

**Sonata Yacht Association of Victoria**

# **Newsletter Archives**

**Reference to Articles Published in  
Sonata Notes**

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Bernard Stahn**

**As at April 2008**

## **Association Archives Have Been Updated To April 2008**

Valerie and I have just gone through the last 16 months of SONATA NOTES and sorted the published articles into the various categories.

The format of the listings needs an overhaul. There are also a few glitches that were introduced during translation from an outdated word processor format. Once repackaged, the listings will be suitable for inclusion on our website.

For the benefit of newer members, newsletters are listed in the archives by months and year under various subject headings, thus permitting the retrieval of articles which have covered a particular subject in the past.

Most popular have been chapters on Maintenance, Repairs, Improvements and Cruising.

At this stage members can call up copies of newsletters on our website back to 1998. Earlier information has to be photocopied from the hard copy archives until scanned versions of early newsletters have been added.

Thanks to the generous offer of fellow member Ben Pitcher this will happen in the not so distant future.

Bernard Stahn  
Archivist

# Sonata Yacht Association of Victoria

## Index of Sonata Notes Articles and Information

### Archived at SYAV Reference Center

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All information has been sorted in a three level structure. The source of a particular piece of information is quoted at the third level, which results in the following two level indexes.

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## 1. RACING

### 1.1 GENERAL CONCEPTS

Sonata Class Rules	N/L 4.02 12.00 11.00 12.99 11.99 11.98 2.98 11.97 11.96 12.94 7.93 2.91 2.81 and Archives	Handicap Division	N/L 12.99 12.96 2.95 11.94
CBH Listing	N/L 11.99 10.92 10.89	Novice Racing Tune-up	N/L 2.94
CBH Review	N/L 5.93 4.90 2.90	Trophy Alternatives	N/L 10.87
IYRU Racing Rules	N/L 5.96 8.93	Racing Hints	N/L 3.01 3.97
AYF Racing Rules	N/L 11.04 10.97	Navigation Lights	N/L 9.97
Olympic Triangle	N/L 2.91	Championships – Notice of Race, and Equipment checklist (Cat.6)	Yearly Nov. N/L
Fairing Strips on Keel cases	N/L 2.84	Racing to win	N/L 5.03 4.03
Fully Battened Mainsails	N/L 11.94 10.94 7.92 9.88	Racing and tuning techniques	N/L 3.06
Raising of Keels	N/L 9.99 5.92	Strategies to winning by R.Robertson	N/L 2.08
Ooching	N/L 8.90	“Barging” on the start line	N/L 3.08
Picnic Races – Sternchaser Twilight	N/L 10.04 10.03 2.98 10.97 8.97 8.96 4.96 9.95 8.95 2.95 8.94 5.94		

### 1.2 SONATA CLASS RACING REPORTS

Eppalock	N/L 4.92 3.88 4.84	Hastings	N/L 4.93
Geelong	N/L 3.08 3.07 3.05 2.05 11.04 3.04 3.03 4.02 3.02 12.01 11.01 6.01 4.01 3.01 7.98 4.98 3.98 11.97 3.95 8.91 5.91 3.91 3.98 2.87 4.86 5.85 2.83 2.82	Newhaven	N/L 3.99 11.98 4.94 4.90
		Sandringham	N/L 5.00 3.00 4.97 3.97 2.97
		St. Kilda	N/L 8.96 3.96 2.96
		Blairgowrie	N/L 3.06
		Championships on Video/DVD 1998/9	Archives
		“	2004 Archives

### 1.3 REPORTS ON OTHER RACES

Racing Calendars	N/L 7.03	Lake Macquarie -Sonata Challenge Cup	N/L 10.99 7.99
Victorian Trailables Titles	N/L 4.99 3.94	Bay to Bay (Tin Can to Harvey)	N/L 7.99
Sundance Cup	N/L 2.93 4.92	Hamilton Island	N/L 12.99
Lake Eppaloch	N/L 10.91	Lochsport Challenge	N/L 12.99
Flinders to Hastings	N/L 9.91	Melbourne Regatta - Blairgowrie	N/L 2.01
Westernport Winter Series	N/L 8.91 6.91	Travelling Circus	N/L 8.02
Gippsland Lakes	N/L 12.96 2.90	Three Humps (Newhaven)	N/L 7.03
Marley Point	N/L 9.01 4.01 5.95 4.94 4.93 5.87 7.86 4.86 8.85 5.85 6.81	Mornington	N/L 12.04
Port Welshpool Races	N/L 12.96 11.86 1.85 5.80	Canberra	N/L 12.05
Cerberus Regatta	N/L 11.85	Sydney Harbour (Son.8)	N/L 3.06
Minicomputer Series (Kinnears)	N/L 11.85 2.85	Milang to Goolwa	N/L 3.06
Corio Bay Disaster Race	N/L 2.85	Volvo International	N/L 2.06 3.06 6.06
Geelong-Portarlington-Queenscliff	N/L 12.99 2.85 1.85 5.80	Skandia, Geelong	N/L 1.07
French Island	N/L 10.84 11.82 5.80	Hawkesbury River	N/L 6.07

