



# KURNELL CATAMARAN CLUB Inc.

PO Box 255, Caringbah NSW 1495



## 2024 - 2025 Membership Notes, Terms & Conditions

1. These Notes, Terms & Conditions are to be read in conjunction with the Kurnell Catamaran Club Incorporated (KCC, KCC Inc or the Club) Constitution and by-laws which are published on the KCC Notice Board(s) and/or the KCC website ([www.kcc.asn.au](http://www.kcc.asn.au)). Where a conflict exists between the constitution and these Notes, Terms & Conditions, the Constitution shall prevail.
2. Your participation in Sailing and other activities ("Club Activities") officially or unofficially, held by the Club is at your own risk. The Club takes no responsibility for your safety or health during any Club Activity in which you participate.
3. **Emergency Contact** – A person who is not participating in the Club's on water activities, is aware of the member's movements and is readily contactable on the phone number provided.
4. **Adult Senior Membership** – Any person 18 years or over and not being a full-time student at a recognised College or University. Such Members are entitled to full voting rights at Club Meetings, except Committee Meetings.
5. **Family Membership** – One or two adults and their children under 18 years living as a family. Family Membership entitles both adults to full voting rights at Club General Meetings. The Sailing Australia affiliation fee is payable for each active (sailing) member.
6. **Associate Membership** – Any person or family having the objectives of the club foremost yet not wishing to actively engage in the organised racing program of the club. i.e., Non-Sailing Member.
7. **Multihull Junior Membership** – Any person under the age of 18 years who is not covered under the terms of Family Membership. Junior Membership must be sanctioned by a parent or guardian. Junior Members shall not be entitled to hold office or vote at meetings of the club and may only take part in proceedings at such meetings by agreement of a majority of the financial members present and voting.
8. **Student Membership** – Any person 18 years or over being a full time student at a recognised College or University. Such members are entitled to full voting rights at all Club General Meetings.
9. **Life Member** – A person who has been elected as such at the KCC AGM by the members of Kurnell Catamaran Club Inc. (KCC) per the Constitution. Life members are exempt from KCC membership fees, KCC annual regatta fees and KCC race fees. They still pay for, if sailing/racing, Boat Storage (if utilised) and Regattas they enter that are not KCC sponsored (e.g., Class Championships).
10. **Boat Insurance** - All boats that participate in KCC activities and/or are stored at KCC must hold adequate Public Liability and Third-Party Property insurance to the sum of at least AUD \$10,000,000 (ten million) unless specified otherwise in the Sailing Instructions relevant to the event.
11. **Race fee pre-paid** – entitles a member's boat to participate in KCC 'Club' races held during the current season. Special events and regattas are not included and a separate fee may be payable.
12. **Race fee, member, per day** - entitles a member, to participate in KCC 'Club' races on that day and have their results for that session of races processed and included in the season's cumulative results.
13. **Race fee, non-member, per day** - entitles a non-member to participate in KCC 'Club' races on that day and have their results recorded for that day. After 3 race days you must become a member of

KCC if you wish to continue to race. If you become a member of KCC, your results from the 3 race days already paid for will be included in the season's cumulative results.

14. **Boat Yard Bond & Key Deposit** – This is a one off payment which is paid prior to receiving a boat yard key and placing a boat in its allocated boat yard. Subsequent to the permanent removal of the boat from the boat yard and the return of the boat yard key, the bond will be refunded.
15. **Boat Yard Agreement** - Before a boat is placed in a storage area and at the commencement of each subsequent season the owner must provide KCC with a completed copy of the boat yard agreement (form to be downloaded from the KCC website).
16. **A storage fee** - entitles the owner to an area large enough to store their boat on beach wheels or its trailer. Storing a boat and trailer separately will incur an additional fee.
17. **Boat storage, KCC Front Boat Yard** – This refers to the area at 310 Prince Charles Parade, Kurnell. This storage is mast up and fundamentally for spinnaker boats. Places are allocated at the discretion of the KCC management committee. An annual fee (Boat storage fee + Race fee pre-paid) applies. Casual storage is not normally available in this area. Boats stored in this area must be secured to prevent movement in extreme wind conditions. Securing arrangements are the responsibility of the owner.

**Warning:** *there are underground services including 240-volt power mains in this area. Exercise extreme caution when installing tie down points.*

18. **Boat storage, back boatyard** - This refers to the fenced area at 7-9 Ward Street, Kurnell. This storage area is mast down. Places are allocated at the discretion of the KCC management committee. An annual fee (Boat storage fee + Race fee pre-paid) applies. Casual storage is occasionally available in this area but preference is given to full time occupants.
19. **Boat storage O'pen Skiff** – Storage for open dinghies is limited and is allocated at the discretion of the KCC Junior President. A boat storage agreement (available on the KCC website) must be completed and handed to the KCC Junior President prior to placing the boat in storage.
20. **Associated trailer**- is a trailer used to transport a boat which is currently stored in one of the boat yards on/off beach wheels. The trailer is to be stored in the KCC Back Boat Yard, space permitting. There is an Associate trailer fee that is additional and separate where the trailer is not stored with the boat as one entity.
21. **This document applies to, and must be read in conjunction with the relevant membership forms.** By signing any of the relevant membership forms, you agree to abide by these conditions, the KCC Constitution, KCC Code of Conduct, KCC Operational Plan, relevant Sailing Instructions, and if applicable, the KCC Boat Yard T&Cs.
22. **The fee structure and fees are subject to change without notice.**
23. **Australian Sailing Membership Fees** are included in all actively sailing Membership Fees except "Club Membership, Associate" and "Club Membership, Honorary". For Life Members, they are only included if the member is still actively sailing at KCC.
24. **Junior Monohull (Family) Membership** – One or two adults and their children under 18 years living as a family whose juniors only sail in the monohull O'pen Skiff class of boat. Junior Members shall not be entitled to hold office or vote at meetings of the club and may only take part in proceedings at such meetings by agreement of a majority of the financial members present and voting. Parents and Guardians of juniors shall be allowed to join the Club under Family Membership and will have the same rights equivalent of one (1) Adult Membership.
25. **Junior Monohull (Individual) Membership** – Juniors who only sail in the monohull O'pen Skiff class of boat. Any person under the age of 18 years who for some reason cannot be covered under the terms of O'pen Skiff Junior (Family) Membership. O'pen Skiff Junior (Individual) Membership must



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26. **Annual Fees, including boat yard fees, are due on 1st September**, but must be paid by 31st October. Fees received after that may, at the discretion of the Executive Committee, incur a levy of up to 50% and/or a racing penalty. New members joining mid-season or mid-year are not subject to the levy and the KCC Treasurer will determine a pro rata fee for the part season.