



Name:

James (Jim) Leckey

Year first nominated for Membership of RBYC:

I joined RBYC as a Cadet Member in October 1979

Membership Term:

42 Years

Membership Status:

Senior Member

Professional Background:

I have been involved in leadership roles in high growth engineering and manufacturing businesses throughout my career. Most recently my partners and I founded and built a food manufacturing business that employs up to 350 staff across Australia and globally.

I have recently ended my day-to-day involvement in this business and now have time to commit to RBYC.

I have extensive experience in business development and project design and management.

I have an Engineering degree an MBA and Accounting qualifications.

Sailing experience:

I started sailing in the Cadets at RBYC and still sail with a number of my Cadet friends.

Since developing a love of sailing in the Cadets I have sailed-

Lightweight Sharpies, Etchells

Keel Boats - Since 1992 I have been sailing with Reverie, generally as bowman.

In 2018 I purchased Oobleck a Beneteau First 40 and sail this when not racing on Reverie

I support my daughter Lallie's sailing life at RBYC.

RBYC Committee Experience:

6 Years Member RBYC General Committee

Chairman RBYC Development Sub Committee

8 Years Member RBYC OTB Committee (previously Junior and Transition Committee)

2 Years Member of House Committee in mid 90's

Personal Objectives:

I believe Royal Brighton Yacht Club is one of the great yacht clubs in Australia and are keen to do what I can to support the Club.

My priorities are Members, Sailing, Volunteers, Staff, fiscal responsibility and asset protection. In particular I want to ensure that our attenuator, marina and clubhouse are well maintained.

Jim Leckey