

<u>The Soling State Titles</u>

Held at SMMC Saturday last, a fleet of nine yachts composed of 6 skippers from SMMC, two skippers from Lake Tabourie, and one skipper from Brisbane Waters.

We had Michael Mc Clean & Phil Hutchens from TLRCYC, Terry Howard from BWRYS, and from SMMC Tony Bolding, Greg Henery, Matthew Henery, Peter Lee, John O'Sullivan, and Nigel Brimble.

Fine weather conditions and fluky breezes saw all the skippers struggling to maintain steady progress. The light breezes saw the day restricted to 10 races of which Matthew Henery won eight and had second and third in the other two. Matthew gave a fine showing of his ability to handle his Soling in what were trying sailing conditions. <u>Congratulations to Matthew</u> <u>now our new Soling State Champion.</u> Second place went to Terry Howard, and third to Phil Hutchens. Phil was also awarded the Hales Micro Shield.

Thanks to the SMMC race committee for providing the luncheon and to the people that supplied the additional cakes and slices. Thanks to Maureen Bolding and her Daughter for maintaining that most important supply of hot water for tea and coffee. Also thanks to John Armstrong our official umpire, Robert Hales our measurer, and to Jack Lee for keeping the score board.

A larger fleet would have been better but travel for some clubs presents difficulties, and thanks to those skippers that did attend from distant clubs for their efforts to be with us at SMMC.

News editor Jim.



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Position	Skipper	Sail #	Club/City	Score	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1	Matthew Henery	157	SMMC	8.0	1.0	1.0	3.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
2	Terry Howard	213	BWRYS	20.0	3.0	2.0	1.0	5.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	8.0	2.0	3.0
3	Philip Hutchens	93	TLRYC	35.0	7.0	7.0	6.0	2.0	4.0	1.0	4.0	7.0	9.0	4.0
4	John O'Sullivan	221	SMMC	37.0	4.0	5.0	8.0	3.0	7.0	8.0	2.0	5.0	5.0	6.0
5	Tony Bolding	91	SMMC	39.0	5.0	6.0	7.0	6.0	2.0	7.0	7.0	3.0	3.0	8.0
6	Greg Henery	203	SMMC	40.0	2.0	9.0	9.0	4.0	6.0	4.0	8.0	2.0	7.0	7.0
7	Nigel Brimble	56	SMMC	41.0	10.0	4.0	2.0	9.0	9.0	5.0	9.0	4.0	6.0	2.0
8	Peter J Lee	66	SMMC	41.0	6.0	3.0	5.0	7.0	8.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	4.0	5.0
9	Michael McClean	86	TLRCYC	55.0	8.0	8.0	4.0	8.0	5.0	10.0	5.0	9.0	8.0	10.0