### 1.4 PRESENTATION NIGHT

N/L 5.06 6.04

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## 2. CRUISING

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### 2.1 GENERAL CONCEPTS

S.Y.A.V. Sailing Guidelines	N/L 12.06 12.05 10.04 9.99 9.97 11.96 4.94 10.90	Boat Check List	N/L 11.01 3.89 9.85
Share a Sonata	N/L 8.06	Our first year as Sonata owners	N/L 5.07

### 2.2 CRUISE REPORTS – VIC.

St.Kilda, Williamstown, Yarra River	N/L 10.06 10.04 6.04 11.03 6.02 12.99 11.99 4.98 11.97 8.97 7.97 7.95 11.94 10.94 10.93 7.93 12.92 10.91 8.91 5.87 12.86 4.86 10.84 5.80	Bi-centennial Cruise Goulburn River	N/L 3.88 1.88 N/L 1.07 10.06 6.06 4.06 5.97 4.97
St. Kilda, Sandringham, Williamstown	N/L 11.07 10.02	Patterson River (be aware of)	N/L 11.97
Maribrynong River	N/L 3.07 7.03 7.00 5.99 7.94 5.90	Mornington	N/L 2.99
Werribee, Port Arlington	N/L 11.05	Sorrento	N/L 2.08
Werribee River	N/L 4.05 12.02 2.02 12.00 5.99 4.99 3.98	Melbourne - Geelong	N/L 3.03 4.98
Corio Bay	12.97 3.96 5.95 3.93 3.91 1.88 11.87 3.87 1.86 9.85 7.85 2.85 N/L 3.08 10.07 11.05 5.02 11.01 11.00 5.97 4.96 5.95	Beaumaris - Williamstown	N/L 10.98
Bottom of the Bay	12.93 5.93 4.92 4.90 11.88 12.87 N/L 11.06 3.04 11.00 11.99 2.99	NIGHT SAIL - to Geelong	N/L 12 .06 4.02 2.01 4.00 2.99
Blairgowrie	N/L 11.06 3.04 11.00 11.99 2.99 2.97 4.95 4.94 3.91 11.89 11.87	Seals Rock	N/L 4.04 2.90
Westernport	N/L 12.03 N/L 2.2 11.07 5.06 6.05 5.05 4.05	Gippsland Lakes	N/L 4.07 1.07 5.06 2.06 5.05 4.05 2.05 1.04 5.03 11.02 4.02 3.02 2.02 5.01 5.00 2.00 4.99 2.99 5.98 2.98 4.97 2.97 4.96 2.95 4.94 3.94 2.94 5.93 2.93 1.91 8.90 5.90 4.89 2.89 5.88 3.88 1.88 5.87 2.87 5.86 11.85 9.85 7.85 1.85 9.84 1.84 11.83 11.82 5.82 2.82 11.81 2.81 5.80
Around French Island	N/L 9.06 3.99	Lakes Entrance, New Years Eve 98	Video in Archives
Corner Inlet, Port Albert, Refuge Cove	N/L 3.08 1.07 3.05 1.04 11.01 7.00 5.00 3.99 3.98 12.96 5.95 3.94 3.93 5.91 11.84 2.83	Mallacoota	N/L 6.07 6.04 3.00 4.97 5.96 3.96 5.92 9.85 1.85 6.83 N/L 12.02 10.02 3.00 11.99 2.96 11.95
		Apollo Bay	N/L 4.98 4.90 2.89 N/L 12.97 9.97 12.96 2.96 2.94 1.92 1.91 3.89 11.88 10.87 12.86 8.86 12.85 11.84 4.84
		Glenelg River	N/L 4.98 4.90 2.89
		Eildon	N/L 12.97 9.97 12.96 2.96 2.94 1.92 1.91 3.89 11.88 10.87 12.86 8.86 12.85 11.84 4.84
		Hume Weir	N/L 4.94
		Lake Eppaloch	N/L 1.88

### 2.3 CRUISE REPORTS - NSW

Central Coast, Sydney, Hawkesbury	N/L 2.03 2.99 2.97 11.96 3.95	Clarence River	N/L 8.03 8.00
Myall Lakes & Port Stephens	2.93 3.91 2.87 9.83 N/L 10.07 2.03 3.98 11.95 2.95 10.93 11.89 10.86 9.83 10.82 9.82 10.80	Noosa Everglades	N/L 9.03
Lake Macquarie	N/L 10.07 9.07 11.98 10.97	Tuggerah Lake	N/L 8.98
Murray River	N/L 8.04 3.03 8.96 11.88 8.88 6.87	OCEAN CRUISING:	
		Geelong to Lake Macquarie	N/L 5.02
		Sydney to Westernport	N/L 3.04
		Brisbane to Lakes Entrance	N/L 12.04

### 2.4 CRUISE REPORTS - QLD

GPS Plots for Qld.	N/L 10.99	Bowen-Gloucester	N/L 12.03
Moreton Bay, Brisbane	N/L 6.05 11.03 8.03 10.94	Hardy Lagoon	N/L 11.88
Whitsunday Islands	N/L 2.08 10.07 5.06 2.06 12.05 11.01 3.01 12.98 10.96 2.96 4.95 11.88 10.86 8.86 12.85 8.85 7.85 5.85 9.84 1.83	Townsville - Cairns	N/L 10.99 3.99 8.86
Hinchinbrook Island	N/L 4.04	Great Sandy Straits and Fraser Is.	N/L 11.03 11.02 7.99
Mackay to Cooktown	N/L 10.01 9.01 8.01	Sunshine Coast	N/L 5.99
Cairns to Princess Charlotte Bay	N/L 2.95		
Great Sandy Straits to Capricornia	N/L 8.03 7.03 8.02		

