MYC NEWS

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Eos in the Audi - Race 1

Started in virtually zero wind and Eos did not fare well. Most of the boats in the fleet caught the breeze before Eos and took off.

We overhauled two yachts and ended up 5th on handicap out of 10 finisher's. With a crew of 6 and light winds sail changes went smoothly and Eos was sliding easily through the water. Simon, first time on Eos, grazed in awe at the spinnaker and said "I have never been on a yacht with a spinnaker before" and another crew member, who was a victim of the night before, declared that she was going to grow up, at least before the next days race.

Race 2 - There was wind and Eos crossed the line with the fleet. The faster boats gradually pulled away but we were always in touch. The breeze built up and we ditched our big kite for a smaller one and we carried it well. With only 5 crew it was hard work and spinnaker jibes involved everyone doing several jobs at once. On the last leg I contemplated not putting a kite up at all because of the fresh breeze but nothing ventured nothing gained so up it went. We flew down to the finish. As we won the series by the narrowest of margins I reckon it was that spinnaker run that put us in front. We got a 2nd on handicap.

The excitement was not over. Charging over the line we were heading straight for the rocks. The kite came down but we did not bother to hoist the jib. It was my intention to motor sail along the shore to Bradleys Head, hoist the jib and head for home. The motor started, forward was engaged, clunk, silence. The spinnaker sheet was round the prop. "Get the jib up" In order to get steerage we had to build up speed by heading towards the shore and then tacking away. I could see the bottom clearly by now. Slowly Eos tacked away from the shore but before she could gain any speed "Starboard" we had to tack back in towards the shore. Two tacks and we were virtually stationary. Head for the shore, build up speed, look at the bottom, tack at the last minute. There is a lesson there somewhere.

We sailed back to the convenient Police buoy in North Harbour and Nicky the Mermaid stripped off and went over the side to inspect the damage. She unwound the offending sheet by hand and we motored to our mooring for light refreshments.

Many thanks to the crew for their hard work and dedication. I owe you all one. Greg for his heroic work on the foredeck, Penny, Ben, Steve, Nicky, Simon and Viv.

PS Driving a V8 Audi was fun too. Brian Wilson - President





Jennifer & Missie

Darol

Mike

Rob

Kerry

President's Report

Well the big news in sailing was the Audi Sydney Harbour Regatta, one of the biggest of its kind in Australia. Out of 15 entries MYC gained 3 Division firsts and had 6 drivers belting round witches hats in a V8 Audi. This is a brilliant performance for a small volunteer Club, But we will never know how close they came to winning a \$70,000 car.

Robert Stephens wearing his Rotary hat hosted a Group Study Exchange at the Club. The group comprising 5 Americans, sponsored by American Rotary, who were here to exchange views and experiences with Australians with a similar discipline. The difference with this group was that they were all in wheelchairs. Nothing daunted Robert and invited them out on Shear Magic for a Twilight Race and three of them accepted. Apparently they slid around a bit during tacks but all went well until they disembarked. when one of the wheelchairs rolled off the jetty and fell into the water. Wheelchairs do not float. However it was rescued by an unknown hero who jumped in and recovered it. They all came to the Friday night dinner at the Club, sailed in Access dinghies on Saturday morning and rolled up the brand new access ramp to have lunch at the Skiff Club. Darol, Jennifer, Rob, Kerry and Mike I hope you all enjoyed your visit to Manly Yacht Club.

As you may have gathered from the above paragraph the new walkway is functioning. Thank you Manly Council and the construction team, it is proving very popular with the local community.

There is a Working Bee this Saturday morning beginning at 09.00. Please advise Ian Dennewald if you can come. There is a list of 8 jobs needing to be done. Most of them are small and range from fixing a broken window to replacing a seal on a leaking toilet. It is intended to allocate jobs before the event so you know what tools to bring.

Safe Sailing Brian Wilson - President



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Brian and Penny receive Eos's prize at MHYC Page 2 & 3 for more Audi Regatta reports.



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SUNDAY 22 MARCH 2009

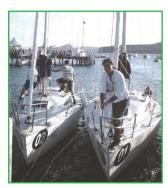




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The Big Blue Sailing School

The Big Blue Sailing Team and Admiral of the Big Blue S80 fleet Craig Rosevear had a ball getting amongst it in the recent Sydney Audi Regatta. Big Blue 01 & Big Blue 02 could both be seen hot tailing the wee Melodstar as best they could but alas Jim and the Melody team were just way too good. Well done to the Melody, EOS and the Top Odds teams, all the other MYC competitors and to our fab, fun, expert Big Blue Sailing Team...We are already gearing up to win the Audi next year...Training starts this winter in the MYC Winter Series... Book now to reserve your spot!



Deanna Smyth and
Admiral of the Big Blue S80 fleet
Craig Rosevear

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COMMODORE'S REPORT

By the time this newsletter hits the stands there will only be a few more sleeps before the 14th year of MYC Women's Challenge - with a great new principal sponsor - **Musto/Sturrocks** - on board. We now have 10 divisions, including the one design fleets not only for Sailability, but for the J24's; the Ynglings who will be coming from the RSYS; and the 13ft Skiffs, from our neighbours next door; and any other group within a division who might aspire to the one design trophy. Ivana and her team of merry helpers have been working hard to make this event as successful as previous years. Don't let them down...enter NOW!...great fun; great prizes.

