

Programme Notes 2011

2010 was a disappointing season at Filey. Many races were lost due to no wind or too much wind and participation was down.

If you are new to sailing, please have a go at racing. To try and make it easier to start racing, there will be an introduction to racing day on Saturday 11th June, when the basic rules, starting procedure and skills will be explained on the blackboard and then on the water. The following day the first race in the afternoon will be the first in the novice and the junior series, so that you can put your new skills into practice. This will be a couple of weeks after our spring RYA level 2 training course, so, hopefully, the new trainees can be persuaded to join in.

Event	Description	Trophy	2010 Winner
Beer Barrel	An eight race series to start the season and blow away the cobwebs	P Course. Silver beer barrel.	Phil Trafford
		W-L course. John Smiths wooden barrel	James and Mandy Whitehead
General Handicap	A sixteen race series spread over the whole season.	P-Course Ross Cup	Roger Wilkinson
		W-L Course. Bronze sculpture	Jamie and Mike Adams
Series Races	Series 1 and 2 will each consist of 16 races, and series 3 will consist of 12 races. There will be trophies for P and W-L Courses. All entrants will be in the handicap fleet, but there will also be fleet trophies if there are four or more entrants in a series from any class of boat.	1 st series P. La Petite Cup.	Pete Stokoe
		1 st series W-L. Playmaker Trophy.	Jamie & Mike Adams
		1 st Series Catapult Fleet. Tankard	Fleet didn't qualify
		1 st Series Streaker. Ebor Cup.	Fleet didn't qualify
		2 nd Series P. Reflection Cup.	Pete Stokoe
		2 nd Series W-L course. Booze Bucket.	James Whitehead
		2 nd Series Streaker. Jaffa Cup.	Roger Wilkinson
		Fleet didn't	

		2 nd Series Catapult Fleet 3 rd Series P. Dunlop Trophy. 3 rd Series W-L. Fleet 46 Cup 3 rd Series Streaker. FSC Mug 3 rd Series Catapult Fleet	qualify Roger Wilkinson Jamie & Mike Adams Roger Wilkinson Fleet didn't qualify
Topper Challenge.	Open to all members, the competition is held in the club's Topper Fleet. The exact format of the races is up to the OD	Topper Challenge Trophy	Not raced due to weather
Lady's race	A single handicap race over a P course.		This race has not been contested since 2007, but I've left it in the programme, as we do have enough female members to make it a good competition
Bell Buoy Pursuit	A single pursuit race, which includes the bell buoy in the course.		Cancelled in 2010 due to weather
Junior	A series of 6 races held over the season, open to all junior members i.e those under 18 on January 1 st 2011.	The John Littlewood Youth Trophy	Not contested in 2010
Novice Race	A series of 6 handicap races over a P course. The races will be open to all who have never won any FSC "silverware"	Brig Cup	John Stott
Veterans	A single handicap race over a P course for all members over 50 on January 1 st 2011	Veterans Trophy	Pete Stokoe
RNLI	A single handicap race	Shields for 1 st , 2 nd and 3 rd	Cancelled in 2010

	over a P course. All entrants put a pound in the kitty, which is donated to the RNLI		due to weather
Johnson	A series of 4 handicap races over a P-Course.	Johnson Trophy	Phil Trafford
Barton	A series of 4 handicap races to be held concurrently with the Johnson series over a W-L course	Barton Cup	Carl Whitehead
King George	A single handicap race over a P course.	King George Shield	Cancelled in 2010 due to weather
Gallon Races	A series of 3 handicap races over a P course. Traditionally the final races of the season. There will be a Windward-Leeward pair of handicap races run in parallel with the Gallon Trophy.	John Smiths Gallon Trophy Cans of beer!!	Cancelled in 2010 due to weather

Birkett Weekend (Sat 2nd-Sun 3rd July). This is an annual trip for many of us to take part in the Birkett Trophy Races on Lake Ullswater. Most members camp at a site nearby and a great time is always had by all. If you've not been yet, you don't know what you're missing!

Wednesday evenings. As usual there will be informal sailing on Wednesdays during the lighter evenings of the summer. Information about this will be posted on the egroup and website.

Sail to Scarborough. Weather permitting, this will take place on Saturday 7th May. If the Gods are against us we will try again on Saturday 20th August