

Volunteers ranging in ages from 12 to 60 run the Rivoli Bay Sailing Club. The club's great sailing location enables friends, family and visitors to enjoy the spirited



and social component of sailing in a safe and supervised environment.

The sailing season is from October through to April. Sailing is held on weekends, comprising of social and sail training in the mornings and club races in the afternoon. There is a cross section of off the beach classes, both monohulls and catamarans. The RBSC committee are passionate about sailing and work to motivate its existing members and work to attract new people to sailing through its alliance with schools and other community groups.

RBSC is an active part of the wider community and has an open policy when it comes to other groups wishing to



utilise the clubs facilities or get involved with the sailing group. As a club we work towards continuous improvement of the clubs facilities and the promotion of sailing in the Limestone Coast.

Rivoli Bay Sailing Club also is recognised as a host of State and National sailing regattas including the Mosquito Catamaran Nationals, Taipan & Capricorn Nationals. Yearly the Club hosts the SA v Vic Tasar Challenge, Western Regional Regatta, Southwest Ports Regatta and interclub sailing competitions. These regattas attract sailors from Adelaide and interstate, with club members travelling from across Australia to compete.

The Club's long-term vision is to be an advocate for sailing, increase junior membership and provide a valuable club facility for the Limestone Coast community and beyond.

The Rivoli Bay Sailing Club is located at Southend and the two-storey clubhouse and boat shed lies in a protected gully surrounded by a lawned area and native bushland. The clubrooms provide an ocean view across the bay to Beachport.

The Club offers for the general community:

- ✦ indoor entertainment area that can seat up to 70 people
- ✦ female and male toilets & showers
- ✦ full kitchen facilities
- ✦ BBQ Facilities
- ✦ limited bar facilities
- ✦ secure car parking
- ✦ camping hire

The Club offers the sailing community:

- ✦ 1 Rescue Boat fully equipped and serviced, half-cabin cruiser
- ✦ 2 Pacers
- ✦ 1 Tasar
- ✦ an observation loft
- ✦ personnel to support and assist with yachting and public events

Rivoli Bay Sailing Club benefits:

- ✦ high profile sailing location
- ✦ social atmosphere
- ✦ commitment to juniors
- ✦ access to training skills and technical knowledge

- ☞ on water rescue assistance during race events
- ☞ organised and safe competitions
- ☞ access to other sailing events
- ☞ help fellow club members
- ☞ personal accident insurance (see [www.yachting.org.au](http://www.yachting.org.au) for a full policy)
- ☞ newsletters from Yachting Australia and Yachting SA to your email
- ☞ access to classified ads such as boats, trailers, boat parts and accessories

and awareness. It encourages team building and cooperation. Parent involvement is an integral and enjoyable aspect of the sail clinic.

Our Sailing School has been established to teach youth the sport of sailing under the guidelines of the Australian Yachting Federation National Training Scheme by an AYF accredited instructor.

Yachts used are the 4.5 meter Pacers which are an exciting way to learn the basics of sailing including hands-on experience in the fundamentals of safety, sail handling, sailing upwind and downwind & man overboard. Entry requirement is Year 7 level or above and cost includes coaching, boat hire, approved life jacket type PDF jacket.

Contact Brad Mann for more details on 0435 065 299.



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### Learn to Sail Clinic

The Learn to Sail Clinic is offered on weekends to provide a wonderful outdoor adventure activity. It develops boat handling skills, fitness, water safety

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The Rivoli Bay Sailing Club is an affiliated member of Yachting SA and is an off the beach sailing organisation located in Southend. Since its inception in 1968, the club offers social, recreational and competition for both youth and adults. The Club prides itself on being an active fun club that aspires to promote the sport of sailing and



supports youth and adults to State and National sailing competition level. The Rivoli Bay Sailing Club has an active. "Come and Try Sailing" program that encourages people of all ages and backgrounds to experience the sport of sailing.



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