

2007 Queensland Marblehead Championships

Whitsunday

Results are final as of 20:15 on May 8, 2007

Place	Boat	Sail No	Helm	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5	R6	R7	R8	R9	R10	R11	R12	R13	R14	R15	R16	R17	R18	R19	R20	R21	R22	R23	TOTAL	DISC	NETT
1	Bounty Hunter	24	Tim Arland	4	1	4	1	3	2	6	3	3	4	3.1	2	3	1	2	1	2	3	2	1	1	8	6	66	24	42
2	Wish I was a Maxi	199	James Finch	2	5	3	3	6	4	1	1	1	2	2	3	1	2	3	3	4	2	15	4	2	7	8	84	36	48
3	Yellow Brick Road	2	Greg Hammon	3	3	2	8	7	3	15	6	5	3	5	9	6	15	1	4	1	6	4	5	8	2	1	122	47	75
4	Squeeze In	25	Tom Barfield	6	15	5	5	4	7	3	4	9	7	4	4	5	4	5	6	3	1	1	2	4	6	4	114	38	76
5	Grn Machine	39	Ross Anderson	5	4	7	11	5	8	15	9	7	9	3	5	15	8	8	2	7	5	3	3	3	1	2	145	50	95
6	Orca	99	Garth Chewings	8	8	11	10	2	5	5	5	4	8	6	6	4	3	7	15	5	7	7	6	5	5	7	149	44	105
7	Miss B Haven	29	Col Cameron	1	2	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	182	60	122
8	Bumble B	89	Alan Kemp	9	9	10	4	8	6	11	7	6	10	15	8	2	7	6	7	10	10	6	8	12	3	3	177	48	129
9		43	Andrew Sands	11	6	8	6	15	15	7	11	8	6	15	15	15	5	4	5	9	4	8	15	7	4	15	214	60	154
10	Boomer	45	Ian Thomson	10	10	6	7	12	10	4	8	13	15	15	15	15	10	9	9	6	9	5	10	6	10	10	224	60	164
11		22	Ray Part	14	12	12	13	9	11	9	15	12	11	7	10	7	15	10	8	8	11	9	7	9	9	15	243	60	183
12	Wind Dancer	11	Helena Kemp	7	7	13	15	10	9	10	15	10	5	9	7	8	6	15	15	15	15	10	9	10	12	15	247	60	187
13	Kc-Kars	179	Patrick Croke	12	11	9	9	11	12	8	10	11	12	8	11	15	9	11	10	15	8	11	11	11	11	5	241	54	187
14	If	21	Peter Scott	13	13	15	12	13	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	11	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	332	60	272



Queensland RM titles 2007

Over the labour day weekend, the Queensland titles, for the Marblehead class of Model Yachts was held at Lake Julieanne, Strathdickie. A fleet of 14 model Yachts competed in the series, with boats coming from Interstate, as well as Mackay and Townsville. The competition was held over a period of 2 days, with 23 races sailed in that time.

Winds for any sailing event are extremely important, and the event was run in what could only be described as perfect sailing conditions. The sun was shining and winds steady at between 5 and 15 knots for the whole weekend.

The first of two race days was dominated by Colin Cameron, from Mackay, with Tim Arland, from Whitsunday and James Finch from Mackay following close behind. Another close battle behind them was between Tom Barfield, from Mackay, and Greg Hammon from Whitsunday. The first ten races of the series also counted as the first heat of the yewarly Interclub Tri series between Mackay, Townsville and Whitsunday. At the end of the first day, with the performances from Col, and James, the Mackay club won the first heat of the tri series convincingly, with Townsville second, and Whitsunday third.

Colin Cameron finished at top of the provisional ladder after day one, and then announced that due to family commitments was unable to compete in the second day of racing. This threw the series open with, James Finch and Tim Arland then able to go into day 2 with leadership prospects separated by only 6 points.

Day 2 came upon us with a steady 10 knots of S/E to E winds blowing across lake Julieanne. A windward / return course was able to be laid across the control area and racing started at approximately 10:30am. With the absence of Col, the pressure was on between second and third to take over the championship place in the regatta. This caused some mistakes to be made by James, and so with consistent sailing, Tim started to emerge as the championship leader. Tom pulled out all stops to get ahead of Greg with a couple of races to go, and Ross Anderson, sailing Grn Machine finally started showing consistently improved form. Over the last couple of races, James ran into some trouble, and Tim continued his consistent race pace to set the results in stone.

Congratulations must go to the series winner, Tim Arland (42 pts), from the Whitsunday Model Boat Club. Tim now holds the title of Queensland Champion for 2007. Second place holder was James Finch (48) from Mackay, and Third was Greg Hammon (75), from Whitsunday. Tom Banfield (76), from Mackay came in fourth only one point behind Greg. Ross Anderson came in 5th with 95 points.

Congratulations and thanks must go to Tim Parker for organising and running the event for the Whitsunday model Boat Club and Geoff Ruddell for allowing us to use his magnificent private lake to host the series.

Greg Hammon