The recently held Mini Regatta, reported elsewhere in this newsletter, was more than a little damp but that did not deter the 7 hardy skippers and their crews from having a great time. A huge thanks must go to the on water race committee - Graham, Cary, Ken and Brian - for staying out there. Thanks to Anne for the mini pies and mini sausage rolls handed out back on the deck - much appreciated.

On behalf of Manly Yacht Club I'd like to thank the 15 MYC entrants who participated in the Audi Sydney Harbour Regatta weekend as well as the MYC on-water volunteers. There were many comments of appreciation made to me at both the Cocktail party and the Presentation. After the final day of racing Manly Yacht Club achieved 3 firsts. Congratulations to Brian Wilson and crew on Eos - first in the Classic division; Angus Clarke and crew on Melody - first in PHS Div 4; and Karen Petersen and crew on Top Odds - first in Non-spinnaker Division. They've created a bit of a problem though - where to put the trophies?

Easter will be upon us shortly and that means the Offshore Race to Pittwater on Good Friday. Boats looking for crew or crew looking for boats should contact Offshore Race Director Greg Zyner. To participate, crews in this event must be a member of MYC or an affiliated YA club - i.e. you need a current YA membership number. The Sail Port Stephens Regatta commences a week later with feeder races from Pittwater to Newcastle and Newcastle to Port Stephens.

It also means that the Twilights will soon be over. Daylight savings ends on Sunday 5th April so there should still be sufficient light for the last Twilight race on Friday March 20th AND the Twilight Ball on the following Friday 27th March.

Please help our committees by showing your intention EARLY to participate in our events. We are all busy people; all volunteers; all ready to do our best but not happy to be taken for granted.

The next time you are at the club, please take time to admire the cleaned up garbage area at the back of the club. Many thanks to the working bee party on the 7th March. I don't think there would be many clubs where the President, the Vice President, the Commodore, the Principal Handicapper, the acting Club Captain, a couple of Board Directors and the same few others would pitch in. It's your club and I encourage you to do your bit when called upon.

Thanks again to Principal Race Officer Pam and the members of this club who volunteer to make up the race committees so that the rest of us can race, including the competitors who may forgo a race now and then to make up the race committee numbers.

Thank you also to MYC Newsletter Editor Margo who puts together such a great publication each month.

See you on the water!

Maz



Photo by Alex Seja (Melody: a new club member)
Monday morning each division winner, skipper plus one crew
member all went out to Oran Park for the Audi challenge to try to
win the Audi car, the new Q5. MYC had 3 in 20 chance!!

L/R: Penny, Caroline Busvine (Top Odds), Jim, Karen and Brian.

What a weekend! The Audi Sydney Harbour Regatta was one of the most action packed weekends on water imaginable!

The "weekend" actually started on Tuesday night with the Competitors and Sponsors Cocktail Party on the beach at MHYC. A strong MYC contingent (nothing to do with free beer being available) ensured that when our club was thanked for participating - MYC got the loudest cheer! On the first day of competition, Peter, Caroline and I motored up the harbour for our first Audi

Regatta in TOP ODDS, our hearts full of hope and stomachs twisted into knots. What were we doing? Whose idea was this anyway? And why didn't we have a beer in our hands? Our division was the PHS Class, Non-spinnaker, and our course area was the Main Harbour. There were about 300 boats competing in 20 divisions with course areas spread around and outside the harbour. We found our start boat in Athol Bight and were very pleased with ourselves! Saturday's racing started on an impossibly small start line with 21 boats trying to get across in a very light breeze swinging between SW/ SE. As the warning gun sounded we were all drifting around wondering if we would even make the line within the time allowed. We saw SAN TOY get away to a great start, although others weren't as lucky with several pre-start collisions which we happily avoided. The wind shifted again so we crossed the line on port and we were off! Yippee!

With 13 boats from MYC, we kept a keen lookout for our comrades on the harbour and throughout the day "Go Manly!" became the cry on the water. The wind increased steadily throughout the race and we eventually had about 10 knots in the main harbour. We made it across the finish line with no mishaps and were pleased with the efforts of our first day's sailing. Back at MHYC for Audi Happy Hour we grabbed 2 beers each (because that is all they would give us) and went upstairs to check the results on the board. I think my scream was heard over at CYC when I saw Top Odds at the top of the list and SAN TOY 2nd! Wow! "Go Manly!". After several more beers on the beach we realised that we would actually have to focus tomorrow as our handicap had been reduced and we were in with a chance of a good result if we sailed well, so we headed home to rest up.

Photo by Alex Seja

Brian giving a very anxious Karen a few tips at the Audi challenge "Karen you only have to miss the other V8 Audi cars by this much!"





