

Dear Safety Beach Sailing Club member

This letter is to inform you of the guidelines your general committee has put in place to ensure all members are being billed fairly and that members are paying what they should. It should form a guide as to what each membership category gives you as a member. Please take the time to read it carefully.

As a direct benefit of your membership, all members are entitled to

- 20% discount on hall hire for functions
- Discounted prices for food and beverages
- Regular e-news updates on forthcoming events

FAMILY MEMBERSHIP (SAILING)

- For one or two parent families with children
- Parents have voting rights
- Have access to changing rooms and yard
- No sailing fees (Previously \$70.00 per season)
- May bring a guest or partner to functions of the association, but must sign in guest and partner. Guests and partners of senior members are restricted to 3 visits per year after which time the guest and or partner must become a paid member of the association or be denied access to the facilities as per liquor licensing regulations

SENIOR MEMBERSHIP (SAILING/SOCIAL)

- Cheaper rate, however is an individual membership only
- Have voting rights
- Have access to changing rooms and yard
- No sailing fees (Previously \$70.00 per season)
- May bring a guest or partner to functions of the association, but must sign in guest and partner. Guests and partners of senior members are restricted to 3 visits per year after which time the guest and or partner must become a paid member of the association or be denied access to the facilities as per liquor licensing regulations

SOCIAL MEMBERSHIP (NON SAILING)

- Available as individual membership only (It is preferred that a couple purchase one membership each) or must sign partner in on each occasion as per liquor licensing regulations. Partner and guest visits are restricted to 3 visits only after which time that/those guest/s and or partner of member will be required to purchase a social membership or be denied access to the venue as per liquor licensing regulations.
- Enables members to their \$70.00 credit for food and beverages over the bar at member pricing (Guests of members are not eligible to member discounts)
- Boat storage is restricted to full members only due to space restrictions however this membership enables members to store kayaks, having paid the correct fee.
- Use of change rooms when the club is open whilst enjoying the beach
- Although not able to vote, will still value varying opinions at AGM's
- Regular e-news updates on forthcoming events

JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP (SAILING)

- Restricted to those people who are not part of a family membership and between the ages of 8 and 18.
- Have access to changing rooms and yard on sailing days only
- No sailing fees

STUDENT MEMBERSHIP (SAILING)

- One needs to be a student and between the ages of 18 and 23.
- Have access to changing rooms and yard
- No sailing fees

BOAT STORAGE

Storage of boats in the yard is restricted to those members who have either, Family, Senior or Junior membership. Unfortunately because of space restrictions, we are unable to offer boat storage to social memberships. Social members will not be able to sail their boats in club events due to insurance restrictions. A member who has paid the correct fee for storage of their boat/kayak is required to place the 'yard fee paid' sticker on the transom of their boat for easy identification. Boats without this identification will be removed. Social members can use the yard and ramps for rigging and launching of their craft on sailing days only. A yard key can be purchased to gain access outside of these times.

MEMBERSHIP CARDS

A membership card is allocated to those members that have paid the correct fee and entitles them to member discounts over the bar and for food purchases. These cards are not transferable. A guest or partner of a paid member is not entitled to these discounts. Membership cards maybe required to be presented to catering staff to obtain discount. A no membership card no discount policy may be enforced.

ACCOUNTS (MOST IMPORTANT)

Accounts this year have been altered to include an early bird special to encourage members to pay their accounts on time as per our constitution. **If you pay your account before September 15th, you can deduct \$15.00 off your total account.** This system has been instigated because of the high number of members paying their accounts very late, thereby making it very difficult to budget for the year ahead.

We no longer have change of detail forms. Please email the secretary with any changes. Cheques and renewal forms can be sent to our treasurer; Don Barnett, 34 Marine Drive, Safety Beach, 3936. If you prefer to pay directly into the clubs account, details are BSB 633-108, and Acc. No. 134878677. Please indicate invoice no. and surname when paying via this method.