### 2.5 CRUISE REPORTS - S.A.

Coorong	N/L 4.01 7.96 3.96 3.92 4.90 6.87	Adelaide	N/L 4.07
Kangaroo Island	N/L 7.96 10.95 6.91	Upper Spencer Gulf	N/L 2.08

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Eyre Peninsula N/L 4.07 1.07 10.06 8.04 5.01 Murray River N/L 8.04 11.96 8.96  
2.01 10.98 4.98

## 2.6 CRUISE REPORTS - TAS.

Tasmania N/L 11.06 5.06 4.06 8.05 6.01 4.01  
10.98 9.98 1.92  
Video 7min Archives

## 2.7 CRUISE REPORTS - W.A.

General	N/L 5.05 2.05 8.04	Kimberley Coast	N/L 12.97 12.92 (Video B.Stahn)
Walking the Bungles and Sailing Lake Argyle	N/L 8.07	550 "Naughtycal Miles" along the Kimberley Coast	N/L 12.07
Bosun's Big Lap (Shark Bay)	N/L 8.07	Bosun's Big Lap (Home Safe)	N/L 12.07
Bosun's Big Lap (Ord- Cambridge Gulf)	N/L 3.08	Bosun's Big Lap (Ord-Lake Argyle)	N/L 4.08

## 2.8 CRUISE REPORTS – N.T.

Darwin N/L 4.08 8.05

## 2.9 OCEAN CRUISING

Melbourne to Sydney N/L 1.07 Whitsunday to Westernport N/L 1.91

## 2.10 CRUISING OVERSEAS

U.S.A. Inside Passage	N/L 10.90	Sweden	N/L 9.99
Greek Islands	N/L 7.96 5.96		

## 2.11 PUBLISHED CRUISING INFORMATION

Cruising Guide for Corner Inlet	Archives	Library of Publications & Maps	N/L 10.07
Crawford's Mariners Atlas	Archives N/L 11.98 2.98	J.H.Cowell: Anchoring and Anchorages in SA	Archives
Westernport Cruising Guide	N/L 9.03	G.Scarce: Cruising Historic (Spencer) Gulf Ports	Archives
Wright: River Murray Charts	N/L 8.03 B.Stahn	A.Lucas: Curtis Coast	Archives
Baker-Reschke: Lower Murray & Coorong	B.Stahn	Charts: Moreton Bay and Broadwater	Archives
Brettingham-Moore: Maritime Tasmania	B.Stahn	Charts: Great Sandy Straits	Archives
Fremantle Cruising Club: WA Cruising	B.Stahn	Bundaberg to Mackay – Curtis Coast	N/L 4.04
BIA: SA Waters – Atlas & Guide	Archives		

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## 3. MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS (As at April 2008)

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### 3.1 TRAILER

Complete Overhaul	N/L 4.05 2.00	Power winch service manuals: 912c, 812c and 712c	M.Hale
General maintenance	N/L 12.07 8.98 5.98 5.96 11.92 7.85	Power winch	N/L 12.01 3.00 7.99 5.98
Brakes	N/L 10.97 8.97 11.94 9.93 9.91 5.87 1.85	Winch problems	N/L 2.06
Rust prevention	N/L 6.05 5.86	Springs	N/L 3.06 8.97 5.97
Wheel bearings	N/L 1.07 4.96 2.85 1.85 6.83	Electrical connectors	N/L 7.97
9" Alloy rims and tyres	N/L 4.96 7.85	Rollers	N/L 2.05
Checking draw bar weight	N/L 5.05 8.86 10.84	Tyre kicking	N/L 3.03
Lifting the boat off the trailer	N/ L 9.05	Trailer Weight with level Riders	N/L 1.07

### 3.2 YACHT

General	N/L 8.98	Keel repairs on the cheap	N/L 3.08
Anti-fouling	N/L 9.97 7.89	Lifting the boat off the trailer	N/L 9.05
Winches	N/L 4.89 8.86 & M.Hale	Rudder problems with early Son.7 (poor pointing ability)	N/L 10.80
Leaks in decks	N/L 8.85 2.85	Rudder problems on Southern Cross	N/L 12.01
Leaking front hatches	N/L 9.84	Rudder Pintle	N/L 9.00
Leaking keel case	N/L 3.06 2.02	Staunchion fatigue	N/L 3.04
Main Hatch	N/L 5.01	Drinking water tank	N/L 4.00
Keel cable problems	N/L 10.06 3.06 5.04 2.04 3.97	O Rings for Logs	N/L 2.03
Keel problems with Son.7 (see also under 4 Improvements etc.)	N/L 2.88	PDF Test	N/L 8.06
Keel maintenance (using boat cradle)	N/L 9.04 3.04 11.00 Video 8min Archives		

### 3.3 SAILS AND RIGGING

Checking the rigging	N/L 8.07 4.01 7.00 10.89	Sail care (Hood, Horizon)	M.Hale
Sail cleaning	N/L 6.89 (Sail power book)	Mast breakage	N/L 7.99 5.99