Melody (Jim, Alex & Angus) and Wild Life (Pam, Bruce, Ivan & Michael Houlihan) being towed to the start with Ratty Tooey in the background. (Photo by Ken on San Toy) Sunday was overcast but had the promise of more wind with 15 knots SE the forecast. Our warning gun was 11.55, and by 11.25 the main harbour was boiling with vachts flying this way and that trying to get to their various course areas. The 30 mins leading up to the start was some of the most exciting sailing all day just trying to avoid other boats - some nearly twice our size - in a relatively small area with wind gusts from the S and SE between 20 to 25 knots. What a mighty fine day to go sailing! We got a great start, high on starboard and

within the top third of the fleet and from then on we never let them get too far ahead. We called starboard on the 52ft Beneteau who begrudgingly complied and were then stuck under him, our mast nearly scraping off his shiny black antifoul, for a few minutes until he finally picked up enough speed to sail away. Our strategy was "nothing fancy" - sail the layline where possible to each mark, trim the sails well, and stay with the fleet.

AUD!

It was an amazing day as the wind was just perfect and the whole harbour was awash with sails and colourful spinnakers. We were constantly having to watch out for other divisions sailing through our race on starboard or leeward of us. Very exciting!! As we headed for the final mark we knew we had tried our best and had to focus on the finish line. Not even an out of control Beneteau 43 that was caught in a 360 degree death spin off Point Piper could deter us. We rounded the final mark and were running goosewinged for the finish line. Just when we thought the excitement was over we realised the Cavalier 28 fleet were steaming right toward us, all on starboard from behind our finish line, and they had right of way as we were the windward boat. Aarrrgh! We saw a small gap and decided to go straight through them - gesticulating wildly all the time in the hope they would hold their courses. Luckily they did and we made it through the fleet and across our line!!

Back at MHYC for some more beer and to hear the results! Fantastic news! There were 3 MYC boats that had won their divisions, EOS in the Classics, Melody in PHS4 and TOP ODDS in Non-spinnaker!

Wow! We were ecstatic! We had not only survived but we had won! What a weekend!

Karen Petersen - TOP ODDS





Alex Seja, Angus Clarke and Jim Nixon pick up Melody's prize at MHYC

Check out more great photos on: http://www.afrancolini.com/index.cfm?PageID=4 With some of the MYC fleet featured, including: Sheer Magic, San Toy, Eos, Melody, Wild Life, Copernicus, and Local Hero.





Race 17: A bonus for the crew on Occun's Razor, left to right: John MacKenzie, Darren Watson, Scott Archer, and David Fairclough. Steve Garmston went home for dinner!!









