

(Summer 14)

Poole Radio Yacht Club.
Laser Class **Summer Series.**
Race No 14 Saturday 27th August 2011.

The last racing day of the summer series and we had the now usual dozen skippers. Not always the same dozen but a goodly bunch non the less and with a surprise result, **Rob Biddle** won the last race of the series and with a collection of low scores came out one point ahead of Ken Collins who in turn was just two points ahead of Lawrie Draper. Lawrie has added another string to his bow by purchasing an old but very serviceable one-meter from E- Bay.

Roy Owers had the misfortune to loose his keel in race two and borrowed the spare with which he promptly won race three. I am continually surprised more are not lost as belly flopping on to the water from two or three feet puts a tremendous strain on the fastener.

Like I said in the last race, Rob first, Danny second, Derek third, Peter Lewin forth & Ken fith, every one else succumbed to the weed and gave up We had hoped to start the Autumn series at the Longham location but until the floating platform is in position enabling us to launch beyond the weed, we are best off here were you can bring the boat to the side and de-weed, frustrating as it is.

The results follow,

Helm	Sail	Score	Place	Remarks
Rob Biddle	17	15	1 st	Jolly well done,
Ken Collins	599	16	2 nd	
Lawrie Draper	767	18	3 rd	
Stphen Ticehurst	58	28	4 th	
Derek King	82	29	5 th	
John Whateley	14	31	6 th	
Lou Reynolds	619	37	7 th	
Danny Allen	31	42 =	8 th	On count back,
Richard Cake	70	42 =	9 th	
Peter Lewin	02	44	10 th	
Roy Owers	55	45	11 th	
John Rayment	611	67	12 th	

Final result

*The summer series has been won by Lawrie Draper No 767 with 28 after discards
Second is Richard Cake No 70 with 57
Third Is John Whateley No 14 with 60.*

Class Captain, 28/08/2011.