### 3.4 OUTBOARD MOTOR

General	N/L 7.95 11.94	Yamaha 6 and 8 HP service manual	B.Stahn
Water-cooling	N/L 3.03 3.91	Yamaha 9.9 HP four stroke manual	R.Evans and N/L 3.98 5.96
Alternators	M.Hale and N/L 4.97	Johnston 6, 7.5 and 9.9 HP serv.man.	M.Hale and N/L 5.01 3.01
Ignition systems	M.Hale	Honda 5 HP four stroke service manual	B.Stahn
Mariner 4 and 5 HP service manual	B.Stahn	Honda 4 stroke - warning	N/L. 6.02

### 3.5 ELECTRICAL ACCESSORIES & INSTRUMENTATION

12 V Boat batteries	N/L 8.05 3.05 6.01 4.00 11.97 11.92 7.92 M.Hale	Suppressing el. radio interference	M.Hale
Electrolysis and radio earthing	M.Hale	Instruments (Depth, speed, log etc.)	N/L 11.04
Jump start leads	N/L 11.05	Compass	N/L 4.06 6.05

### 3.6 GENERAL

Maintenance routines	N/L 10.04	Toyota Land Cr. 1989 service manual	M. Hale and N/L 10.95
Sealing tapes	N/L 5.94	Land Cruiser 80 series Diff Lock	N/L 5.07 4.07 3.07
Storing paint	N/L 7.94	Ford XF and EL service manual	B. Stahn
Portapotti	N/L 8.01 7.99 3.99 9.98 9.97 5.95	Epoxy Repair Kit	N/L 8.05
Metho Stoves	N/L 4.97	Wheel covers	N/L 12.05
Diesel engines (Paul Dempsey)	M. Hale, T. Graetsch	Water leaks	N/L 9.07

### 3.7 SOURCING MATERIALS AND SERVICES

Bimini	N/L 12.07	Electrical Equipment	N/L 4.01 2.01
Biodiesel	N/L 2.03	N/L Fire extinguisher	N/L 9.00

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Galvanising	N/L 9.03 10.98	Soldering Irons	N/L 7.03
Hubs	N/L 2.01	Spreaders	N/L 7.00
Hull repairs	N/L 5.02	Stoves (spare parts)	N/L 2.01 8.00
Marine products	N/L 11.00	Tarpaulin	N/L 7.00
Matting	N/L 4.98	The Float Jack	N/L 5.01
Mast Foot	N/L 5.07	Transfer stickers	N/L 12.00
PFD's (personal floatation devices)	N/L 10.03	Tyres	N/L 5.00
Petrol canisters	N/L 8.00	Upholstery	N/L 8.97
Ropes	N/L 2.99	Welding Aluminium and Stainless Steel	N/L 1.04 2.99 4.98
Sewing machines with walking foot	N/L 2.05	Boating and Camping goods	N/L 9.06

## 3.8 ITEMS FOR LOAN

N/L 8.06 11.05 3.05 6.04 3.04  
4.03 8.02 10.98 9.97

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### 4.1 TRAILER

It is your Asset	N/L 12.07	Trailer weight distribution	N/L 2.06
DIY Rebuild	N/L 4.05 7.99	Wheel bearings fluid running on transom.	N/L 9.96
DIY electric winch	N/L 2.01 2.81	Boat launcher for low inclination ramps	N/L 9.81
Winch cable	N/L 4.02	Boat Launcher	N/L 6.07
Brakes	N/L 9.06 6.01	Gangway	N/L 4.99
Tyres and wheels	N/L 11.91	Extension of Drawbar	N/L 11.03
Rollers	N/L 10.04 6.89		
Balance your load	N/L 5.00		

### 4.2 YACHT

Fitting out with Australian timbers	M. Hale	Keel winch for cockpit access	N/L 4.99
DIY Table for Son.6	N/L 1.82 & M. Hale	Leaking chain plates	N/L 4.02
Fridge - build your own	N/L 2.01 11.97	Bilge pump strainer	N/L 8.93
Securing portapotti on Son.7	N/L 10.84	Rudder Box (/ replacements)	N/L 9.07 6.06 10.99 7.99
Hatch	N/L 10.01 6.01	Emergency rudders	N/L 6.05 5.88
Extra stowage space	N/L 11.00 10.99	Rudder lifting devices	N/L 5.01 11.83
Fuel locker	N/L 9.04	Locking the rudder in position	N/L 8.91
V Birth	N/L 2.01	DIY racing and cruising rudders	N/L 12.99 11.99 4.96 3.96
Keel cables and turning blocks for Son.7 (see also 3.2 Maintenance)	N/L 7.95 3.94	Slap silencer	N/L 9.04
Leak free keel lock-down for Son.7	N/L 11.01 10.00 12.99 4.91	Bimini	N/L 12.07 4.04
Pulleys for drop keels	N/L 8.97 3.95	Anchor selection	N/L 12.05
Keel lock-down for Son.26	N/L 5.00	Mast raising kit	N/L 8.06
Keel cable depth indicator	N/L 2.97		

