

# Humbug Lite

The Alternate GFS Newsletter

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GFS Prize Presentation – Saturday May 27 from 1500hrs GFS Clubhouse – BE THERE!

Sailing Calendar – May West Harbour Winter Series – Race 1 May 21 E

Entries BSC - [here](#).

Year	Month	Day	Date	Event	Other Information
2023	May	Sunday	21	WH Winter Series Race 1	Dates for the 2023 combined Balmain Sailing Club, Drummoyne Sailing Club, Parramatta Sailing Club and Greenwich Flying Squadron West Harbour Winter Series.  These may change.
	June	Sunday	4	WH Winter Series Race 2	
		Sunday	18	WH Winter Series Race 3	
	July	Sunday	2	WH Winter Series Race 4	
		Sunday	16	WH Winter Series Race 5	
		Sunday	30	WH Winter Series Race 6	
	August	Sunday	13	WH Winter Series Race 7	

“I really don't know why it is that all of us are so committed to the sea, except I think it's because in addition to the fact that the sea changes, and the light changes, and ships change, it's because we all came from the sea. And it is an interesting biological fact that all of us have in our veins the exact same percentage of salt in our blood that exists in the ocean, and, therefore, we have salt in our blood, in our sweat, in our tears. We are tied to the ocean. And when we go back to the sea - whether it is to sail or to watch it - we are going back from whence we came.”

*Remarks at the Dinner for the America's Cup Crews, September 14, 1962 — John F Kennedy*

## GFS Juniors

Well done to the GFS Juniors who participated in the **Southern NSW Zone Sabot Championships** at Drummoyne Sailing Club on March 18 and 19. GFS were represented by 7021 **Luigi** – Theo Andersen (17<sup>th</sup>), 1 **Chicken Hunter** – Olivia Kannegeiter (20<sup>th</sup>) and 1477 **Missing in Action** – Rhys Daniels (24<sup>th</sup>).



**Chicken Hunter** – Olivia Kannegeiter

## Recent Results – Saturday Series (Provisional)

### Saturday Autumn Series

Division	Place	Sail #	Boat Name
Division 1	1	AUS1256	ADRENALINE
	2	5673	ON Y VA!
	3	AUS759	TISM

Division	Place	Sail #	Boat Name
Division 2	1	6694	PACA
	2	1531	FLAIR
	3	4113	SPEEDWELL

### Saturday Overall Series

Division	Place	Sail #	Boat Name
Division 1	1	AUS1256	ADRENALINE
	2	5673	ON Y VA!
	3	AUS1125	TONIC

Division	Place	Sail #	Boat Name
Division 2	1	6694	PACA
	2	1531	FLAIR
	3	4113	SPEEDWELL

### Saturday Mick York Series

Division	Place	Sail #	Boat Name
MY	1	AUS1256	ADRENALINE
	2	7129	HASTA LA VISTA
	3	3608	JOKA

### Saturday Down Harbour Series

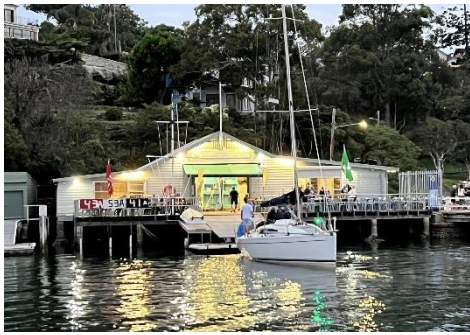
Division	Place	Sail #	Boat Name
Division 1 Blue	1	6380	TANA
	2	63344	KOKO
	3	7129	HASTA LA VISTA

Division	Place	Sail #	Boat Name
Division 2 White	1	AUS1256	ADRENALINE
	2=	AUS759	TISM
	2=	AUS1125	TONIC

Division	Place	Sail #	Boat Name
Division 3 Red	1	6694	PACA
	2	3608	JOKA
	3	1531	FLAIR

Well done to the winners and place getters.

GFS on the water (mostly) – some of the many images from the 2022 – 2023 Season.



Thanks to the regular image contributors – Mark Palmer, Julie Small Evans, Andrew Nelson, David Leslie and Jeff Lewis.



