



Helford River Sailing Club

Dinghy Race Report: Spring Evening Series 2016
Thursday 14th July 18:30 Line start W2-3



Laser Plate 2

Race Officers Phil Samuel and Dave Philpott found a cooling, more consistent evening breeze at the end of the Helford river for a couple of races Thursday in the Laser Plate miniseries.

Missing the first two races of the series, Roger McDonald had to win both races to have any chance of taking the Trophy by summer's end, and that's exactly what he did. Phil Philpot and Andy Biggs were not going to let him have it all his own way, vigorously contesting second and third with seconds to spare at the finish.

Intent on compensating for a laggardly start in the first race, Brooks set off at the front of the fleet on the second. Easily distracted by a pair of rainbow like arcs in the sky, and with no one to follow, Brooks went around the windward mark the wrong way to oblivion.

In the Laser Radial section, Beccy Kestin & archrival Beks Hosking needed more wind or a bigger sail for a podium finish but finished much tighter as the wind became more consistent in the second race.

On Saturday 23rd 6pm, we have the Susannah May Memorial Cup race. Friends of the May family who are competent Helm's and crew are invited to take part as a celebration of the life of Fido May. Details on Website.

Results

Race 1 1st R McDonald 2nd P Philpott, 3rd A Biggs

Race 2 1st R McDonald 2nd A Biggs 3rd P Philpott

Captain Dinghies thanks all those in support of the fleet on the day,

Safety: D Flunder & D Church

Committee P Samuel, D Philpott

Photography D Flunder









Race 1 Linestart W/L T:C		Time	Date	W3-4		25:12	Standard Corrected Time			
Laser Plate Mini Series 2		18:30	14-Jul-16	PN	H/cap	Elapsed	Correct	POS	PY Achieved	%
Helm	Crew	Class	Sail No.			time	time	performance		
Roger McDonald		Laser	201511	1095	PY	26:49	24:29	1	1064	-2.8%
Phil Philpott		Laser	48170	1095	PY	27:18	24:56	2	1083	-1.1%
Andy Biggs		Laser	138471	1095	PY	28:40	26:11	3	1138	3.9%
Beccy Kestin		Laser Radial	171278	1136	PY	30:40	27:00	4	1217	7.1%
Stephen Brooks		Laser	179651	1095	PY	30:12	27:35	5	1198	9.4%
Beks Hosking		Laser Radial	108868	1136	PY	34:30	30:22	6	1369	20.5%
Phil Samuel		Solo	4990	1140	PY	DUTY		Ave Points		
Dave Philpott		Solo	1360	1140	PY	DUTY		Ave Points		
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Race 2 Linestart 1 CQT		Time	Date	W3-4		21:22	Standard Corrected Time			
Laser Plate Mini Series 2		18:30	14-Jul-16	PN	H/cap	Elapsed	Correct	POS	PY Achieved	%
Helm	Crew	Class	Sail No.			time	time	performance		
Roger McDonald		Laser	201511	1095	PY	22:27	20:30	1	1051	-4.0%
Andy Biggs		Laser	138471	1095	PY	23:14	21:13	2	1088	-0.7%
Phil Philpott		Laser	48170	1095	PY	23:22	21:20	3	1094	-0.1%
Stephen Brooks		Laser	179651	1095	PY	23:37	21:34	4	1106	1.0%
Beccy Kestin		Laser Radial	171278	1136	PY	25:12	22:11	5	1180	3.8%
Beks Hosking		Laser Radial	108868	1136	PY	25:33	22:29	6	1196	5.3%
Phil Samuel		Solo	4990	1140	PY	DUTY		Ave Points		
Dave Philpott		Solo	1360	1140	PY	DUTY		Ave Points		
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