### 4.3 SAILS AND RIGGING

The latest in sail making	N/L 3.02 11.96	Mast raising	N/L 4.01 8.97
Furling head sails	N/L 8.01 8.91 6.91	Fully battened Mainsail	N/L 5.01
Reefing made easy	N/L 5.04 5.96	Shackle for headsail	N/L 8.98
Upgraded rigging for Son.6,7, 8, 26	N/L 4.91	Spreaders	N/L 11.97
Upgraded backstay turning block	N/L 2.90	Winch with a twist	N/L 3.99

### 4.4 OUTBOARD MOTOR

Purging of stale fuel for better starting	N/L 4.90	2 stroke vs 4 stroke	N/L 12.97
DIY electrical connectors	N/L 4.95	4 stroke outboard engines	N/L 11.98
Shrouded propellers	N/L 7.98 7.88	Clever alternator solution	N/L 2.03

### 4.5 ELECTRICAL ACCESSORIES AND INSTRUMENTATION

Boat wiring/connectors	N/L 7.00 5.00 4.006.83	Marine radios and antennas	M. Hale, B. Stahn
Solar panels, power from the sun	N/L 3.05 3.00 8.95		N/L 2.83 10.82 9.82 M. Hale

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Make your own Antenna	(see also 8.4 Safety)	Things – GPS	N/L 2.08
Transmission lines/Antenna by R.Minato	N/L 9.07	Depth sounders	N/L 5.91 M. Hale
GPS's	N/L 11.07	Logs	N/L 9.99
	N/L 2.08 7.03 2.03 12.02 3.02	12 V Refrigeration	N/L 10.95 9.93 M. Hale
	5.01 5.00 11.99 7.99 10.98	Autohelms	M. Hale, B. Stahn
	9.98 7.98 5.98 2.98	Seawater thermometer	M. Hale
Batteries for GPS's	N/L 2.98	Masthead light	N/L 9.98
		Cabin lights	M. Hale
		Cabin fan	N/L 3.00
<b>4.6 GENERAL</b>			
Working with fiberglass	N/L 4.08 12.02 or M. Hale		
Dinghies (inc. DIY)	M. Hale (N/L 10.84)		
DIY navigational aid	N/L 9.91 & E. Kane	The smart anchor (Sentinel)	N/L 4.96
Shower with a twist	N/L 6.04	Barge Board Making	N/L 4.08

## 5. ORGANISATION AND MEMBERSHIP (As at April 2008)

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### 5.1 SYAV - THE BEGINNINGS

Foundation of SYAV	N/L 9.98 9.93
First Newsletter	N/L 9.78
20th Anniversary Video	Archives
Sonata Ramblings	N/L 9.06

### 5.2 BOAT LISTS

	Archives and
	N/L 2.03 12.96 12.95 12.94
	12.93 2.93
	1.92 5.90 12.89 12.88 3.87 1.85
Registration numbers	N/L 10.02 5.99 7.99

### 5.3 MEMBERSHIP RECORDS

Lists	Archives
Statistics	N/L 4.00 8.98 7.98 5.98
Renewal system	N/L 6.04
S.Y.A.V. Apparel	N/L 3.08 10.07 9.05 8.05
(Garments, Badges, Keel cables)	

### 5.4 FINANCIAL

Reports - Yearly in August	N/L from 8.80
Advertising rates for non-members	N/L 9.97

### 5.5 CONSTITUTION

Constitution	N/L 8.02 5.02 3.83 2.81
Constitutional changes	N/L 6.07 3.07
Class Rules	N/L 2.81
Quorum (Amended Constitution)	N/L 8.83
SYAV Incorporation	/L 7.86 4.86
Joint Ownership	N/L 7.88
Southern Cross and North Wind	
Membership	N/L 7.88
Objectives of SYAV (Amendment)	N/L 9.96

## 6. REGULATIONS (As at April 2008)

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### 6.1 ON THE ROAD

Insurance Council of Aust.-Towing	N/L 10.99 9.99 6.90 & Mike Hale
Regulations	
Interstate Towing - Limits and Rules	N/L 2.03 8.97 7.97 10.96 5.95 5.94
Towing in Victoria	N/L 2.05 11.04 8.04 5.04 4.04 4.03 5.92 8.90 3.89 1.88 12.87 11.87

### 5.6 FUNCTIONS

Committee Structure and Duties	N/L 7.88
Committee History	N/L 6.01
Committee Recruitment	N/L 6.07 3.06

### 5.7 RELATION WITH OTHER CLUBS

Yachting Victoria (Vic. Yacht Council)	N/L 6.06 10.05 8.05
Newsletters from:	Archives
Hastings Y C	
Newcastle Hunter Trailable Y A	
Nylex Assoc.	
Port Albert Y C	
Sunmaid Assoc.	
S.A. Trailer Sailer Association	

### 5.8 SURVEYS

Questionnaire / Analysis	N/L 8.98 5.98 8.97
	N/L 11.07 9.07

### 5.9 PUBLICITY

Boat Shows	N/L 5.07 4.05 6.04 8.04 8.03 8.02 9.00 10.99 8.98
Trailable Yacht Festival	N/L 12.07 4.07 4.06 3.06 3.05 .05
Web Site	N/L 5.04 3.04 12.03 11.03 10.02 12.00 11.00 9.00 7.00
Video/DVD	N/L 8.04
"How to do" DVD	N/L 6.07
Newsletter by E-Mail	N/L 6.01