*WTF* – ‘Soggy Saturday’ Saturday Autumn Race 8 April 22 – image Mark Palmer

### **The Sailing Instruction related to point scores – SI 21.**

#### **Races to Count.**

The races to count for each point score shall be determined as follows. If,

- between 1 and 5 races are sailed count all races
- 6 or 7 races are sailed count all but the worst 1 result
- between 8 and 11 races are sailed count all but the worst 2 results
- between 12 and 17 races are sailed count all but the worst 3 results

#### **Club Point Scores.**

Points shall be calculated, and any ties resolved in accordance with RRS Appendix A4 – Scoring. The Low Point Scoring System will apply, except that:

- a. Each yacht will receive points equal to its finishing position for scratch results
- b. All yachts which start and do not finish (DNF – Did Not Finish) will be awarded –
  - i. equal points as if the yacht finished one place after the last placed boat for that division on corrected time.
  - ii. in the case where all boats in a division do not finish (TLE – Time Limit Expires) each boat will be awarded 4 points, see Sailing Instructions 17 & 18.
- c. For Series Point Scores, boats that did not come to the starting area (DNC – Did not Compete) shall be scored points for finishing place one more than the number of boats entered in the series.
- d. Boats in the vicinity of the starting line but did not start (DNS – Did not Start) will be scored one place after the last placed boat for that division on corrected time.
- f. Yachts disqualified (DSQ) following a protest hearing or otherwise shall incur points as for (c) above plus 1 point.
  - i. Boats finishing on equal points in any point score will be scored as equal placings (no countbacks). RRS Appendix A8 does not apply.
- k. Yachts of skippers who fail to lodge a crew list (POB) on TopYacht by the specified time will be classed as DNF.

#### **Overall Point Scores.**

The Overall Point Score for Saturday, Down Harbour and Twilight Series is the combined results of the Spring and Autumn Series, after dropping the worst results in accordance with the Races to Count above.

## Times and Heights (Fort Denison).

MAY			
Time	m	Time	m
<b>1</b> 0500	1.54	<b>16</b> 0526	1.66
1132	0.57	1145	0.43
MO 1751	1.44	TU 1804	1.70
2343	0.72		
<b>2</b> 0545	1.56	<b>17</b> 0017	0.54
1207	0.53	0617	1.62
TU 1826	1.54	WE 1226	0.44
		1849	1.80
<b>3</b> 0027	0.64	<b>18</b> 0111	0.48
0626	1.58	0707	1.56
WE 1239	0.50	TH 1304	0.48
1900	1.64	1931	1.86
<b>4</b> 0109	0.56	<b>19</b> 0200	0.44
0705	1.58	0755	1.49
TH 1311	0.48	FR 1342	0.52
1933	1.74	2012	1.90
<b>5</b> 0150	0.49	<b>20</b> 0247	0.43
0746	1.56	0842	1.42
FR 1344	0.48	SA 1418	0.58
2008	1.83	● 2051	1.90
<b>6</b> 0233	0.44	<b>21</b> 0331	0.45
0830	1.53	0928	1.37
SA 1418	0.50	SU 1455	0.64
○ 2047	1.89	2130	1.88
<b>7</b> 0319	0.41	<b>22</b> 0415	0.48
0916	1.48	1012	1.32
SU 1457	0.54	MO 1531	0.70
2129	1.93	2208	1.83
<b>8</b> 0408	0.41	<b>23</b> 0459	0.53
1007	1.43	1056	1.27
MO 1540	0.59	TU 1611	0.75
2214	1.92	2247	1.76
<b>9</b> 0501	0.42	<b>24</b> 0544	0.58
1100	1.37	1141	1.24
TU 1628	0.65	WE 1653	0.80
2304	1.89	2329	1.69
<b>10</b> 0601	0.46	<b>25</b> 0631	0.63
1200	1.32	1230	1.23
WE 1723	0.71	TH 1742	0.84
<b>11</b> 0000	1.83	<b>26</b> 0015	1.62
0706	0.48	0722	0.65
TH 1306	1.29	FR 1326	1.23
1828	0.76	1840	0.87
<b>12</b> 0104	1.77	<b>27</b> 0108	1.56
0813	0.49	0814	0.66
FR 1418	1.31	SA 1426	1.26
1942	0.77	1946	0.88
<b>13</b> 0215	1.72	<b>28</b> 0208	1.51
0915	0.48	0904	0.65
SA 1527	1.38	SU 1524	1.31
● 2100	0.75	● 2057	0.87
<b>14</b> 0326	1.70	<b>29</b> 0309	1.48
1011	0.46	0950	0.62
SU 1626	1.48	MO 1615	1.40
2213	0.69	2204	0.83
<b>15</b> 0429	1.69	<b>30</b> 0405	1.47
1100	0.44	1031	0.59
MO 1717	1.59	TU 1700	1.50
2318	0.61	2303	0.76
<b>31</b> 0457	1.47		
1109	0.56		
WE 1739	1.61		
2356	0.67		

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