AUSTRALIAN (400c.i.) 7.5 LITRE OPEN INBOARD CHAMPIONSHIP

R.F.MULLINS TROPHY

This trophy was donated for competition in 1970 when the 400ci class was introduced to meet the needs of the growing number of big block engines. Unfortunately this trophy has now been lost, possibly being destroyed in a fire around 2010.

The donor, R.F.MULLINS was the Honorary Secretary and member of MYCT from the time of its formation in 1922/23 and later reported on powerboat racing in Tasmania for Powerboat & Yachting Magazine in late 1950s/early 1960s.

DATE	CLUB CONDUCTING EVENT	VENUE/COURSE	CERTIFICATE NUMBER	BOAT	OWNER	DRIVER	CLUB REPRESENTED
14.2.71	North Tasmania Powerboat Club	Tamar River, Rosevears, Tas	1156	SUPER ROO	Francis Ransley	Francis Ransley	North West Powerboat Club
5.3.72	West Australian Speedboat Club	Heirisson Is. Perth, WA	1234	KAPOW	Graham Hull	Graham Hull	West Australian Speedboat Club
21.4.73	South Aust. Council APBA & Goolwa Aquatic Club	Lower Murray River, Goolwa, SA	1263	CHEETA	Les Ramsey	Harvey Gunn	Victorian Speedboat Club
3.3.74	West Australian Speedboat Club	Heirisson Is. Perth, WA	1304	KOMMOTION	R.Pilgrim	R.Pilgrim	West Australian Speedboat Club
29.3.75	West Australian Speedboat Club	Heirisson Is. Perth, WA		DEMON	M.Deburgh	M.Deburgh	West Australian Speedboat Club
18.4.76	West Australian Speedboat Club	Heirisson Is. Perth, WA	1458	VILLIAN	Greg Fleming	Greg Fleming	Adelaide Speedboat Club
Class was altered to 7.5 Litre with metrification of all classes in the sport at A.G.M. July 1976							
1976/77	EVENT NOT CONDUCTED						
18.12.77	Victorian Council APBA	Lake Linlithgow, Hamilton Vic	1546	YELLA TERRA	N.Hayes	N.Hayes	Hazelwood Powerboat Club
4.3.79	West Australian Speedboat Club	Heirisson Is. Perth, WA	1615	CONQUEST	B.Allwood	B.Allwood	West Australian Speedboat Club
1979/80	EVENT NOT CONDUCTED						
20.4.81	Manning River Aquatic Association	Manning River, Taree, NSW	1760	DESERT RAT	George Robins	George Robins	Broken Hill Speedboat Club
1981/82	EVENT NOT CONDUCTED						
3.4.83	Manning River Aquatic Club	Manning River, Taree, NSW	1934	DRAMA	Clyde Lewis	Clyde Lewis	Upper Hawkesbury Powerboat Club
22.4.84	Griffith Boat Club	Lake Wyangan, Griffith NSW	1990	DESERT RAT	George Robins	George Robins	Broken Hill Speedboat Club
19.5.85	Broken Hill Speedboat Club	Copi Hollow, Menindee NSW	2043	DESERT RAT	George Robins	George Robins	Broken Hill Speedboat Club
30.3.86	South Australian Council APBA	Lake Bonney, Barmerra SA	2076	THE RAT	Keith Harrison	Keith Harrison	Melb. Runabout & Speedboat Club
19.4.87	Toukley Aquatic Club	Lake Budgewoi, Toukley, NSW	2153	TURMOIL	John Darcy	John Darcy	Upper Hawkesbury Powerboat Club
3.4.88	Motor Yacht Club Tasmania	Derwent River, Granton Tas	2193	THE POACHER	John Palmer	John Palmer	North West Powerboat Club
26.3.89	Griffith Boat Club	Lake Wyangan, Griffith NSW	2270	RUNNING WILD	Mark Evans	Mark Evans	St.George Motorboat Club
1989/90	EVENT NOT CONDUCTED						
31.3.91	Griffith Boat Club	Lake Wyangan, Griffith NSW	2394	SEABREEZE	Henry Eitz	Henry Eitz	Upper Hawkesbury Powerboat Club
14.6.92	West Australian Speedboat Club	Swan River, Burswood, WA		WENDY	M.Hellewell	M.Hellewell	West Australian Speedboat Club
4.4.93	Dargle Valley Boat Club	Hawkesbury River, Lower Portland, NSW	2530	CAST IRON	S.McCauley	S.McCauley	Upper Hawkesbury Powerboat Club
3.4.94	Taree Aquatic & VS Club	Manning River, Taree, NSW	2604	SEABREEZE	Henry Eitz	Darren Mayfield	Upper Hawkesbury Powerboat Club
16.4.95	Taree Aquatic & VS Club	Manning River, Taree, NSW	2676	MAGIC	Bruce Lyall	Bruce Lyall	Raymond Terrace Aquatic Club
7.4.96	Taree Aquatic & VS Club	Manning River, Taree, NSW	2724	ILLICIT	Rick Bakewell	Rick Bakewell	St.George Motorboat Club
No further entries in the records book after this date 7.4.96 OPEN RACING IN ALL CLASSESS EXCEPT UNLIMITED WAS CANCELLED							