mick York Trophy Series Race 5
	April	26	Mick York Trophy Series Race 6

**NSW Government School - Term Dates** <http://www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au/events/vacations.html>

Term	2013		2014	
	From	To	From	To
1	29th January	12th April	28th January	11th April
2	29th April	28th June	28th April	27th June
3	15th July	20th September	14th July	19th September
4	8th October	20th December	7th October	19th December

**Sabot, Junior Laser and Laser Series**

Sabot Races start no earlier than 1300 hours, Lasers can be on the deck at 1400 hours, should be on water by 1500 hours and can return from 1700hours. \* For details see the Sabot Sailing Instructions for race formats.

Year	Month	Date	Sabot and Junior Laser*	BBQ	Laser
2013	August	17	Working Bee - Clubhouse from 0900 Hours - all welcome		
	September	8			Spring Series Race 1
		15	Spring Series Race 1 - Club Championship Ht 1	BBQ	Spring Series Race 2
		22	School Holidays		Spring Series Race 3
	October	6	Long Weekend and School Holidays		
		13	Spring Series Race 2		Spring Series Race 4 Cowie Cup Heat 1
		20	Spring Series Race 3 - Club Championship Ht 2	BBQ	Spring Series Race 5
		27	Spring Series Race 4		Spring Series Race 6
	November	3	Spring Series Race 5		Spring Series Race 7
		10	Spring Series Race 6		Spring Series Race 8
		17	Spring Series Race 7 - Club Championship Ht 3	BBQ	Spring Series Race 9
		24	Spring Series Race 8		Summer Series Race 1 Cowie Cup Heat 2
	December	1	Spring Series Race 9		Summer Series Race 2
		8	Summer Series Race 1		Summer Series Race 3
		15	Summer Series Race 2 - Club Championship Ht 4	BBQ	Summer Series Race 4
		22	School Holidays		Summer Series Race 5 Cowie Cup Heat 3
	2014	January	5	School Holidays	
12					
19					Summer Series Race 6
22			School Holidays		Summer Series Race 7 - Australia Day Regatta Race
26			Australia Day Long Weekend		
February		2	Summer Series Race 3 – Australia Day Regatta Race Club Championship Ht 5	BBQ	Summer Series Race 8 Cowie Cup Heat 4
	9	Summer Series Race 4 - Commodore's Trophy Race		Autumn Series Race 1	
	16	Summer Series Race 5		Autumn Series Race 2	
	23	Summer Series Race 6 – Tin Can and Mug Trophy Race	BBQ	Autumn Series Race 3	
March	2	Summer Series Race 7 - Club Championship Ht 6		Autumn Series Race 4 Cowie Cup Heat 5	
	9	Summer Series Race 8 - Class Captain's Trophy Race		Autumn Series Race 5	
	16	Summer Series Race - 9		Autumn Series Race 6	
	23	Summer Series Race 10 - Club Championship Ht 7		Autumn Series Race 7	
	30	End of Season Novelty Races and Trophy Presentation	BBQ	Autumn Series Race 8	
April	6		BBQ	Autumn Series Race 9	