



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



King of the Gulf

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King of the Gulf Numbers Update:

In the KOG's 9th year we have had 30 yachts nominating. This is our biggest fleet ever at Port Vincent and we are excited. Thank you all for your support. It is appreciated.

Regatta Racing:

Club handicappers and our own KOG handicappers have had a look over all the yacht handicaps and we are confident that we will all start with competitive handicaps. A list of the starting handicaps for all yachts will be in the RSAYS racing office on the Friday morning. If time permits, I will put the handicaps list in the "Results" page of the King of the Gulf web page prior to the passage race over to Port Vincent.

FREE Sail Pass:

Australian Sailing has a new rule 46 (effective 1 Jan 2022) which requires all regatta crew to be sailing club members. The Squadron has offered free sail passes to any crew requiring temporary Australian Sailing membership. A Royal South Australian Yacht Squadron Free Sail Pass is available for any KOG crew that may require it. Go to the [KOG website](#) page to "Regatta Documents" and the details for this free pass are there.



Crew Lists:

Crew lists are required for both passage races. These must be filled out through TopYacht using your account. Again, all this information and links required are on the ["Regatta Documents"](#) web page.

Passage Race Briefing:

A "Passage Race" briefing will be conducted in the RSAYS dining room at 7.00pm on Thursday to meet with race officials. (Meals are available at the club from 6.00pm).

You can collect any ordered regatta clothing and get briefed on any late information including weather reports.

The race officials would like to have at least one representative per yacht present at this briefing.

Passage Race Times:

On the completion of the passage races on Friday and Tuesday, please text your finish time as soon as possible to Roger Oaten (0408 415 138) so the results can be sorted and put on the website. [RESULTS](#)

King of the Gulf Port Vincent Regatta Briefing:

A King of the Gulf regatta limited briefing will be conducted in the regatta marquee at 9.00am on Saturday morning for the yachts that **were not at the "Meet the Fleet" welcome dinner.**

Post-Race Presentations:

At the end of each day, race presentations will be held at the regatta marquee at 5.30pm. The only exceptions are on the Friday after the passage race, where trophies will be presented at 9.00pm after the Coast Guard meal, and the Presentation dinner on Monday at the bowls club (8.30pm)

Sailing Instructions: (Version 2)

Version 2 is currently on the regatta web site. The original version unfortunately had very confused start times. Please get a new copy off the web site "[Regatta Documents](#)" page.

2023 "King of the Gulf" regatta clothing:

If you ordered regatta tops, your order can be collected at the Passage Race briefing on the Thursday night at the squadron or at the Port Vincent regatta office in the marina marquee.

Skipper's Handbook:

The KOG event regatta does not print off hard copies of the Skipper's Handbook. The handbook is available online as a pdf file and should be printed off at home. The handbook has been updated with some late nominations and is now on the website. Look for **Version 2 – dated 26th January** in the bottom left-hand corner of the face page.

Regatta Photographs:

The KOG regatta, like all regattas, get photographs taken of yachts. Unlike other regattas our photographs are free and available to all. You just download the photos you want. If you have been to all the KOG regattas there could be over 100 photos on our Dropbox site. You access the photos via our web page "[Photographs](#)". They are sorted by year and then by boat.



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