ZILZIE WINES TWI	LIGHT SERIE	S 20 Feb 09 F	RESULT	S-RAC	E 16		
PI Sail No Yacht Name	Yacht Type	Helm	S/Time	A/S/Time	F/Time	E/Time S	Score
1 A73 Top Odds	Northshore 27	Karen Petersen	18:09:00	18:09:22	19:16:09	01:07:09	1.0
2 AUS147 Okavango Delta	a J24 E	mma Reid/Jules McPhersor	18:23:00	18:23:13	19:19:38	00:56:38	2.0
3 MYC24 J-Curve	J24	Jack Morrison/Alan McKav	18:17:00	18:17:08	19:20:07	01:03:07	3.0
4 5393 Runaway Taxi	Cust/Jog Racer Ma	att McKenzie/Rebecca Sadleir	18:13:00	18:13:19	19:23:13	01:10:13	4.0
5 MYC157 Lady Canast						01:02:05	5.0
6 5563 Blue Rhino	Catalina 36 Mk II	John Richardson	18:23:00	18:23:19	19:28:43	01:05:43	6.0
7 NH555 Gramarve	Top Hat Mk III	Andrew Morrison	18:09:00	18:09:34	19:29:35	01:20:35	7.0
8 6689 Copernicus	Radford 12	Greg Zyner/Leanne Zyner	18:35:00	18:35:35	19:29:42	00:54:42	8.0
9 MYC33 Lautrec	Passage 33	Helen Ebeling				01:08:14	
10 MYC12 San Tov	Radford 12 G	raham Radford/Maz Theake	r18:37:00	18:37:21	19:30:26	00:53:26	10.0
11 MYC7 Ten Sixtv	Radford 10.6	Phil Vidler	18:33:00	18:33:18	19:30:41	00:57:41	11.0
12 6510 Poet's Day	Elan 40	Steve Wilton	18:34:00	18:34:40	19:31:10	00:57:10	12.0
13 MYC99 Jabiru	Bavaria 42	Ann Webber	18:27:00	18:27:37	19:31:45	01:04:45	13.0
14 KA16 Pam	International 5.5		18:31:00	18:31:58	19:32:10	01:01:10	14.0
15 MYC10 Pensive	NSX 38	Pam Davis	18:36:00	18:36:18	19:32:27	00:56:27	15.0
16 MYC5 Eos	Britany Slopp 33					01:18:18	16.0
17 5216 Starship	Husdon 32	Peter Richter	18:23:00	18:25:32	19:34:31	01:11:31	17.0
18 983 Pacifica	Catalina 30	Chris Rogers/Rob Carah					18.0
19 KA55 Atalanta	J24	David Harris		18:12:12		01:22:51	19.0
20 169 Palga	Fastmast 31	James Roberts				01:18:55	20.0
21 MYC34 Sip Ahov		Paul Duncan Murray Bailes					
		wid Fairdough/Stephen Garmston					
23 MYC9 Beausoleil	Cavalier 28	Spence/Thomson/Donnelly					
24 MYC28 Kestrel II	H28	Jeffery Lea				01:34:43	
25 6295 Ratty Tooey						01:15:19	
26 NH14 Hagar IV	Endeavour 30					01:10:10	
27 AUS135 Boudicea	J24					01:17:14	
28 MYC100 Shear Magic		Robert Steffens				01:04:21	28.0
29 MYC37 Moonraker		7 Tomas Kliman Muir Watson					
30 5231 Esra Tew		Jackie Morgan				01:47:12	30.0
31 KA355 Nickel		Michael Troy/ Simon Grosse					
M313 Minder	Triton 24	Tim Stewart	17:57:00	10.01.00	DNC	01121120	46.0
2035 Blu-E		Grant Iverson/Christine Brav			DNC		46.0
1255 Melody	Swanson Dart		18:10:00		DNC		46.0
MYC820 Good Intent			18:10:00		DNC		46.0
MYC6 Big Blue 02	S80	Craig Rosevear	18:13:00		DNC		46.0
MYC3 Big Blue 01	S80	Craig Rosevear	18:14:00		DNC		46.0
AUS102 Flying Carpe		Nick Chatham	18:17:00		DNC		46.0
MYC1 Aussie Rules			18:20:00		DNC		46.0
KA29 Antares	International 5.5		18:26:00		DNC		46.0
MYC375 Out There	Cavalier 375		18:31:00		DNC		46.0
4863 Twocan	Masram 920				DNC		46.0
	Beneteau First 40.		18:36:00		DNC		46.0
1236 Local Hero	Sydney 36	Peter Mosely	18:39:00		DNC		46.0
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2 557 Occum's	Razor Dun/Offshore 30 D	David Fairdough/Stephen Garmston	18:19:00	18:19:08	19:48:06	01:29:06	2.0
3 MYC12 San Toy	Radford 12 G	araham Radford/Maz Theaker	18:37:00	18:37:16	19:48:24	01:11:24	3.0
4 4863 Twocan		Stephen Teudt/David Lewis					
		latt McKenzie/Rebecca Sadleir					
6 AUS147 Okavang		mma Reid/Jules McPherson					
7 MYC24 J-Curve	: J2 4 Ja	ack Morrison/Alan McKay					
8 MYC100 Shear N	Magic Adams 10	Robert Steffens	18:36:00	18:36:03	19:51:04	01:15:04	8.0
9 6510 Poet's D	Day Elan 40	Steve Wilton	18:34:00	18:34:30	19:52:38	01:18:38	9.0
10 6295 Ratty To		0 Ian Dennewald				01:36:17	
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14 A73 Top Odd		7 Karen Petersen				01:44:48	
15 5216 Starship		Peter Richter				01:40:08	
16 NH14 Hagar IV		O Chris Cope				01:42:22	
17 MYC10 Pensive		Pam Davis				01:33:49	
18 MYC33 Lautrec		Helen Ebeling				01:49:36	
19 KA55 Atalanta		David Harris				02:01:30	
20 MYC5 Eos		3 Brian Wilson				01:59:43	
21 MYC34 Sip Aho		Paul Duncan/Murray Bailes				01:50:40	
MYC28 Kestrel I		Jeffery Lea		18:01:52			33.0
MYC820 Good In		Peter Bennell		18:11:13			33.0
MYC9 Beauso		Spence/Thomson/Donnelly					33.0
AUS135 Boudice		Jonathan Sinton		18:19:29			33.0
M313 Minder	Triton 24	Tim Stewart		17:57:47			33.0
5231 Esra Te		7 Jackie Morgan		18:05:23			33.0
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AUS102 Flying C		Nick Chatham	18:17:00		DNC		46.0
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Fairlight **Gourmet Meats**

Ian Dennewald Race 18, and Maz Race 16, took home the Fairlight Gourmet Meat Tray for a second time this season and members enjoyed a BBQ at the SS7 thank you Maz.







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Greg and Peter (Jade) are creeping up on the Pittwater boat (red sails) in very light wind at Lake Wallace.



State Championships at Lake Wallace

Two hours drive west of Manly there's a small lake nestled under the shadow of the Wallerawang

Power Station at Lismore. It was here the Sailability State Championships were held for the second year running. In trying conditions, the fleet of 42 Access and Liberty dinghies, was becalmed one minute, rushing for shelter from thunder and lightening the next, battling gusts, and becalmed again!

Entrants of all ages and ability, from nine Sailability clubs, had come from as far away as Tweed Heads, Belmont, Port Stephens, and Canberra. The camaraderie between organisers Pittwater, participants, volunteers and carers was the highlight of the event.

