



Your committee (alphabetical)

Flag Officers	
Bosun	Rob Hyde
Commodore	Rob Sloggett
Facilities Manager	Richie Allen
President	Ken Hull
Rear Commodore	Lisa Butler
Sailing Captain	Steve Pooley
Secretary	Ken Hull
Training Principal	Mark Jones
Treasurer	Dave Eccles
Vice Commodore	Gary Darch
Non Flag Officers	
Auditor 1	John Hunter
Auditor 2	Vacant
Beachmaster	Richie Allen
Competition Sec	Vacant
Duty Rosta Sec	Howard Jones
Galley Captain	John Rees
Membership Sec	Ian Ramsay
Minutes Sec	Jonathan Telfer
Prizes Sec	Chris Basset
Publicity Sec	Vacant
Results Officer	Dave Wall
Senior Coach	Andy Todd
Social Sec	Vacant
Webmaster	Jonathan Telfer
Youth Squad Co-ord	Mick Flemming

Your committee - cont (alphabetical)

Fleet Representatives	
Blaze	Mick Flemming
Catamarans	John Hackett
Cruisers	Gary Darch
Paddle Boards	Ewan McHenry
Solos	Miles Thomas
General Elected Members	
Diversity & Inclusion	Vacant
General Member	Dave Butler
General Member	Anne Jones
Outgoing Comm'dr	Mike Allen

Further details of roles and contact details can be found on the website at:

<https://balasailingclub.wordpress.com/your-committee/>

Direct contact for the Commodore is as follows:

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Club racing rules (high level)

Start Sequence

- 3 minute - start sequence (horns)
 - 3 minute – raise fleet flat
 - 2 minute – raise preparatory flag
 - 1 minute – lower preparatory flag
 - Start – lower fleet flag

Basic right of way

- Opposing tacks – starboard tack has priority
- Same tack – leeward boat has priority

Rules at the mark

- No overlap at 3 hull lengths – boats behind must give room to those in front
- If boats are overlapped – outside boat must give room

Starts – OCS (On course side)

- Boat shall return back across the start line in a safe manner (outer mark does not need to be rounded)
- Boat can then prepare to recross the line (no turns required)

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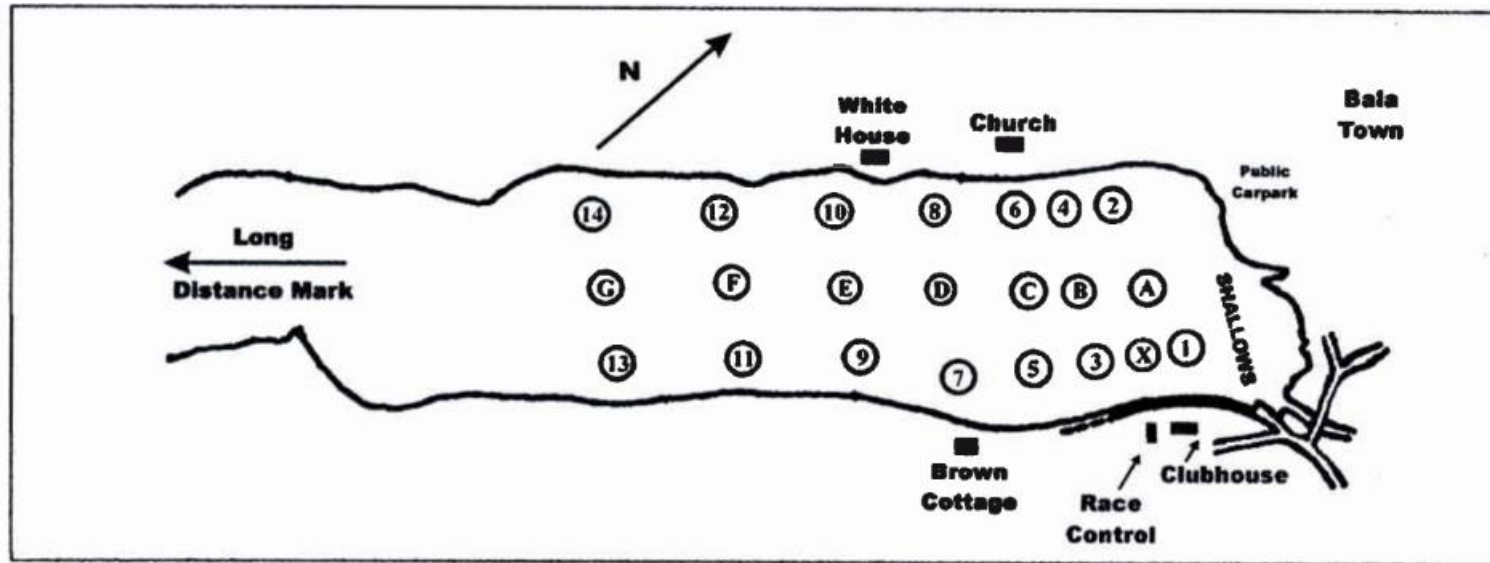
March	
Saturday 9 th	Working Party
Sunday 10 th	General Member Access
Saturday 16 th	PB2 Training
Sunday 17 th	PB2 Training
Sunday 17 th	Covers off and shakedown
Sunday 24 th	Massacre Open
Saturday 30 th	Easter Regatta
Sunday 31 st	Easter Regatta
April	
Saturday 6 th	Cruisers Meet
Saturday 6 th	Race Coaching
Sunday 7 th	Club Racing Series 1 / Race 1
Sunday 14 th	Club Racing Series 1 / Race 2
Saturday 20 th	RYA CW Event
Sunday 21 st	Club Racing Series 1 / Race 3
Sunday 21 st	(Prov) New Members Day
Sunday 21 st	RYA CW Event
Sunday 28 th	Club Racing Series 1 / Race 4
May	
Saturday 4 th	Cruisers Meet
Saturday 4 th	Learn to Sail Course
Saturday 4 th	Race Coaching
Sunday 5 th	Club Racing Series 1 / Race 5
Saturday 11 th	Learn to Sail Course
Saturday 11 th	Catamaran Open
Sunday 12 th	Catamaran Open
Saturday 18 th	Learn to Sail Course
Sunday 19 th	Club Racing Series 1 / Race 6

