



## SA HERON SAILING ASSOCIATION Inc

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Dear Fellow Heroner,

On behalf of the South Australian Heron Association, I would like to invite you to attend the **51<sup>st</sup> Heron National Championship regatta**. This regatta will be held between **28 December 2009 and 4 January 2010**. The series will be hosted by **Largs Bay Sailing Club** with assistance from Port River Sailing Club. Sailing will take place in Largs Bay, which is located in Gulf St Vincent off Adelaide, South Australia.

Largs Bay SC last held the Heron Nationals in 1966. The Club offers modern, comfortable clubrooms, a large rigging area and a wide sandy beach. The beach is protected by the Wonga Shoal, which guarantees easy launching without the shore break that can affect Adelaide's other beach clubs. An afternoon sea breeze provides excellent sailing conditions on most days.

Accommodation in the area ranges from a local Caravan Park to B and B facilities, hotels and rental apartments. We have also secured exclusive use of dormitory and room accommodation at a local Girl Guides' facility located on the Port River, approximately 4 kilometres from Largs Bay SC.

We are planning a social program that will give you ample opportunity to renew old friendships and meet new Heroners. There is a large range of cafes, restaurants and hotels in Largs Bay and nearby Semaphore. West Lakes Shopping Mall is 10 minutes' drive from LBSC.

I encourage you all to join us at Largs Bay for the 51<sup>st</sup> Heron National Championship regatta.

*Shane Kelly*

President SA Heron Sailing Association

**51<sup>st</sup> Heron Nationals      Largs Bay Sailing Club, Adelaide South Australia****27 December 2009 – 4 January 2010**

<b>Day</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Social</b>
Sunday	27 December 2009	a.m.	Registration and measurement	
		p.m.	Registration and measurement	
Monday	28 December 2009	a.m.	Registration and measurement	Welcome Barbecue
		p.m.	Invitation Race	
Tuesday	29 December 2009	a.m.	Opening Ceremony, Briefing, Registration	
		p.m.	Heat 1	
Wednesday	30 December 2009	a.m.		
		p.m.	Heat 2	
Thursday	31 December 2009	a.m.	Heat 3	New Year's Eve
		p.m.		
Friday	1 January 2010	a.m.	Lay Day	
		p.m.		
Saturday	2 January 2010	a.m.		
		p.m.	Heat 4 Heat 5 (back to back)	
Sunday	3 January 2010	a.m.		
		p.m.	Heat 6	
Monday	4 January 2010	a.m.	Heat 7	Presentation Night
		p.m.		

Other social events will be advised at a later date

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