Impressive "grey nomad" rigs, caravans and tents were pitched in the grounds of the Black Gold Motel, which served as headquarters, and where the entertainment was held. Our mass rendition of "Country Road" led by a local singing "duo" shook the rafters, and would have put the "Choir of Hard Knocks" to shame!

On the water your representatives of Greg, Peter and Steve, acquitted themselves well, with Greg solo, and paired with Peter winning races, but picking up so much weed on their keel they were forced to limp back to shore.. Eli and Ivan enjoyed the experience.

Weekends like this are a lot of work, but very rewarding. We'd love MYC members to spread the word, and encourage potential sailors and volunteers to give us a try. Call Eli on 9976 2747 for more details.

This month - we'll be well represented in the Musto Sturrocks Women's Challenge. Any female MYC member who'd like to skipper an Access 303 please call Peter Hamilton on 9975 1434. \$15 entry.

Jude Manly Sailability www.manlysailability.com.au for more highlights!

MYC Club Championship CC 8



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3 AUS1161 Wild Llfe 2:19:33 0.9	65 2:14:40 0.926	0.952 B Davis Etchells	3 15:34:33	3
4 MYC12 San Toy 2:16:35 0.9	9 2:15:13 0.946	0.974 G Radford Radford12	4 15:31:35	2
5 4863 Two Can 2:31:27 0.9	25 2:20:06 0.854	0.902 D STeudt Masram920	5 15:46:27	6
6 6689 Copernicus 2:30:18 0.9	6 2:24:17 0.86	0.941 G Zyner Radford12	6 15:45:18	5
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DICKA16 Pam 0.9	109	M Walker International	5.5 10	DC
DICKA29 Antares 0.8	19	M Hunter International	5.5 10	DC
Division 2 Keel TOT HC results St	art : 13:05:00			
PI Sail No Boat Name Elapsd AH	IC HC Cor'd T BCH	CHC Skipper Class	Score Fin Tim	ETOrd D/Not
1 5626 Starship 2:22:24 0.8	4 1:59:37 0.85	0.851 P Richter Hudson32	1 15:27:24	4
2 AUS160 Kaotic 2:12:59 0.9	1:59:41 0.91	0.886 A Crothers J24	2 15:17:59	1
3 1255 Melody 2:31:14 0.8	2:00:59 0.8	0.788 D Smyth-McAlpineSwansonDai	rt 3 15:36:14	6
4 557 Occum's Razor 2:18:29 0.8	8 2:01:52 0.874	0.874 D Fairclough-Gar Dun/Offshore	304 15:23:29	3
5 5830 Cheap Thrills 2:16:11 0.9	01 2:02:42 0.888	0.896 B Miflin Ross830	5 15:21:11	2
6 AUS147 Okavanga Delta 2:25:04 0.9	2:10:34 0.834	0.892 J McPherson J24	6 15:30:04	5
7 MYC34 Sip Ahoy 2:31:27 0.8	76 2:12:40 0.799	0.865 P Duncan-Bailes Nthshore346	7 15:36:27	7
8 MYC9 Beausoleil 2:35:59 0.8	75 2:16:29 0.776	0.849 B AThomson Cavalier28	8 15:40:59	8
DNC1152 Bokarra 0.7	75	C Cameron Santana22	11	DC
DC5393 Runaway Taxi 0.8	3	B Sadleir-McKJogRacer	11	DC

■ MYC RESULTS

BLACKHEART SUMMER SERIES RACE 7



	ACKHEA VISION 2	RT SUMMER S	ERIES RACE 7	22.02.09				
PI	Sail No	Boat Name	Boat Type	Skipper	S/Time	A/Start	F/Time	E/Time Score
1	MYC33	Lautrec	Passage 33	Helen Ebeling	12:51:00	12:52:10	15:06:38	02:15:381.0
2	A73	Top Odds (cas)	NorthShore 27	Peter Hocking	12:40:00	12:40:50	15:18:47	02:38:470.0
3	5563	Blue Rhino	Catalina 36 MkII	John Richardson	13:07:00	13:07:58	15:28:46	02:21:462.0
4	MYC157	Lady Canasta	Catalina 380	Edward Peick	13:06:00	13:07:29	15:29:35	02:23:353.0
5	MYC34	Sip Ahoy	Northshore 340	Paul Duncan	12:59:00	12:59:30	15:36:26	02:37:264.0
6	MYC28	Kestrel II	Herreshoff 28	Jeff Lea	12:30:00	12:30:20	16:21:17	03:51:175.0
7	5231	Esra Tew	Northshore 27	Jackie Morgan	12:30:00	12:31:03	DNF	8.0
	VISION 1							
PI	Sail No	Boat Name	Boat Type	Skipper	S/Time	A/Start	F/Time	E/Time Score
1	1255	Melody	Swanson Dart	Relle Mott	12:38:00	12:38:13		02:53:451.0
2	MYC100	Shear Magic	Adams 10	Xavier Decomp				02:34:282.0
3	AUS147	Okavango Delta		Emma Reid	13:01:00			02:43:343.0
4	MYC12	San Toy		Theaker/Ken Terrens				02:27:594.0
5	1152	Bokarra	Santana 22	Colin Cameron	12:30:00			03:31:005.0
6	5393	Runaway Taxi	Custom Jog Racer		12:41:00			03:27:486.0
7	MYC5	Eos	Brittany Sloop	Brian Wilson		12:43:19		03:36:237.0
8	557	Occum's Razor		David Fairclough				03:42:038.0
9	6295	Ratty Tooey	Northshore 340	lan Dennewald	13:01:00			03:37:329.0
	MYC9	Beausoleil	Cavalier 28	Spence/Thomson		12:50:04	DNF	11.0
	MYC820	Good Intent	Clansman 30	Peter Bennell	12:33:00		DNC	17.0
	MYC1	Aussie Rules	Cavalier 975	Gene Scott	12:44:00		DNC	17.0
	AUS29	Antares	5.5	Mark Hunter	13:00:00		DNC	17.0
	3354	Whistling Kite	SB3	Greg James	13:00:00		DNC	17.0
	6499	Supernova	Sydney 36	David Bates	13:14:00		DNC	17.0
	6689	Copernicus	Radford 12	Greg Zyner	13:24:00		DNC	17.0



