

Peter Joubert ... Yachtsman Extraordinaire



The late Prof Peter Joubert AM was a successful yachtsman, boat designer, marine engineer, Emeritus Professor and a man of many remarkable skills and achievements.

In 1993 he was awarded the Commodore's medal of the Cruising Yacht Club of Australia for outstanding seamanship after his crew rescued eight survivors from a sunken yacht at night in a strong gale.

He received a medal in the Order of Australia in 1996 for his contributions on road and yacht safety, being instrumental in the introduction of safety harnesses in boats and seatbelts in cars.

He survived the Sydney Hobart storm of 1998, despite his yacht having been turned upside down before righting.

More than a hundred yachts have been built to his designs, including the Currawong 31 Brolga 33, Magpie 34 and the Cape Barren Goose 37.

With Peter at the helm, Zeus II a Currawong 31, was the overall winner of the 1981 Sydney Hobart.

Ref: <http://www.mysailing.com.au/news/prof-peter-joubert-am-yacht-designer-dies-at-91>

The Cape Barren Goose 37 Sailing Cutter was designed as a comfortable, fast cutter-rigged cruiser with centre cockpit and a generous aft cabin.

The underwater profile with large fin keel and balanced rudder, ensured good speed and an excellent passage-making ability.

The 37 is a seaworthy boat with all the creature comforts in all the right place.

Overall 10 Cape Barren Goose 37s were made, with the latest one built in 1992 named *Korawinga*.

Korawinga is currently for sale at Tin Can Bay Boat Sales.

She is ready for her next sailing adventure.

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