

STARBOARD

NEWSLETTER

WINDSOR MODEL YACHT CLUB



Action at the downwind mark in our majestic EC12 Fleet. Here the boats of Ken Peltier, Bernie Pepin & Commodore Ken Miller approach the mark. All three rounded cleanly, a tribute to the skill of these sailors.

2011 Summer Racing Update

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Soling

This is our largest fleet with 17 boats. Greg Pare leads the way with three firsts. Firsts also to Ken Miller, Bernie Pepin and Paul Delaney. Podiums have been earned by Terry Desjardins and Doug Diet.



EC12

Nine beautiful boats are registered in this fleet. This may be the closest competition in any fleet with six different podium winners so far. Firsts have been notched by Ken Miller, Bernie Pepin, Paul Delaney and Joost Gragtmans. Podiums have also gone to Ken Peltier and Jim Hale who travels in from Michigan to race.



US 1M

This fleet totals 13 boats. Bernie Pepin and Ken Miller lead the way with three wins each. Paul Delaney has four seconds and Greg Pare four thirds as he sorts out his new boat. Podium finishes also from Mike Gillis and Joost Gragtmans.

FLEET UPDATES

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Footy

The Footy Fleet totals 8 boats but generally only four see the water on race days. It would be great if we could see more participation in this fun to sail class.

John Helmer leads the way with three firsts. Hot on his heels is Ken Fields with one first and two seconds. Podiums have also gone to Ken Peltier & Mike Gillis.



RG65

Ten boats are registered in this (probably) the only RG65 racing fleet in Canada. Greg Pare leads the way with five wins. John Helmer has a win and podiums have been earned by Terry Desjardins, Ken Fields, Mike Gillis and Ken Peltier.

OTHER CLUB NEWS

17th Annual Diet Memorial Regatta August 21 ,2011

This is our premier one day regatta organized annually by Doug Diet as a tribute to his grandfather, the late Maurice Diet, a local pioneer in model yachting.

This event will be held on Sunday August 21 at The Windsor Campground Pond. The format is unique in that entries from the AMYA US One Meter Class, the AMYA Soling One Meter Class and the ISAF One Metre Class are permitted which allows for head to head racing amongst the most popular one meter/metre classes.

Past winners have included notable model yachtsmen Dick Hein, Scott Mohring, Ashley Marshall, Len Strahl, Dennis Hendel, six time winner Ray Dagenais, and last year's second time winner , our own Commodore Ken Miller.

Further information is available by reviewing the Notice of Race available at the club website

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Important Reminders

Always wear the PFD when in the club rescue boat.

Observe the Campground speed limit of 10 kph .

Riverside Sportsmen Club Lunch

A reminder that you can usually find a group of club members at lunch most Wednesdays. Come out and enjoy the fellowship from 11:45AM.

Future Issues

Please submit ideas, etc for future issues to Starboard Editor John Helmer.

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