BLACKHEART Summer Series Race 7 Div 1 - Melody, Greg and Jim with Jim's great prize from BLACKHEART







SIMRAD



RAC	RACE 5 [15/02/2009] MYC SIMRAD Mini Regatta Simrad Mini Regatta Race 5												
Divis	sion 1 Ke	el TOT HC result	s Start:1	12:05:0	0								
PI	Sail No	Boat Name	Elapsd	AHC	HC Cor'd T	BCH	CHC	Skipper	Class	Score	Fin Tim	ETOrd	D/Not Vis
1	AUS1161	Wild Llfe	27:36:00	1.118	30:51:00	1.197	1.127	B Davis	Etchells	1	12:32:36	1	
2	MYC9	Beausoleil	39:51:00	0.778	31:00:00	0.829	0.78	B AThomsor	Cavalier28	2	12:44:51	5	
3	A73	Top Odds	43:14:00	0.764	33:02:00	0.764	0.768	K Petersen	Northshore27	3	12:48:14	6	
4	1255	Melody	35:32:00	0.936	33:16:00	0.93	0.926	A Clarke	SwansonDart	4	12:40:32	2	
5	1152	Bokarra	43:52:00	0.785	34:26:00	0.753	0.772	C Cameron	Santana22		12:48:52	7	Yes
6	6295	Ratty Tooey	39:15:00	0.925	36:18:00	0.842	0.867	I Dennewald	Northshore34		12:44:15	4	Yes
7	MYC100	Shear Magic	36:08:00	1.025	37:02:00	0.914	0.98	R Steffens	Adams10		12:41:08	3	Yes
DNC	557	Occum's Razor		0.783				DFairdough Ga	DunOffshore30	0 14			DNC
DNC	3354	Whistling Kite		0.958				G James	DartSb3	14			DNC
DNC	AUS24	Kings Cross		0.93				M Lutowski	International5.	5 14			DNC
DNC	AUS26	Baragoola		0.925				D DeCoster	International5.	5 14			DNC
DNC	AUS55	Sicem Rex		1.074				C Ryan	International5.	5 14			DNC
DNC	KA16	Pam		1.03				M Walker	International5.	5 14			DNC
DNC	KA29	Antares		1.013				M Hunter	International5.	5 14			DNC
DNC	MYC3	Big Blue 01		0.809				C Rosevear	S80	14			DNC
DNC	MYC24	J-Curve		0.808				J Morrison	J24	14			DNC

RACE 6 [15/02/2009] MYC SIMRAD Mini Regatta Simrad Mini Regatta Race 6

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PI	Sail No	Boat Name	Elapsd	AHC	HC Cor'd T	BCH	CHC	Skipper	Class	Score	Fin Tim	ETOrd	D/Not Vis
1	A73	Top Odds	54:08:00	0.768	41:34:00	0.851	0.791	K Petersen	Northshore27	1	14:14:08	4	
2	MYC9	Beausoleil	58:37:00	0.78	45:43:00	0.786	0.779	B AThomsor	Cavalier28	2	14:18:37	6	
3	1255	Melody	49:45:00	0.926	46:04:00	0.926	0.907	A Clarke	SwansonDart	3	14:09:45	3	
4	MYC100	Shear Magic	47:39:00	0.98	46:42:00	0.967	0.962	R Steffens	Adams10		14:07:39	2	Yes
5	1152	Bokarra	1:02:25	0.772	48:11:00	0.738	0.755	C Cameron	Santana22		14:22:25	7	Yes
6	6295	Ratty Tooey	55:45:00	0.867	48:20:00	0.826	0.861	I Dennewald	Northshore34		14:15:45	5	Yes
7	AUS1161	Wild Llfe	45:27:00	1.127	51:13:00	1.014	1.125	B Davis	Etchells	4	14:05:27	1	
DNC	557	Occum's Razor		0.783				D Fairclough-Ga	rDun/Offshore3	0 14			DNC
DNC	3354	Whistling Kite		0.958				G James	DartSb3	14			DNC
DNC	AUS24	Kings Cross		0.93				M Lutowski	International5.	5 14			DNC
DNC	AUS26	Baragoola		0.925				D DeCoster	International5.	5 14			DNC
DNC	AUS55	Sicem Rex		1.074				C Ryan	International5.	5 14			DNC
DNC	KA16	Pam		1.03				M Walker	International5.	5 14			DNC
DNC	KA29	Antares		1.013				M Hunter	International5.	5 14			DNC
DNC	MYC3	Big Blue 01		0.809				C Rosevear	S80	14			DNC
DNC	MYC24	J-Curve		0.808				J Morrison	J24	14			DNC