### 5.10 ARCHIVES, STRUCTURE AND UPDATE

Archives	N/L 10.05 9.05 9.02 9.95
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## 6.2 ON THE WATER

Boating Strategy	N/L 4.03 7.99	Anchors, Chains and Warps	N/L 11.87
Boating Laws for Victoria	N/L 12.05 4.89	Reflective Tape	N/L 7.87
Boating Laws for Queensland	N/L 12.02	Forward Hatch Access	N/L 5.86
Fines for infringements	N/L 7.96	Boat Sewage Rules for Gippsland Lakes	N/L 9.98 9.94
Motor Boating Regulations	N/L 5.04 4.04 12.03 12.01 11.01 9.01 8.01 6.01 4.01 8.83	Grey Water Disposal	N/L 3.06 6.05
Safety in Shipping Channels	N/L 9.85	Black Water Disposal	N/L 2.08
Right of Way Rules	N/L 10.91 9.91	Licence for using Inland Waters	N/L 10.90
AYF Safety Regulations	N/L 9.90 10.87	Reciprocal arrangements between States	N/L 10.96
Carrying of Flares	N/L 8.85	Salvage rights	N/L 7.00
Marine Radio Frequencies	N/L 8.82	Aquatic Pests	N/L 5.04
Single Sideband Radio	N/L 2.82	Geelong restricted zone	N/L 8.04 9.04
		Notice to Mariners	N/L 5.05
		Port of Melbourne Restrictions	N/L 9.05

## 7. FACILITIES (As at April 2008)

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### 7.1 RAMPS

Parking	N/L 12.01 5.01 11.00 10.00
Ramps around Melbourne	N/L 12.07 4.04 1.04 7.00 3.00 12.99 7.99 11.98 10.91 7.89 9.87
Geelong	N/L 6.04
Queenscliff	N/L 8.04 11.04
Gippsland Lakes	N/L 4.05
Boat and Trailer Storage	N/L 11.05

### 7.2 MARINAS

Queenscliff	N/L 1.07
Docklands	N/L 12.07 4.07
Frankston Marine Facilities Study	N/L 6.91
Proposed Marina for Werribee	N/L 4.91
Blairstown Y.C.	N/L 4.04

### 7.3 WATERWAYS

City Waterfront	N/L 1.07
Pump out facilities	N/L 12.07 11.02 7.99 3.99
Flushing out Gippsland Lakes	N/L 9.98 10.97
Raymond Island Bridge	N/L 3.95 8.85
Gippsland Lakes	N/L 5.07 1.07 3.03 12.00 9.00
Gipps Lakes by Rob Anderson	N/L 10.07
Lakes Entrance sand management	N/L 3.07
Gippsland Lakes: Navigational Aids/Notices/Blue Lights	N/L 8.07 4.07
Werribee River	N/L 8.97
Corio Bay	N/L 2.01 12.00
Hawkesbury River	N/L 10.99

## 8. RISKS AND SAFETY (As at April 2008)

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### 8.1 GENERAL

Check List	N/L 10.04 2.01 12.00 9.97 10.95 10.94 7.89 3.899.85
Overhead Power lines	N/L 9.93 4.92
Hastings Overhead Lamp obstruction	N/L 3.93
AYF Safety Regulations	N/L 9.90
Trailer regulations	N/L 4.99
Hydrocarbons on board	N/L 3.99 8.97
Sea Pilots	N/L 8.98 7.98
Water Police	N/L 8.05 7.00
AVCG (Australian Volunteer Coast Guard)	N/L 12.06
Risk Management	N/L 12.04 10.04 12.03 6.02
Public Liability	N/L 7.03
National Marine Safety	N/L 5.07

### 8.2 PERSONAL HEALTH AND SURVIVAL

Safeguards against sinking	N/L 3.00
Survival at Sea	N/L 5.94
Basics for Survival	N/L 8.93
Man Overboard	N/L 10.04 2.00 4.95 11.87 8.83
Crew skills – are you prepared?	N/L 8.07
First Aid	N/L 8.06 3.01 3.87 4.84
Bites and Stings	N/L 11.93
Resuscitation	N/L 4.92 1.92 9.91 10.84
Head Injuries	N/L 8.86
Watch your back	N/L 2.06
Hypothermia	N/L 5.86 10.83
Blue green algae	N/L 3.99
Sea Sickness – Sea bands	N/L 11.84
Polyester resin catalyst danger to eyesight	N/L 4.08 10.82

Soldering, what you should know	N/L 4.08
Marine safety clothing	N/L 4.00
Winch - safe use	N/L 2.00
Power winch	N/L 12.01
Stroke – you could save a life	N/L 2.08
Dental emergency kit	N/L 8.07
Lightning strike survival	N/L 12.07
Personal Locator Beacon	N/L 2.08
Life Jackets / PFD's	N/L 3.08 12.06 8.06 4.05 3.05 9.04 5.04 3.04 10.03 9.03 1.91

### 8.3 ROAD

The wheel fell off	N/L 2.00
Tyres - are they <b>just</b> round & black	N/L 9.02-part 1
Tyres - " " " " " " " "	N/L 10.02-part 2

