## Re: Sailing break (Bruce Watson, Mon Jan 5 09:25:09 2009)

## Dear Richard & All,

## A Happy & Prosperous New year.

A small group (Geoff A, Geoff Mc, Harry, Bruce) meet at Gulf Harbour on 02/01. The day outing & day was excellent, but the wind was unusually fickle for GH - vertical at times. Harry made the best of racing, but all had good and bad placing.

Bruce Launched his new carbon fiber (without the hatch! fashioned one from cardboard) although not fully ballasted, did not appear to have any speed differential.

The above group + Peter, Terry, met on Sunday at Op - wind and weather was excellent. A small quantity of floating weed, but this did not seem to stick to the keels or rudders for more than a one tack. A good set of 7 races - mostly won by Geoff Mc, using a boat from the top boat yard!

Also a new member visited - has purchased Simon's boat. [ed: Brett Bakewell-White]

Sorry for the limited publishing resource and lack of photos - I hope our professional editor will return next week!!

Kind Regards Bruce Watson

From: Peter Andrews

Brett Bakewell-White is having problems with the keel. After looking over our boats yesterday he concluded that his keel was not fitting correctly in that it seemed to be protruding a bit. Also he can't get it out. I told him that that was not unusual. He is thinking of expoxing it in. Have you any bright ideas for him.

Incidentally the boys had a great time at Gulf Harbour (I pulled out at the last minute-My wife wanted to buy a washing machine) and it was suggested the squadron could set up some races there. Harry suggested Aniversary Day on Monday the 26th.

## Frequencies and sail numbers as at November 2008.

26.975 26.995 27.020 27.045 27.070 27.095 27.120 27.145 27.220 27.245 27.255 27.280	33 37 1 6 16 5 78 7 18 96 89 A12	* Bruce Watson * Kevin Whitehead * Richard Plinston * Neil Purcell * Brian Bassett Antonio Silva Paul Goddard * Grant Monaghan * Geoff McGill * Gerald Moss Gordon Stevenson * Terry ONeill
29.725 29.750	90 48	<ul><li>* Peter Willcox</li><li>* Harry Bowles</li></ul>
29.765	2	* Tom Clark
29.775	30	* Kevin Webb
29.785	11	* John Dowler
29.805		– Club boat
29.825	42	* Bill Monaghan
29.850	75	Harry Bowles
29.865	38	<pre>* Peter Andrews</pre>
29.885	22	Trevor Watts
29.905	10	Dave Harley
29.925	92	* Simon Adamson
29.945	10	Dave Harley
29.955	92	Simon Adamson
29.965	54	Ian Crooks
29.985	126	Simon Martelli
40.790		- Club Tug
40.810	26	<pre>* Trevor Speight</pre>
40.850	84	* Ivan Fraser
40.890	33	Bruce Watson
72.350	40	<pre>* Geoff Atkinson</pre>

Those marked \* are financial.

If there are two frequencies listed for a member then they will both be marked if the 2nd has paid the additional fee.

Those not marked may lose their frequency and/ or sail number if they remain unfinancial, and also they may not have their scores recorded.