1997 HANTS & DORSET CHAMPIONS.

Senior Fours - BTC ROWING CLUB.

M. Hume, P. Lindley, M. Bailey, A. Giles(str), W. Harrison (cox).

Runners Up - SOUTHAMPTON COALPORTERS A. R. C..

Junior Senior Fours - SOUTHAMPTON COALPORTERS A. R. C. J. Rood, S. Logan, N. Seward, J. Smith (str), K. Rayment (cox).

Runners Up - WESTOVER & BOURNEMOUTH R. C.

T. Ould, M. Thompson, M. Young, I. Hayden (str), J. Thompson (cox).

*Runners Up - BTC ROWING CLUB.

Novice Fours - CHRISTCHURCH R. C.

Runners Up - SOUTHSEA R. C. & SOUTHAMPTON COALPORTERS A. R. C.

<u>Senior Ladies Fours - WORTHING R. C.</u>
J. Wilcock, J. Collis, S. Upton, J. Russell (str), M. Taylor (cox).

Runners Up - SOUTHAMPTON A. R. C.

Junior Ladies Fours - CHRISTCHURCH A. R. C.
J. Hart, E. Edmond, F. Kenway, A. Klaver (str), K. Lever (cox).

Runners Up - THE VOSPER R. C.

Novice Ladies Fours - POOLE A. R. C.

Runners Up - Lymington, Westover, Ryde and BTC.

Mens Senior Pairs - POOLE A. R. C.
R. Murphy, S. Crook (str).

Runners Up - LYMINGTON A. R. C.

<u>Junior Pairs - SOUTHSEA A. R. C.</u>
M. Bonner and C. Mendes (str).

Runners Up - SOUTHAMPTON A. R. C

Ladies Pairs - WORTHING R. C. S. Upton, J. Collis (str).

Runners Up - RYDE R. C.

<u>Senior Sculls - K. CHALK, LYMINGTON A. R. C.</u> *Runner Up - M. Gisborne, Southsea A. R. C.*

Junior Sculls - M. OSBORNE, SOUTHSEA A. R. C. Runners Up - G. Mullins, Lymington A. R. C.

<u>Ladies Sculls - A. FITZSIMMONS, CHRISTCHURCH A. R. C.</u> *Runners Up - L. Walters, Shanklin Sandown R. C.*

Coxswain of the Year - K. RAYMENT, SOUTHAMPTON COALPORTERS A. R. C.

ASSOCIATION CHAMPIONSHIP TABLES - 1997 SEASON.

FINAL TABLE.

First, Second and Third placed at each Regatta are recorded where available. CLUBS IN BOLD AND UNDERLINED ARE HANTS & DORSET CHAMPIONS.

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MENS SENIOR FOURS. MENS JUNIOR SENIOR FOURS.												
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[Hants & Dorset ARA. Championship Tables, 1997 cont...] MENS JUNIOR PAIRS. LADIES SENIOR PAIRS.

Club:	R	W	2	3	Pts.	Club:	R	W	2	3	Pts.
SOUTHSEA	12	7	0	0	7	WORTHING	12	5	1	0	5
SOUTHAMPTON	12	3	4	2	4	RYDE	12	4	2	5	4
POOLE	12	1	2	4	1	SOUTHAMPTON	12	1	3	0	1
SHANKLIN	12	0	2	0	0	CHRISTCHURCH	12	1	2	1	1
WESTOVER	12	0	1	2	0	POOLE	12	0	1	9	0
RYDE	12	0	0	1	0						
COALPORTERS	12	0	0	1	0						
[Note. 6]											

MENS SENIOR SCULLS.

MENS JUNIOR SCULLS.

Club:	R	W	2	3	Pts.	Club:	R	W	2	3	Pts.
Chalk/LYMINGTON	12	7	2	0	6	Osborne/SOUTHSEA	12	5	4	1	3
Gisborne/SOUTHSEA	12	3	4	0	4	Mullins/LYMINGTON	12	0	1	4	0
Willams/COALPORTERS	12	1	0	1	1	Gathergood/WORTHING	12	0	1	0	0
Wardell/BTC	12	0	3	0	0	Donovan/SOUTHSEA	12	1	0	0	0
Hollis/SOUTHSEA	12	0	1	5	0	Stear/SOUTHSEA	12	0	0	1	0
Stubbs/COALPORTERS	12	0	1	0	0	Phillips/LYMINGTON	12	0	0	1	0
Wyatt/BTC	12	0	0	2	0	Horn/CHRISTCHURCH	12	6	1	0	0
Phillips/LYMINGTON	12	0	0	1	0	[Note 9 & 10]					
[Note. 8, 9 & 10]											

LADIES SCULLS.

