

The Charter (Guidelines) for Gosford Sailing Club Fleets and Fleet Support Committees

1. AIMS

1.1 The aims of the Fleet Support Committees are to:

- (a) Advise the Sailing Committee in relation to matters which affect the particular Class or Fleet;
- (b) Provide services to support the administration of the Class or Fleet.
- (c) Promote and encourage racing, other sailing events and social activities in the Gosford Sailing Club

2. GENERAL ORGANISATION

- 2.1 Fleet' refers to all approved classes or fleets of sailing vessels within 'Gosford Sailing Club'.
- 2.2 All Fleet Support Committees shall work under the delegated Authority of the GSC Board.
- 2.3 For the purpose of electing support committees the members of a Fleet are those GSC sailing members sailing in or interested in the respective class or fleet of the Club.
- 2.4 Fleet Support Committees may elect Fleet Captains (delegate) and other positions as required to support their class or fleet. The President or his/her nominee (normally the Commodore) may also appoint Fleet Captains (delegates) in the absence of elections.
- 2.5 The President or his/her nominee (normally the Commodore) will be an ex officio member of each Fleet Support Committee and may attend any meeting.
- 2.6 Fleet Support Committees report to the Sailing Committee via their Fleet Captain or delegate

3. DUTIES OF THE SUPPORT COMMITTEE

- 3.1 Assist the Sailing Committee to manage the activities of the fleet, including but not limited to entry registrations, equipment audits, handicapping, results and scoring.
- 3.2 Promote the Class or Fleet.
- 3.3 Maintain Class or Fleet trophies.
- 3.4 Assist with presentation nights and other social events.
- 3.5 Requests for equipment or major expenditure shall be made by the Fleet delegate to the Sailing Committee for board approval. Requests for minor expenditure are to be made to the Sailing Administrator.