RACE 7 [15/02/2009] MYC SIMRAD Mini Regatta Simrad Mini Regatta Race 7 Division 1 Keel TOT HC results Start: 14:30:00

PI	Sail No	Boat Name	Elapsd	AHC	HC Cor'd T	BCH	CHC	Skipper	Class	Score	Fin Tim	ETOrd	D/Not Vis
1	MYC9	Beausoleil	20:12	0.779	15:44	0.804	0.792	B AThomsor	nCavalier28	1	14:50:12	4	
2	6295	Ratty Tooey	18:25	0.861	15:51	0.882	0.866	I Dennewald	Northshore34		14:48:25	3	Yes
3	AUS1161	Wild Llfe	14:27	1.125	16:15	1.125	1.126	B Davis	Etchells	2	14:44:27	1	
4	1152	Bokarra	21:55	0.755	16:33	0.741	0.749	C Cameron	Santana22		14:51:55	6	Yes
5	MYC100	Shear Magic	18:00	0.962	17:19	0.903	0.94	R Steffens	Adams10		14:48:00	2	Yes
6	1255	Melody	20:21	0.907	18:27	0.799	0.901	A Clarke	SwansonDart	3.5	14:50:21	5	
6	A73	Top Odds	23:20	0.791	18:27	0.696	0.787	K Petersen	Northshore27	3.5	14:53:20	7	
DNC	557	Occum's Razor		0.783				DFairdough Ga	rDun/Offshore3	0 14			DNC
DNC	3354	Whistling Kite		0.958				G James	DartSb3	14			DNC
DNC	AUS24	Kings Cross		0.93				M Lutowski	International5.	5 14			DNC
DNC	AUS26	Baragoola		0.925				D DeCoster	International5.	5 14			DNC
DNC	AUS55	Sicem Rex		1.074				C Ryan	International5.	5 14			DNC
DNC	KA16	Pam		1.03				M Walker	International5.	5 14			DNC
DNC	KA29	Antares		1.013				M Hunter	International5.	5 14			DNC
DNC	MYC3	Big Blue 01		0.809				C Rosevear	S80	14			DNC
DNC	MYC24	J-Čurve		0.808				J Morrison	J24	14			DNC

MYC SIMRAD Mini Regatta Simrad Mini Regatta
SERIES SCORES for Keel TOT HC up to Race 7 on 15/02/2009 Ties not resolved!
Duty Score Average of 4 best scores

(Ties: S=Score R=Race B= Bettered. Penalties: A=ARB B=BFD C=DNC D=DNE E=ESP
F=DNF G=RDG L=Late Entrant M=DGM N=ENP O=OCS P=Protest Q=DSQ R=RAF S=DNS U=DUT
V=AVG X=EXC Z=ZFP Y=SCP #=NoData [x,y]=Discarded)

Seri	es	Resul	ts [Keel	TOT	HC]	for	Divisi	on 1	up to	Race	7	(Drops = 0)	

PI Sail No Boo	at Name Skipper	Sers Score	Race 7	Race 6	Race 5	Race 4	Race 3	Race 2	Race 1
1 A73 Top	Odds K Peters		3.5	1	3	1	1	5.5	7
2 AUS1161 Wil	d Llfe B Davis	23	2	4	1	4	3	7	2
3 1255 Me	lody A Clarke	28.5	3.5	3	4	9	7	1	1
4 MYC9 Bea	ausoleil B AThon	nson 38	1	2	2	8	6	10	9
5 MYC24 J-C	urve J Morris	on 60	14.00C	14.00C	14.00C	2	4	9	3
6 KA16 Par	m M Walke	er 63.5	14.00C	14.00C	14.00C	6	5	5.5	5
7 KA29 Ant	ares M Hunte	r 65	14.00C	14.00C	14.00C	5	8	4	6
8 3354 Wh	istling Kite G James	s 69	14.00C	14.00C	14.00C	7	10	2	8
9 557 Oct	cum's Razor D Faircle	ough-Gar 72	14.00C	14.00C	14.00C	3	9	8	10
10 AUS55 Sic	em Rex C Ryan	75	14.00C	14.00C	14.00C	13.00S	13.00S	3	4
11 MYC3 Big	Blue 01 C Rosev	ear 81	14.00C	14.00C	14.00C	13.00F	2	13.00F	11
12 AUS26 Bar	ragoola D DeCo	ster 94	14.00C	14.00C	14.00C	13.00S	13.00S	13.00F	13.00S
13 AUS24 Kin	gs Cross M Lutow	ski 98	14.00C						

L/R: Chris Radford from SIMRAD "Beausoleil" crew Peter & Lauren, Karen Peterson "Top Odds", Robert Stephens "Sheer Magic" Colin Cameron "Bokarra"

SIMRAD and Jotun Paints MR2

Despite the gloomy weather forecast seven yachts ventured out to do battle in



four short races conducted in Manly Cove.