### 8.4 YACHT

Lightning Protection / Strikes	N/L 8.06 3.99 7.94
Anchor tests	N/L 2.08
Flares - how to use them	N/L 12.93 8.87 7.86
Flares - disposal of outdated	N/L 10.89
LPG on board and regulations	M. Hale
Fire protection	N/L 12.04 11.04 9.04 11.00 6.89 7.88
Safety Ropes (man over board)	N/L 1.92
Locating a Life Line	N/L 4.89
Emergency Rudders	N/L 5.88
Emergency Equipment	N/L 1.88
Emergency Keel Cable	N/L 7.00

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Pop top hold down	N/L 3.01	Emergency radio beacons EPIRB's UHF Ch.18	5.99 10.98 2.96 5.92
Reflective Tape Rules	N/L 7.87		N/L 10.06 8.02 11.95 CB-
Tying down heavy items	N/L 1.84		N/L 3.03
Launching our yacht	N/L 1.04		
Forestay fatigue	N/L 8.07		

## 8.5 RADIO

Radio License	N/L 6.01
Good Radio Protocol	N/L 4.08 4.95 1.92 10.90 6.81
Positioning communicating Radio	N/L 5.07
Deaf and Dumb Radios	N/L 5.97
27 MHz Marine Band	N/L 8.86
Monitoring of Distress Channels	N/L 8.02 6.02 8.97
Mobile Phones at Sea	N/L 11.07 4.01 2.01 12.00 11.99 8.99

## 8.6 INSURANCE

	N/L 8.05 12.03 8.00 5.00
	4.00 2.98 9.97 7.97 10.96 8.96
	7.96 2.96 3.92

## 8.7 WEATHER

Weather Forecasting	N/L 8.02 11.01 3.01 2.01 5.00
Telephone Services	10.99 10.98 8.98 12.87 3.82
	N/L 8.05

## 9. BOATING SKILLS AND GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

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Quick Radio Course	N/L 3.94	Boom Vang (Kicking Strap)	N/L 4.95
Magnetic Variation to Compass Readings	N/L 3.93 10.90	Sail trim for the right power	N/L 9.07 5.98 9.95
Deep Cycle Batteries	N/L 11.92 7.92	The Jib	N/L 12.01
Using a Multimeter	N/L 5.01 4.01	Trailer Yacht Tuning -	N/L 11.97 Archives
Hayman Reese Hitch	N/L 4.02 3.02	<b>"Sail Power" Publication</b>	
The Barometer	N/L 3.01 11.98	Boat Exercises and Trials	N/L 4.86 6.84
Coping with strong tides	N/L 5.05 5.96	Planning for Food	N/L 12.01 7.99 8.98 4.98 3.98 10.97 10.82
Tides at Port Philip Heads	N/L 2.97	<b>"IDEAS PAY OFF"</b>	N/L 5.01 3.01 2.01 4.98 3.98
Winds on Gippsland Lakes	N/L 2.03 2.97	Things you should know about "soldering"	N/L 4.08
A "Sextant and how to use it"	N/L 5.97	Fishing Tips	N/L 7.99 2.99
Direction by the Stars	N/L 10.97	Sailor Talk	N/L 4.99
Digital Logs	N/L 1.84	Ships Time	N/L 9.00
Buoyage System	N/L 5.87	Semaphore Alphabet	N/L 8.00
How to measure a 12m Yacht (America Cup History)	N/L 11.86 10.86	Flag Signals	N/L 6.02
Fine tuning your yacht	N/L 9.04 12.98	Mooring techniques	N/L 5.99
Correcting Helm	N/L 2.02	Winch - Safe use	N/L 2.00
Rudderless Sailing, Yacht Tuning	N/L 11.81 10.81	Man overboard demo	N/L 2.00
Single Handed Sailing	N/L 7.85	Sails (a quick change & working)	N/L 7.00
Tying up the boat and making fast	N/L 5.01 7.00 7.98 5.88	Preparing for the season	N/L 9.00
Anchors and Anchoring	N/L 6.05 5.05 4.05 3.05 5.04 10.98 9.97	Wintertime "jobbies"	N/L 9.00
Knots and hitches	N/L 2.01 8.00 7.00 10.96 7.96	Keeping it simple	N/L 2.03
Knots - Nautical		Soldering - things you should know	N/L 7.03
Rope ladder	N/L 3.05	Shower with a twist	N/L 6.04
Gennaker (MPS)	N/L 10.01 7.92 5.92	Handy hints	N/L 9.04
Raising Mast on Sonata 7	N/L 4.08	The horizon	N/L 9.04
Sonata - "How to do" DVD	N/L 6.07	Spare parts check list	N/L 4.06

## 10 SPECIFICATIONS

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Sonata 6	Archives & N/L 9.98	Careel / Sonata 26	Archives & N/L 9.92
Sonata 6 Sprinta	Archives	Differences between Son.26 and Son.8	N/L 2.85
Sonata 6.3	Archives	Self Righting Ability of Sonatas	N/L 2.89 8.84
Sonata 6.7	Archives	Hydraulic Keel Conversion for Son.26	N/L 9.92
Sonata 7	Archives & N/L 4.05 7.98 5.97 4.93	David Rose, new Manufacturer	N/L 4.93 10.89
Sonata 760	N/L 6.04 9.96	Moulds for Son.6.3 and 7	N/L 7.98 10.96 9.96
Sonata 26	Archives & N/L 6.87	6.3 Evaluation '85	N/L 10.03

