

Saturday, July 16 and July 23

WELCOME TO CAIRNS AND GBROC-MINI G 2022!

REGISTRATION HUB at YKBC opens 5-7pm Friday July 22nd: drop into Yorkeys Knob Boat Club to register for your race – please note only one representative to collect rashies on behalf of your crew/team/self (a separate station will be available to allow participants to try sizes). Join us on the deck for a sundowner, to catch up with mates before the race and don't forget to grab a raffle ticket or 6. You won't want to miss out on winning some great prizes, including paddles and merchandise generously donated by major sponsor KAI KO'O, Va'a Hau'oli (Paddles of Joy) and HOA paddles.





WHEN THE PADDLING'S DONE, IT'S TIME TO PARTY! Where: Yorkeys Knob Boat Club Time: 6pm 'til late

Buffet dinner, presentation and live music by local duo, Sneaky Horse who have a wide repertoire from classic 60s rock to modern hits. Cost: \$25 *bookings essential, call YKBC on 4055 7711 or email: purser@ykbc.com.au BEFORE Friday, July 15th *see menu on the last page

DINNER ON THE DECK WITH ROBYN AND TOPPY @ YKBC – Sunday July 17th 6pm

Danny 'Toppy' Topfer and Robyn Saultry's achievements are the stuff of legends and too numerous to list here. Hekili is looking forward to welcoming these great champions back to far north Queensland and delighted to invite GBROC and mini G participants, as well as club members, to join Danny and Robyn for an informative, motivational talk over dinner at YKBC, 6pm-8pm. Order from the menu and bar and use this opportunity to pick the brains of two of the best in the business!

> No cost but bookings essential. Email: hekilioutriggers@gmail.com or call Jude on 0417 030 957.



About Danny

Danny has been a competitive swimmer, surf lifesaver, ski (flat water and ocean) and outrigger paddler. He's captained Maroochydore Surf Lifesaving Club for 22 consecutive seasons and is a life member; won the 1999 Australian ski relay title (with Ashley Massie and Clint Robinson) and crossed the Molokai channel on a ski an amazing 11 times between 2006 and 2019! His love affair with Hawaii started in 1998 in outrigger when, after competing in the Hamilton Island Cup for the first time, he was selected as part of an Australian crew to do the Molokai Challenge, finishing 4th.

For the past 14 years, Danny has been an integral part of the Brisbane Outrigger Canoe Club as well as a Brisbane-based ski group, the Breakfast Creek Klan. He's continued to compete and coach for surf lifesaving races, Molokai Challenge, Kayak World Marathon Championships and numerous other events. Danny won line honours in his first GBROC in 2015 and has been coming back ever since. Hekili is really grateful for the logistical support and encouragement he's given to our event over the years.

About Robyn

Robyn trained at national level in sprint and marathon kayaking and triathlon and duathlon at international level before going on to become a multiple Australian and world champion and record holder in marathon and sprint outrigger events (OC1 & OC6).

After winning at 2002 World Sprint titles, Robyn crossed Molokai to Oahu in open women's crews (2002, 3rd; 2003 1st; 2004 1st) and again in 2013 (16th, Brisbane OCC club crew) and 2018 (3rd, senior master women). In OC1, she placed 1st (2004, 2005 & 2013) in Kauai World Challenge 34 mile coastal relay; and Molokai to Oahu 41 mile relay (2012, 2013 & 2014).

She completed Pa'a Kaiwi Channel (Molokai Challenge, 52km relay) in OC1 another four times (2014-2018); as well as solo in 2016 (3rd elite); Na Pali Race Kauai 27 mile coastal race (2018, 3rd elite); and Maui to Molokai 42km (1st snr master).

In OC6 crews, Robyn also claimed silver at Va'a World Distance Championships in Tahiti (2017) and Sydney Harbour Challenge (2016, 1st open women; 2022 1st open mixed) and plenty of others we couldn't fit on the page. Robyn's a fierce competitor who's earned the respect of everyone who has competed with or against her over the past two decades.

JAMES CASEY DOES GBROC AND MINI G ON A FOIL

IT's amazing even after a decade, there are still some things that have not been done before at GBROC. Then again, James Casey is used to breaking new ground. The 2019 Molokai 2 Oahu champ has forged his own path in the stand up paddling and foiling scene and recently set a world record in an epic 213km downwind foil from Bawley Point to Sydney. At 14.5km and 45km, mini G and GBROC should be a walk in the park but as any paddler knows, it's the conditions on the day that will be the X factor.

We're looking forward to seeing Great Barrier Reef Ocean Challenge and mini G added to his resume! Good luck catching those bumps, Jimmy!





Top Results

- Molokai 2 Oahu Champion 2019
- 2 x King of the Cut Champion 2018/2019 (record holder)
- 5 x Australian Champion 2016/2018/2019
- The Doctor Champion 2017/2018 (record holder)
- Olukai Champion 2017
- 12 Towers Beach Race Champion 2021
- APP World Tour SUP Surf Runner Up 2016
- Sunset Beach Pro 2016 2nd



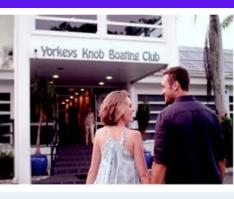
For visiting GBROC paddlers, Hekili is offering a bus ride courtesy of the Savannah in Round - far north Queensland's iconic music and camping festival.

Departing Port Douglas Surf Life Saving Club at 2.30pm returning to Yorkeys Knob. Tickets \$10 (first in, best dressed). To book your seat, email hekilioutriggers@gmail.com or call Jude on 0417 030 957.

And check out Savannah in the Round and start planning your next holiday to FNQ! https://www.savannahintheround.com.au/







GBROC PRESENTATION DINNER & PARTY

Roast Buffet Selection:

- Oven baked pork infused with herbs served with homemade apple sauce
- Slow roasted chicken in a herb and garlic marinade

Roasted vegetables:

- Roast potatoes and pumpkin
- Roast sweet potato
- Served with homemade pan gravy

Freshly made salads:

- Crisp garden salad
- Coleslaw with whole egg dressing

Pasta:

- Chicken / chorizo penne
- Pumpkin ravioli with Napoli sauce

Seafood:

- Mackerel with beurre blanc
- Salt & pepper calamari with chilli and tartare sauce

Desserts:

- Red velvet cake
- Chocolate cake
- Lime cheesecake

Please let our staff know of any dietary requirements in advance.

PHONE 4055 7711 TO BOOK AND PAY FOR YOUR DINNER BY MONDAY, JULY 18

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