The mini regatta is a fun event held twice a year for yachts under 11 meters with a winner of each race and an overall series winner. While the event is fun, the races can be gruelling for the participants particularly foredeck crews given the short legs and quick sail changes.

SIMRAD sponsor the individual races and the overall prize so there were a host of goodies to be picked up on the day ranging from handheld GPS's to Tiller Pilots.

Conditions were challenging to say the least, with the wind dying under each rain squall and picking up again when the rain eased. As a result no two races were the same and there were a range of winners from amongst the fleet. Bruce and Pam Davis's Etchell "Wildlife" led the fleet from the start only to be ousted on handicap by the Bill Spence's Cavalier 28 "Beausoleil".

Boat of the Day was sponsored by **Jotun Paints** and a treasured tin of anti-foul was awarded to the winner. The overall series winner was the Northshore 27, Top Odds (Karen Petersen).

The mini regatta is a fun regatta so the fun prizes were eagerly awaited: Karen Petersen of Top Odds also won the gag award for loudest skipper on the day. The Horses Ass was awarded to Sheer MAgic who treated the top two marks as a gate and went straight through, the Teabag award for the best Foredeck Crew went to Chris Radford from SIMRAD who joined the Ratty Tooey crew for the day and really proved his worth and the Angel Award was deservedly awarded to Colin Cameron of Bokarra for best crew member.

Many thanks to our race committee and of course our wonderful sponsors **SIMRAD Anne and Chris**

Winners are grinners at the **SIMRAD**, sponsored Mini Regatta held Sunday Feb 15th at Manly Yacht Club.



Diary Dates

Fri 13 Mar Yachts Zilzie Twilights 19

Sat 14 Mar WORKING BEE
Sun 15 Mar OS4 Yachts Longitude Race

Fri 20 Mar Yachts Zilzie Twilights 20 Sat 21 Mar Sailability - Birds/General

Sat 21 Mar Sailability - Birds/General Sun 22 Mar Musto/Sturrocks

Womens Challenge 09 Yachts, Juniors, CBs and

Sailability

Fri 27 Mar Zilzie Twilights BALL

Sun 29 Mar Yachts SS8 CB's APS-7

BBS Coaching

Mon 30 Mar Sailing Committee Meeting

Sat 4 Apr Sailabiity, General -Hornsby Lifestyle

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS ENDS

Sun 5 Apr DAYLIGHT SA Sun 5 Apr Yachts CC-9

CB's APS-8/CC-10

BBS - Coaching

Tue 7 Apr Board Meeting

Wed 8 Apr Sailabiity, Aranounbai,

MAPS St Ives

EASTER WEEKEND -

Fri 10 Apr Good Friday Yachts

OS-4 Pittwater Race

Sat 11 Apr Easter Saturday

Sailability

National Championships,

Southport QLD

Sun 12 Apr Easter Sunday

BBS Coaching

Sat 18 Apr Sailabiity, Birds/General

Sun 19 Apr Yachts CC-10

CB's APS-9 BBS - Regatta

Sat 25 Apr Anzac Day

Mon 27 Apr Sailing Committee Meeting Please check the 2008 - 2009 Handbook

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Congratulations: Flick and David welcomed James (Jamie) McEwen on 9 February. They now have their centreboard crew complete along with Charlie (now 18mths).

Deadline for the April issue 9th April margaretlucas@bigpond.com

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BECOME an AUDITOR

We are still hopeful of finding a couple more volunteers to help us with the auditing and issuing of Equipment Compliance certificates for members vachts within the MYC.

A revalidation course for existing auditors will take place towards the end of June or early July and will involve approximately a two hour course one evening.

Courses for new and potential auditors will take place later in July, again possibly a night course, hopefully at the Club if there is enought starters.

This is a great way to contribute to the welfare and success of your Club so please don't be shy, male and female, come along and join in. HANDS UP! those interested and many thanks.

Contact Bill 9948 8321 or the Sailing Committee





A warm welcome to our new members

Cliona Molins: FAMILY

Laef Hosking: ASSOCIATE

Philip Reid: ASSOCIATE Lasers

Michael Cahill: ASSOCIATE sailing on 'San Toy'

Jean-Michel (Mike) Legrand: ASSOCIATE sailing on 'Shear Magic'

Lynda Shelley: ASSOCIATE sailing on 'Ratty Tooey'



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Congratulations: Our Sailing Committee Secretary Anne Hogan and Race Director for the Mini Regatta Chris Stockdale will be married this month.. Best wishes and have a wonderful day with your family and friends.

Friday 10 April Good Friday Pittwater Race OS4

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