



Program of Events and Activities 2026



Friday 17th April in Stansbury

- 1800 Welcome Reception Dinner at the Stansbury Sports and Community Club.
1930 Safety Briefing

Saturday 18th April in Stansbury

- 0900** Stansbury foreshore display of classic boats, cars and motor bikes from local and further afield and vintage caravans in association with the award-winning Stansbury Seaside Markets, Arts, Crafts, local produce and entertainment.
- 1000** Navy Band playing live music
- 1000** Arrival of a cavalcade of Hot Rods. Model boats on display on the foreshore.
- 1200** Launch of human powered craft at Stansbury Boat Ramp.
- 1230** Human powered craft depart to Port Vincent Marina.
- 1330** Launch of remaining classic boats at the Boat Ramp.
- 1400** All vessels to assemble in the designated area ([see chart in the Rally Pack](#)) prior to leaving for Port Vincent, the Flotilla is to pass along the **south side of the main jetty and depart on the SIREN from the muster boat.**
- 1600 - 1615** Return bus service from the Port Vincent Marina to Stansbury to retrieve boat trailers.
- 1800** Classic Dinners at the Port Vincent Sailing Club and Port Vincent Bowls Club.

Sunday 19th April in Port Vincent

Marine Art Exhibition “Into the Blue”, Celebrating Life, Love and the Ocean
Port Vincent Institute **Saturday 18th and Sunday 19th from 9am – 4pm.**

- 0830** Breakfast in the marina hosted by Coast Guard SAF10. *Briefing for boat entrants.*
- 0930** The marina is open to the public for viewing of boats.
- 1130** Boats leave their berths and gather in the marina basin ready for the procession out of the Marina.
- 1200** Boats will leave the marina and will be escorted/led by Sea Rescue and SAF10 Coastguard. A piper will pipe the boats out of the marina.
The Grand Parade of boats will proceed down the main channel to pass in front of the wharf for the Blessing of the Fleet and bag pipes.
Boats will remain in the channel area while the Master of Ceremonies describes each boat, their owners etc. Large boats then head back out via the channel and back to the marina while smaller boats and human powered boats head to the beach (near the kiosk) *for public viewing.*
- From 0900** Foreshore display of cars, motor bikes, Hot rods and vintage caravans.
Port Vincent Institute opens for art display (see times above) with the *Submerged* – story banners display from the National Maritime Museum, visual displays of the construction of wooden boats and other maritime displays. Audio visual of the construction of wooden boats.
Navy Band playing live music at the wharf area.
Model boats on display and onwater at the main beach near the first gazebo on the marina side.
Free plaster painting for the kids opposite the Kiosk. Small boats available to decorate and sail.
On-water demonstration at the wharf, Kayak Eskimo Rolls, capsize and righting dinghies, retrieval demonstration.
- 1400** Presentation of trophies on the wharf.
People’s Choice Art Awards announced, and the raffle will be drawn.

