

TAREE EASTER POWERBOAT CLASSIC



29th, 30th & 31st MARCH 2024

DRIVER ENTRY



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Classes & Races

Each class must have four (4) or more entries to be deemed a class. A class that has three (3) or less entrants will be automatically entered into the next class. The classes that will be held are as follows:

Classes

Formula Futures (Juniors)

25hp Outboards

KT/Hydroplanes

Hyper5

Mono Outboard

5.2ltr Displacement

Superstock 105

6ltr Displacement

Grand Prix Hydroplanes – Mary & Ernie Nunn Trophy

Unlimited Outboards

Blown Alcohol Displacement

If 4 entries are received for a class not listed, it will be included in the program.

Major Races

Geoff Stevenson Memorial - Unlimited Displacement & Unlimited Outboard - Sunday

King of the River - BEST OF THE BEST - Sunday

Liberty Cup - 6ltr Displacement, Unlimited Outboard, BAD - Saturday

The Victor Currie - Displacement Invitational - Sunday

Commodores Cup - 6Ltr Displacement – Sunday

The Barry Chaplin – Bad - Sunday

Championship Races

Grand Prix Hydroplanes – Mary & Ernie Nunn Trophy ENTER ON AUSAPBA ENTRY FORM PAGE 7

Entry & fee details - Mary & Ernie Nunn Trophy

Entries close Friday 15th MARCH 2024.

AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIP ENTRY - Mary & Ernie Nunn Trophy

Entries must meet the following rules:

Rule 203.05 | Australasian and Australian Championships

There must be four (4) bona fide entries received thirteen (13) days before the date of the event to constitute a Championship for Inboard and Outboard Classes.

Rule 203.07 | Entry Bond A bond of \$150 per Entry per Class entered must be lodged with each entry to all Australasian and Australian Championships, Speed or Time Trial events. The bond will be returned to the entrant once their Boat has been presented for Scrutineering at the Event, or if the Event is cancelled, or at other times at the discretion of the Club or Council conducting the Event.

How to submit an Entry - Mary & Ernie Nunn Trophy

Pre-enter using the Standard APBA Entry Forms (page 7). You must submit a separate form and \$150.00 bond money for each Australian event you wish to enter. (e.g. if entering 3 Australian events, you would submit 3x entry forms and \$450 bond).

Please send submissions by SATURDAY 17th MARCH 2024 to:

NSW Secretary PO BOX 4178

PITT TOWN NSW 2756

Or email nswcouncilapba@hotmail.com

Entries not received by the 17th March will be counted as a post entry and that will then cost an additional \$150. PLEASE NOTE as per APBA Rule 203.07 the bond will be returned to contestant once their boat has been presented for Scrutineering at the event.

General Entry Information for Easter Powerboat Classic

All races including memorial races are subject to four (4) or more entries. If those entries are not forthcoming the race will not run. Each boat can only enter one class and cannot "step up" unless invited by officials. Each boat is able to nominate a different class for the Saturday and Sunday program but cannot change classes within that day.

Safety Levy & Entry Fees for Easter Powerboat Classic

Senior Boat Safety Levy - \$250.00 Safety Levy must be sent when returning the entry form.

Entries received after the 15th March will incur a late entry fee of \$300.00

Junior boat entry fee- \$30 must be sent when returning the entry form.

Safety Levy & Entry Fees for Club day Friday 29th March

Senior Boat Safety Levy -\$100.00

Entry Forms for Easter Powerboat Classic

Entries must be returned by Friday 15th March 2024. **Easter Powerboat Classic entry form page 8**

You must pre-enter this event to enable the TAPBC to formulate the race program. If your class does not pre-enter the event, there is a chance that your class may not run at the event. Failure to pre-enter may result in delays in obtaining pit passes, inapt allocation to pit area (away from other competitors within your class), updates or information relevant to competition Entries are to be email to

secretary@tareepowerboatclub.org.au

or by mail to

Taree Aquatic Powerboat Club, PO Box 626 Taree NSW 2430.

Payments for Easter Powerboat Classic

Payments can be transferred to:

Account Name: **Taree Aquatic Powerboat Club**

Bank: Greater Building Society

BSB: 637 000

Account No.: 721 058 522

Ref: Boat name/ Fuel drum quantity

Refer to TAPBC for details and pricing of methanol (Paid in FULL with entry)

Pit Area

Access to the pits is restricted to personnel wearing a valid wrist band (children included). The pits will be fenced and with strict enforcement of all rules for safety and public liability.

