



Royal South Australian Yacht Squadron (OA)  
in conjunction with the  
Multihull Association of South Australia presents the



# King of the Gulf

Email Number 5:

Date: 7<sup>th</sup> December 2021

## Important Information:

The “King of the Gulf” Facebook page was changed to a new URL. The old page will not be updated.  
All updates and information on the 2022 King of the Gulf regatta will be on our new Facebook page.

[HERE](#)

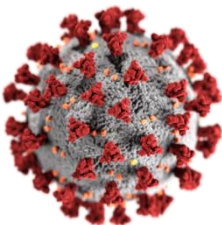


Can you please help to pass on this information to yachties.

## Early Bird nominations:

These close at the end of this month (31<sup>st</sup> December).

We are looking at record entries this year with the possibility of being the biggest yachting regatta in South Australia. We are hoping for 35 plus yachts. Also, a big welcome to our first all-girl crew on “Stella Rouge”. Way to go ladies. We are excited to have you with us.



## COVID:

We will be presenting this year’s event under a registered COVID plan and we seek your support in implementing this plan with typical “King of the Gulf” spirit and humour.  
The KOG committee have worked hard to minimise the consequences of our mandatory COVID plan on your sailing and social activities.

## Ramifications of COVID:

1. Our marquee size is massive at 30m long and 10m wide to allow for the 2 square metres per person COVID rule. This would limit the number in the marquee to 150. If regulations change, we will change immediately.
2. The KOG committee have volunteered to do the, COVID courses to be COVID marshals. Your undying love, support, encouragement, and unwavering compliance with these marshals will be mandatory and very much appreciated and certainly in the spirit of the KOG regatta.
3. All meals including breakfasts must be on YOUR own plates. You must supply your own cutlery and even your own BBQ utensils. We were doing this way before COVID to reduce the impact of single use plastic at our event. At the Sunday BBQ we will dispense the Bowling Club’s magnificent salads with our salad servers, whilst wearing gloves and masks.
4. We will supply hand sanitiser for your use and will be wiping down tables with disinfectant. Once again, we would appreciate your help here, as you know this event is run by sailors for sailors. Every bit you can do to help makes the event enjoyable for all.
5. Another COVID ramification is that regatta meal tickets have been limited to COVID limits. These limits are as below and are unlikely to be increased, unless COVID regulations are further relaxed.

## “King of the Gulf” meal options:

If you look at the website under “[Meal Tickets](#)” all the meal options are displayed with the details you require. You can book your meal tickets now, and they are going fast. You can collect any booked meal tickets from us at the KOG passage race briefing at the RSAYS on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> February or at the KOG regatta office in the marquee at Port Vincent when you get there.

### Friday 4<sup>th</sup> February - Welcome BBQ in the marquee: (Limited to 150 people):

[WEB SITE BOOKINGS HERE](#)

A BBQ catered for by our friends, the Coast Guard.

You need your own plates and cutlery. Passage race presentations will be made here.

### Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> February - Meal at the Port Vincent Sailing Club:

[WEB SITE BOOKINGS HERE](#)

This is always a very popular dinner at the local yacht club to support our regatta.

The meal is always booked out so get in early.

### Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> February - BBQ at the marquee. (Limited to 150 people):

[WEB SITE BOOKINGS HERE](#)

You supply the meat, and we supply a choice of fantastic quality salads made up for us by the local bowling club.

We have 5 large BBQs to give you room while cooking. BYO meat, plates, cutlery, & cooking utensils.

### The Coast Guard hot breakfasts: (Limited to 150 people)

[WEB SITE BOOKINGS HERE](#)

Breakfasts are available in the marquee on Saturday and Sunday.

Breakfasts will have to be served on your plates with your own cutlery.

### Monday 7<sup>th</sup> February “King of the Gulf” Presentation Dinner: (Limited to 126 people)

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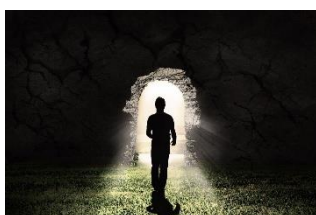
The Regatta presentation dinner at the Bowls Club has a booking limit of 126.

