



## **TABOURIE LAKE RADIO YACHT CLUB ANNUAL REGATTA**

### **A GREAT SUCCESS AGAIN**

Although the weather forecast and early indications were not promising last weekend the rain held off and the sun eventually shined for the Tabourie Lake Radio Yacht Club to have two good days of racing as part of an interclub series for the four clubs in NSW who race fleets of Soling One Metre Class radio controlled model yachts.

Tabourie have two sailing venues to suit the wind direction so on Saturday in a good SW breeze the Scratch race series was held at the grassy picnic area at the end of Portland Way. Twenty one boats sailed in 16 competitive races with Greg Young from the Central coast club winning the day.

On Sunday with an indifferent NW breeze and thunderstorms forecast the Handicap Race Series was at the lake entrance where enough races were run between a late start and rainy finish to satisfy everyone. The series was won by Colin Ferguson from the Sydney Maritime Modellers Club, a close friend of Allan Bicknell the handicapper and Phil Hutchens from Tabourie a close second.

The day finished with a presentation BBQ in fine weather at the Tabourie Lake Motor Inn at which John O'Sullivan also from the SMMC was declared overall regatta champion skipper. This was a good result for the new registrar for the Soling 1M Class yachts.

#### **Handicap,**

Colin Ferguson first on 13 Points,

Phil Hutchens second on 16 points &

John O'Sullivan third on 20 points

#### **Scratch:**

Greg Young first on 7 points,

John O'Sullivan second on 15 points &

Ron Freedman third, also on 15 points.