One tow vehicle per boat will be allowed in the pit area.

TAPBC will not be responsible for any damage to cars, equipment or other items associated with a vessel or team in the pit area.

Pit Rules

Closed in shoes,

No alcohol,

No riding on trailers,

Children must be under DIRECT adult supervision at all times,

NSW Fire Brigade has advised that **SMOKING, VAPING OR GAS BBQ'S** of any type will not be permitted to operate within the confines of the pits. (This includes in the back of enclosed trailer, Motor homes, Caravans and Transporters)

Moving vehicles and vessels have right of way

All directives must be followed immediately

Failure to show/wear wristband may result in removal, and possible exclusion, from the pits.

Fire Extinguishers

806.051 In addition to any firefighting equipment supplied at a venue, it is recommended that all Boats include the following as part of their pit equipment: • Minimum 20 Litre bucket of water (for use with methanol fuels) • Minimum 4.5kg (ABE) Powder Extinguisher with current certification
A team member must be stationed on this fire extinguisher during any refueling activities.
In addition, the team member stationed at the fire extinguisher must have knowledge and proper understanding of the correct use of, and be prepared to use it, in the case of a fire.
NSW Fire Brigade have advised that smoking or gas BBQ's of any type will not be permitted to operate within the confines of the pits.

Pit Passes

Senior Boats - **FOUR** (4) free Pit wristbands, including the driver, will be issued to each senior boat at scrutineering and additional pit wristbands will be available at a cost of \$25.00 each.
Formula Future Boats - **FOUR** (4) free Pit wristbands including the driver will be issued to each Formula Future boat at scrutineering and additional pit wristbands will be available at a cost of \$25.00 each.
Pit passes are available for collection on completion of paperwork at scrutineering on Friday 29th March 2024. Additional passes will be available then.

Pit Closure

8am Saturday and Sunday

Scrutineering

Friday 29th March 2024, starting at 10.00am till 4.00pm.
Scrutineering on Saturday will be by appointment only.

Club day

TAPBC will be hosting a club day on Friday 29th March 2024, with time to be confirmed from local Churches. All paperwork and scrutineering must be completed before your boat is allowed on the course. There will not be any practice on Saturday or Sunday.

Drivers Briefing

Drivers briefing will be on Saturday and Sunday at 8.30am. Each driver must attend and sign on.

Breath Testing

201.091 **All Drivers and Riding Crew** must submit to a breath test analysis at or in conjunction with the Briefing or at any designated time specified on the programme. The Club may conduct random breath testing as per APBA Rule 201.092.

APBA Rule No. 201.100 FAILING A BREATH ANALYSIS TEST - The following penalties will apply to any Driver or Riding Crew who returns a positive reading following a breath test conducted under Rule 201.09 at any sanctioned event

1st Offence: 2 Yellow Cards and the Driver will not be permitted to race on that day of the Event. The boat will not be disqualified from that Event

2nd Offence: 1 Yellow Card, which will automatically become a Red Card (see Rule 104.035). This will entail an automatic three-month suspension from competing.

3rd Offence: A minimum suspension of 12 months from competing as determined by the Drivers' Council.

201.097 The consumption of alcoholic beverages within any Pit Area is prohibited.

201.098 Any Driver, Boat Owner, Riding Crew or Crew Member consuming alcoholic beverages within any Pit Area will be immediately removed and prohibited from taking any further part in that Event.

Fuel

Methanol fuel can be purchased. Fuel must be pre-ordered and pay with your entry. Fuel will be delivered to Taree.

SMS or call Warren 0418 464 935 to order.

Formula Future Boats

ALL boats must comply with APBA Rule 1604.01 All outboard motors must meet the requirements for a standard motor. Only the modifications listed in Specific Outboard 1203.00 to 1203.2414 will be permitted.

Rule 1604.08 FUEL – Fuels must be commercially available unleaded fuel.

1604.04 All Outboard motors in Formula Future Class racing are required to be sealed by a Measurer. The Measurement Certificate should then be presented at each Championship Event when scrutineered

Competitor Requirements

Full APBA License

State Boating License

APBA Affiliated Club membership to be presented at time of scrutineering / entry.

State Boating Authority Registration

Please note: All documentation must be original and be presented at time of entry and scrutineering

Statement from MidCoast Council

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT FROM MIDCOAST COUNCIL as this will affect our event: As of October 2009, Greater Taree City Council has implemented a Sporting Fields code of Conduct. The policy is 'no glass' and 'no alcohol' at Council's sporting venues and grounds. All sporting organizations to ensure that the consumption of alcohol only occurs within designated licensed areas, as required under the Liquor Act 2007, and that no glass is brought onto the sporting venues and fields. There is an enforcement provision under the Local Government Act 1993 Sec 632 (1) should glass be brought onto the sporting venues and fields, and should alcohol be consumed in a non-licensed area.



