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## King of the Gulf 2022

Hello King of the Gulf Competitors,

Regrettably, with the current COVID restrictions, it is not possible for the King of the Gulf to take place in Port Vincent this year. Amongst several other issues, the venues that we need for social events, including our own marquee, are restricted on numbers to the point that no practical social events will be possible.

In order to provide the best chance of going ahead with some racing, given the COVID constraints, the venue for the regatta has had to change for this year. The event will run out of the Royal South Australian Yacht Squadron in North Haven on the same dates (4-8 February) with a similar sailing programme. We are working on a limited social programme to take account of the restrictions and will advise details in due course. An amended Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions are being prepared, to be published in the week of the 10<sup>th</sup> January.

Meal tickets already purchased will be refunded.

Arrangements are being made for free berthing at the RSAYS for visiting yachts for the duration of the regatta.

If any competitors who have already entered need to withdraw as a result of the change, entry fees will be reimbursed, or can be credited towards the 2023 event.

This is not a decision taken lightly, and we have endeavoured to inform competitors early in order to allow people to cancel arrangements with reasonable notice.

I look forward to seeing you on the water and to a successful regatta at the RSAYS. Hopefully we will all be back in Port Vincent in 2023.

Best Regards,

Iain MacDougall President, MYASA

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