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## 11 SOCIAL, ENTERTAINMENT AND HUMOR

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### SOCIAL:

Christmas Parties	N/L 12.07 12.06 12.05 12.04 11.02 12.01 12.00 12.99 2.98
Bike Rides	N/L 6.07 10.05 8.05 4.05 3.05 2.05 10.04 9.03 10.02 8.00 7.98 8.97 7.97
Land Cruising	N/L 6.07 5.06 5.03 11.02 5.02 5.01 10.00 9.00
Mt Baw Baw	N/L 9.05 6.05 6.04
Port Fairy	N/L 8.99 3.98
Rotating Dinner	N/L 11.06 5.03
Wine Bottling	N/L 5.03
Garden Party	N/L 11.03 5.02
Jeffery's 50th anniversary	N/L 8.04
Classical Festival at Metung	N/L 7.99
30 <sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY Activities	N/L 3.08
New Year 2007 at Gippsland Lakes	N/L 2.08

### ENTERTAINMENT:

Sing for your Sonata	N/L 2.06
11.99	

### RECIPIES:

11.94	N/L 2.06
The Lighthouse	N/L 9.94
Aren't we lucky?	N/L 7.94
What's in a Name?	N/L 2.05 7.93
Sail gives way to Power	N/L 12.92
Lessons from Casualties	N/L 10.92
Marine Superstitions	N/L 9.82
Why is a ship called "She"?	N/L 4.05 5.92
The Art of Loosing	N/L 9.98 3.92
The dangers of Port	N/L 11.91
Retrieving the Spinnaker Halyard	N/L 6.91
Standard Excuses for Losing	N/L 2.90
Fishing in the Gippsland Lakes	N/L 4.89
Messing around with Boats	N/L 3.89
Have you heard?	N/L 3.88
What else can go wrong?	N/L 8.86
Why we did not win	N/L 4.84
The good bit	N/L 11.81
How to find your V-birth	N/L 2.97

### PRESIDENT'S SPECIAL PAGE:

At year's end by.	N/L 7.97
President 1 <sup>st</sup> Page by Des Russell	N/L 8.06
Words QUIZ	N/L 4.98
Answers to QUIZ	N/L 5.98
Dinoflagellates	N/L 9.98
What causes phosphorescence or luminescence?	N/L 4.07
Jelly blubber	N/L 11.06
Don't read this, it might hurt	N/L 10.98
Naval Customs	N/L 10.98 9.98 8.98 7.98 5.98
The A to Z of the Whitsundays	N/L 11.98
Best Headlines	N/L 2.99
Names around the Gippsland Lakes	N/L 4.99
10 Best things to say...	N/L 4.99
The language of sailing	N/L 4.06
Two glasses of wine	N/L 10.07
The ark	N/L 10.05
Under the Arches	N/L 4.99
Investor wanted	N/L 4.99
The Tiller Lady	N/L 4.99
Oh that wonderful invention	N/L 8.99
A Monument to a living legend	N/L 8.99
Flares – bargain prices	N/L 8.99

Keeping your first mate happy	N/L 4.00
How to train your crew	N/L 8.00
Music to our ears	N/L 5.00

### MEMBERS LETTERS:

	N/L 2.08 10.06 9.06 (two) 2.06 5.01 7.00
Fare thee well old friend Cinnamon Stick	N/L 3.08
Margaret's Melody memories	N/L 6.07
Why we bought a Sonata	N/L 2.08
Enid Blyton Cruise to Queenscliff	N/L 4.94
Cairns to Cape York on "MV Trinity Bay"	N/L 9.04
The Falkirk Wheel (Scotland)	N/L 9.04
Paddle Steamer "CURLIP"	N/L 3.08
Ahoy from the Pattons	N/L 8.05
Stepping up to retirement	N/L 4.05
Canberra Sonata fleet	N/L 12.06
A night to remember	N/L 8.00

### COMPETITION:

Best Article/Best Photo	N/L 12.07 5.07 11.06 10.05 8.05 9.00
Do you just belong?	N/L 9.00
Captain's Report	N/L 10.00
Mind Twister	N/L 12.00
Are you the weakest link	N/L 10.01
Now remember this!	N/L 2.02
Duffy goes yotting	N/L 3.02
The Retiree Man	N/L 6.02
How to handle a woman	N/L 9.02
Navigation game	N/L 2.03
Female terminology	N/L 3.03
Experience, experience, experience	N/L 3.03
Turning of the timonoggy	N/L 3.03
Shit happens	N/L 5.03
HMS Cerberus	N/L 4.05 10.03
How to launch a personal water craft	N/L 1.04
A.A.A.D.D.	N/L 3.04
Expressions from the 1500's	N/L 4.04
What spelling error	N/L 6.04
Fair go	N/L 10.04
What's a man without a boat???	N/L 12.04
Inner peace	M/L 3.05
100 and a half	N/L 6.05
Five good reasons	N/L 6.05
Tool guide	N/L 6.05
A dogs' life (Gippsland Lakes)	N/L 2.06
Is hell exothermic or endothermic	N/L