Saturday 25 th	Learn to Sail Course
Sunday 26 th	Club Racing Series 1 / Race 7
June	
Saturday 1 st	Cruisers Meet
Saturday 1 st	Race Coaching
Sunday 2 nd	Club Racing Series 2 / Race 1
Sunday 9 th	Club Racing Series 2 / Race 2
Sunday 16 th	Club Racing Series 2 / Race 3
Saturday 22 nd	Long Distance Open
Sunday 23 rd	Long Distance Open
Sunday 30 th	Club Racing Series 2 / Race 4
July	
Saturday 6 th	Cruisers Meet
Saturday 6 th	Race Coaching
Saturday 6 th	Learn to Sail Course
Sunday 7 th	Learn to Sail Course
Sunday 7 th	Club Racing Series 2 / Race 5
Tuesday 9 th	Border County Open
Saturday 13 th	Learn to Sail Course
Sunday 14 th	Learn to Sail Course
Sunday 14 th	Club Racing Series 2 / Race 6
Saturday 20 th	Bala 700 Event
Saturday 20 th	Catapult / RS100 Open
Sunday 21 st	Catapult / RS100 Open
Sunday 21 st	Club Racing Series 2 / Race 7
Sunday 28 th	Club Racing Series 2 / Race 8
August	
Saturday 3 rd	Cruisers Meet
Saturday 3 rd	Race Coaching

Sunday 4 th	Club Racing Series 3 / Race 1
Sunday 11 th	Club Racing Series 3 / Race 2
Tuesday 13 th	Youth Learn to Sail Course
Wednesd'14 th	Youth Learn to Sail Course
Thursday 15 th	Youth Learn to Sail Course
Sunday 18 th	Club Racing Series 3 / Race 3
Saturday 24 th	August Regatta (Racing)
Sunday 25 th	August Regatta (Racing)
Monday 26 th	August Regatta (Fun Day)
Saturday 31 st	RYA Onboard
September	
Sunday 1 st	Club Racing Series 3 / Race 4
Saturday 7 th	Cruisers Meet
Saturday 7 th	Race Coaching
Sunday 8 th	Club Racing Series 3 / Race 5
Sunday 15 th	Club Racing Series 3 / Race 6
Saturday 21 st	Waspz Open
Sunday 22 nd	Waspz Open
Sunday 22 nd	Club Racing Series 3 / Race 7
Sunday 29 th	Club Racing Series 3 / Race 8
October	
Saturday 5 th	Cruisers Meet
Saturday 5 th	Race Coaching
Saturday 5 th	Safety Boat Course
Sunday 6 th	Safety Boat Course
Sunday 6 th	Club Racing Series 3 / Race 8
Sunday 13 th	Final Fling Event
November	
TBC	Working Party



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Lake and Club Information:

- Most common wind is South Westerly
- Race marks run Alphabetical through centre of lake, Odd numbers clubhouse side and Even numbers town side
- Be aware of "the shallows". The lake does get significantly shallower once you pass 2/A/1 marks