

RS600 AGM

26/09/2013

Present: P Nelson, E York, A York, A Goule, C Tilbrook, J Charles, P Williams, D Saltmarsh, C White, M Holden, C Hansell

Apologies - None received

Minutes from last year - no comments

Nationals 2014 -

Tenby 16-22nd August has been suggested with the Fireballs but we are waiting to heard if we are able to join them.

A Nationals with the Feva class was suggested but the class decided that they wouldnt like to join them.

Lymington Town Sailing club have a regatta that we maybe able to join in with or we look into regatta weeks, Rock Week may be too long but is a good place for families. **Action EY will look into Regatta weeks**

Do we stick to 4 days nationals and include Thursday - Sunday, the End of September is not a good time to hold the Nationals as the children go back to school and the students go back to college this week can we have the Nationals en of August beginning of September.

Restronguet SC are looking to hold nationals in 2014 Chris White suggested we contact the club **Action - EY to contact the club**

Falmouth Dinghy Week - 8-17th August Free camping on site, good for families, they would like 50 boats which may work as there are other fleets that have not got their Nationals booked as yet **EY will liaise with HC**

Proposal for 2014 Events

Bough Beech are organising a one day event in March, you can stay and race on the Sunday if you wish, camping on site.

They have requested a training day prior to the Nationals - this depends on the cost

POSH regatta may be able to offer a training day prior to the event **C Tilbrook** will liaise with the club and let us know

Can non members attend the training day? but charge a minimal amount to cover costs.

EY and PN explained the proposal for 2014 and it was agreed.

Extra opens can be arranged and advertise these to non members to encourage them to join the association but to give a taster into what we do.

This Years Events

It was agreed that there were too many events this year, but even the events with low turnouts were good fun.

Class Rule Changes - None

Communication and Marketing

Facebook is being used more now Clare Hansell to set EY as an admin
Form needs to be kept up to date

There is a possibility of getting rid of yahoo groups but this is used more than the forum at the moment, if it is going to be closed then a message needs to be sent out and all documents copied across.

Election Of Officers

UK Chairman - Peter Nelson
Results - Pete William
Training Officer- Chris Tilbrook

AOB.

Thank you to Pete Nelson for all his hard work and even though they have had low turnouts the events have been good fun.