AUSTRALIAN POWER BOAT ASSOCIATION

National Authority Affiliated with the Union International Mononautique

COMBINED ENTRY & SCRUTINEERING FORM

FORM 1 Amended Aug 2023

INCLUDING UNDER 18-YEAR-OLD & FORMULA FUTURE COMPITORS

NAME OF EVENT:		CLASS:	
DATE OF EVENT:		VENUE:	MANNING RIVER, TAREE NSW
NAME OF BOAT:		RACE No ON BOAT:	
State Boating Authority REGISTRATION NO:		SBA REGISTRATION EXPIRY DATE:	
NAME OF OWNER:		OWNERS CLUB:	
APBA LICENCE NO:		CONTACT NUMBER:	
CLASS OF BOAT:		CAPACITY of MOTOR:	
BOAT LENGTH (Metres):		BOAT BEAM (Meters):	
Email – Owners or Driver:			

DRIVER 1			
NAME OF DRIVER:		DRIVERS CLUB:	
State Boating Authority LICENCE NO:		SBA LICENCE EXPIRY DATE:	
APBA LICENCE NO:		CONTACT NUMBER:	
Full/Provisional Licence			
Emergency Contact Name (Next of Kin)		Mobile	

DRIVER 2			
NAME OF DRIVER:		DRIVERS CLUB:	
State Boating Authority LICENCE NO:		SBA LICENCE EXPIRY DATE:	
APBA LICENCE NO:		CONTACT NUMBER:	
Emergency Contact Name (Next of Kin)		Mobile	

DECLARATION BY OWNER(S):
 To the Taree Aquatic Powerboat Club – I/We _____ being the owner(s) of the abovementioned boat do hereby certify that the specifications of the boats' hull and motor are known to me/us to be in conformity with the Rules and restrictions governing the class of the event entered. I/We will comply with the APBA RACING and SAFETY RULES in their entirety. I/We declare that the above particulars are to my/our knowledge true and correct.

SIGNATURE OF OWNER(S):		DATE:	
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DECLARATION BY PARENT/GUARDIAN (for any person under 18-years of age):
 I/We, the undersigned, understand that the race entered is dangerous and acknowledge and accept entirely at my/our own risk, injury or damage to person or property which may be sustained or incurred as a result of or arising out of my child's participation in the said race or event. I/We further declare that if applicable I/we use at my/our own risk, a Reinforced Cockpit, Deflection Bar(s) or Restraining Belt(s), etc.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT or GUARDIAN		DATE:	
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OFFICIAL USE ONLY

Received by _____ Council, Australian Power Boat Association

SIGNED:		DATE:	
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Entry Bond:	\$ _____	PAID <input type="checkbox"/>	Late Entry Fee:	\$ _____	PAID <input type="checkbox"/>	TO PAY <input type="checkbox"/>
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Current Club Memberships Sighted:	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
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TAPBC Entry Form- Easter Powerboat Classic 2024
ALL BOATS MUST SUBMIT THIS ENTRY FORM FOR ENTRY TO
2024 EASTER POWERBOAT CLASSIC

RETURN THIS ENTRY FORM & PAYABLE FEE (\$250.00 FOR SENIOR BOATS/ \$30 FOR JUNIORS)
 BEFORE 15th MARCH 2024 TO RECEIVE YOUR COMPETITOR SHIRTS

PLEASE INDICATE IF ENTRING FOR CLUB DAY 29TH MARCH 2024

(SHIRTS ARE NOT AVAILABLE FOR LATE ENTRIES).

Entries are to be email to secretary@tareepowerboatclub.org.au
 Or by mail to **Taree Aquatic Powerboat Club, PO Box 626, Taree NSW 2430.**

Boat Name			
Owners Name			
Owners Club			
Owners Address			
Owners Phone			
Owners Email			
Drivers Name If different to owner			
Drivers Club If different to owner			
Drivers Address If different to owner			
Drivers Phone If different to owner			
Drivers Email If different to owner			
Class of Boat			
Liberty Cup		YES	
Club Day Friday 29th March 2024		YES	

T-Shirt (Please tick one size)

Children's Sizes				Adults Sizes					
8	10	12	14	S	M	L	XL	XXL	XXXL