
September 2017 Newsletter

Bundaberg Powerboat Club Inc.

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AGM

The club recently held our AGM at the Brother's Sports Club. Thank you to all those that attended or sent in nominations.

The new Executive Committee is as follows:

President – Neil Bevan

Vice President – Mark Eglington

Treasurer – Greg Hills

Secretary – Kathy Eglington

We wish to thank Sonny Peterson and Greg Blomfield for all the time they have given the club and hope they can continue to help when available.



1st October – BP Airport Pro-Classic

Thanks must go to Kurt and the team from Wessel Petroleum for sponsoring this event once again. Please show them your support by filling up before heading home.

Nomination and indemnity forms can be printed from our website. Please feel free to send them in early if you wish.

Entry Fees:

\$65 Members / \$85 Non-Members

\$25 Juniors

Nominations on the day will be closing at 9am. If you haven't nominated by then (unless you have spoken to us previously) you will not be able to race. Late nominations are holding up the creating of classes and pole positions which puts the whole race day behind time. So, this will be strictly adhered to.

Drivers Brief will be @ 9am and racing starts @ 10am.

Boats are asked to be on the water when requested to help keep the races flowing.

Upcoming Events

BP Airport Pro-Classic
1st October

Christmas Classic
&
Annual Awards Dinner
2nd December

Monthly Club Meeting

The club's monthly meetings are held on the third Wednesday of each month at the Brother's Sports Club on Takalvan Street Bundaberg at 7pm.

Members are invited to join us in the Bistro from 6pm for Dinner and Drinks.

Committee Members

President:

Neil Bevan

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Vice President:

Mark Eglington

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Secretary:

Kathy Eglington

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Treasurer:

Greg Hills

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Volunteers

The club is looking for more volunteers on race day. We are looking for people who would be interested in helping on the water in the rescue boats, pit/ramp marshals, time keeping or selling raffle tickets. If you are interested in learning how to do the flags or Officer of the Day have a chat to Neil or Mark to see what is involved.

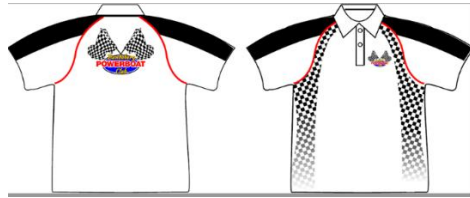
Club Shirts and Hats

There are still some sizes available.

Shirts \$40

Hats \$15

See us on race day to grab yours.



FLAGS

Blue - 3 Minutes to start

White - 1 minute to start

Yellow - 1 Lap to go

Red - Stop immediately

White with Red X -
Hazard on course

Black - Return to Ramp

Green - Race in
Progress

Chequered - Race
Finished

From the President

Firstly, I would like to thank those members who nominated me for the position and those who voted me into the position. I feel humbled by the confidence that the members have in me especially considering that I am a relatively new member of the club and only commenced racing again last year after an absence from the sport of 40+ years.

The Bundaberg Powerboat Club, "our club" has continued to grow and conduct regular safe and enjoyable race meetings since its conception.

While the sport, particularly in Queensland, appears to be in a decline, our members should be particularly proud of the club's achievements.

I look forward to working with Mark, Kathy and Greg during my term and encourage all members to have input and involvement in the running of the club. Greater attendance at our monthly meetings would be appreciated, so that decisions relying on discussion by members can have broader debate.

Please do not hesitate to contact me, should you have any ideas or suggestions for the betterment of the club.

Sincerely,

Neil.

We look forward to seeing you all at Sandy Hook again.

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