This is a brilliant night each year at the bowls club, and we hope to see you there once again.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS MEAL IS AN ALTERNATE DROP OPTION.**

The bowls club is willing to allow crews who are not able to book into the limited numbers at the presentation dinner to attend the KOG prize presentations and KOG regal crowning at 9.00 by utilising the outside veranda areas.

## Don't leave your crew in the dark:



All the KOG newsletters you get are also on the “King of the Gulf” website.

This is in a response to a few crews who had the audacity to suggest that some skippers did not keep them in the loop regarding regatta clothing, meal tickets etc. etc. etc.

Your easy out is to point them to the KOG website. Your problem is solved.

<https://www.myasa.asn.au/email-newsletters>

## 2022 “King of the Gulf” regatta clothing:

The King of the Gulf regatta clothing can also be ordered now.

Delivery will be at the regatta.

We are giving the t shirts and the polo shirts a rest this year and have gone for some good quality cold weather clothing. All details are on the web site [HERE](#).

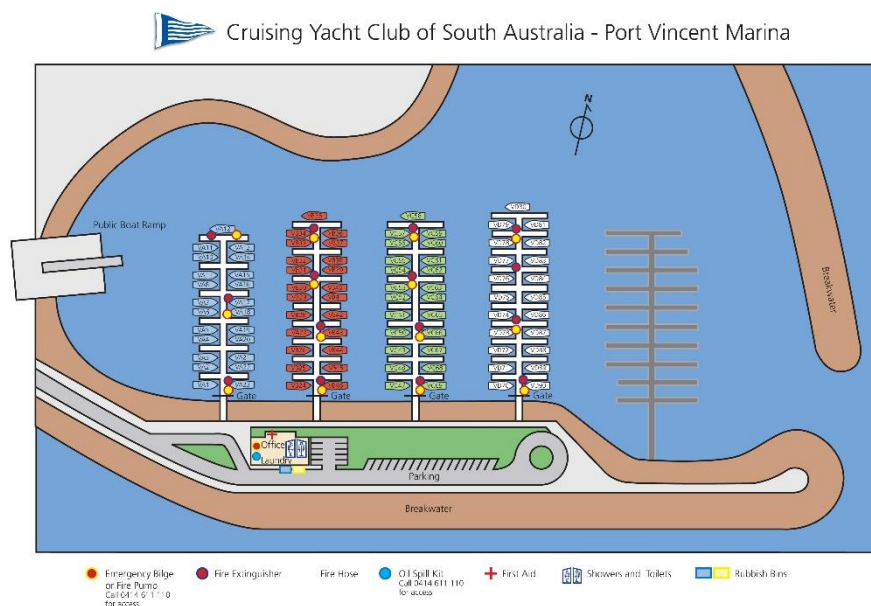


## 2022 “King of the Gulf” IMPORTANT dates:

- Notice of Race (NOR) was posted on the web site 18th October
- Early Bird nomination window from the 18th of October to the 31<sup>st</sup> of December
- Sailing Instructions (SI’s) and Courses on web site 17th January 2022
- Thursday 3rd February Passage race briefing RSAYS 7.00pm (meals from 6.00pm)
- Friday 4th February Passage Race - Adelaide to Port Vincent
- Saturday 5th February “King of the Gulf” Regatta (2 races)
- Sunday 6th February “King of the Gulf” Regatta (Orontes Beacon long Race)
- Monday 7th February “King of the Gulf” Regatta (2 races)
- Tuesday 8th February Passage Race Port Vincent to Adelaide

## Marina Bookings:

These can be made by contacting Rob Marner on 0414 611 110.



## Race presentations:

Race presentations will be conducted each day in the marquee at 5.30pm.

The only exception will be after the passage race from Adelaide to Vincent.

This presentation will be conducted in conjunction with the welcome to the event by the KOG committee and the Coast Guard BBQ in the marquee.

## Skipper’s Handbook:

The KOG event regatta does not print off hard copies of the Skipper’s Handbook.

The handbook will be available online as a pdf file and can be printed off at home if desired. Sorry but that does save us \$500 keeping our costs down. The handbook will be available online Monday 17th January. [HERE](#)



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