Club:	R	W	2	3	Pts.
Fitzsimmons/CHRISTCHURCH	10	5	0	0	5
Walters/SHANKLIN	10	4	4	0	2
Lamb/RYDE	10	0	2	3	0
Twyman/NEWPORT	10	0	1	2	0
James/LYMINGTON	10	0	1	1	0
Hewison/RYDE	10	0	0	1	0
[Note 4.]					

NOTES:

- 1. Shanklin Regatta, scheduled for 24th May, was cancelled and will not be re-rowed.
- 2. The Lymington Senior Pair has been awarded for Championship point for Ryde Regatta where the race was won by Shoreham R. C.
- 3. There was no point in the Ladies Senior pairs race at Ryde as only two Clubs competed.
- 4. Only two Clubs competed in the Ladies Sculls events at Coalporters and Woolston so no points were awarded. There was only 1 entry at Ryde so no point was awarded. There was no Ladies Sculling event at Southsea or Bournemouth.
- 5. Ladies Junior Fours Woolston & BTC Regattas only two Clubs competed no point awarded.
- 6. Mens Senior Fours, Ladies Junior Fours, Mens Senior Pairs, Ladies senior Pairs received Association point from Southsea Regatta as first Hants & Dorset Club to finnish.
- 7. No Mens Novice point at Southsea Regatta first H&D Crew to finnish was 4th.
- 8. H&D point withheld for Senior Pairs at Southsea Regatta both crew names changed subject to appeal.
- 9. Mens Junior Sculls at Swanage and Bournemouth no point awarded only two Clubs competed.
- 10. The Christchurch Junior Sculler M. Horn was stripped of all points won as he had won a Qualifying Sculling race on the River in 1996 and was not entitled to compete as a Junior Sculler within the ${\rm H\&D}$.
- 11. Point withheld from First H&D Senior sculler to finnish the course at Southsea as unregistered.
- 12. Senior Sculls at Newport no point claim received.
- 13. No small boats events & only two boat racing at Christchurch Regatta.
- 14. Point withheld from Mens Novice Fours at Southampton Town unregistered oarsman (Southampton).

Steve Bull, Association Secretary. 6th September, 1997. E&OE The Association Secretaries Report on the 1997 Hants. & Dorset Season.

A full programme of fourteen Regatta's were planned for the 1997 season - along with a trial Regatta to be staged at Worthing with a view to this being awarded a permit - and becoming a Championship Regatta in 1998. Unfortunately, especially as there was a very encouraging entry, Worthing was lost to the weather - and attempts to re-stage the event later in the season fell foul of the Clubs busy racing schedules. Shanklin Regatta was also cancelled for the second year running - giving the event an unfair reputation of being a risky Regatta - it should be remembered that prior to 1996 the last event cancelled at Shanklin was the South Coast Championships in 1987. Unfortunately unlike 1996 when the Clubs supported a return to the Island and the event was staged later in the season - this year the support appeared to be lacking - from the crews if not the Clubs - and Shanklin felt unable to take the financial risk of a poorly supported Regatta - and the Regatta was lost reducing the seasons Regatta's to The poor support for Newport Regatta was a further indication of crews reluctance to travel to the Island presumably because of the cost - these Clubs would do well to remember that the Island Clubs travel to the mainland to compete eleven times to their two trips to the Island - and it is therefore not unreasonable for the Island Clubs to expect their Regatta's to be fully supported. The entry for Newport Regatta was just 40 crews - the lowest entry for a Hants & Dorset Regatta while I have been Association Secretary - and many of these scratched although a high volume of late entries improved the situation and helped Newport to balance the books. The entries and other Regatta's showed conflicting trends with seven Regatta's showing an increased entry over 1996 - and six showing a reduction. The highest entry was as always at Southsea, a Regatta shared with the Coast ARA - with 174 entries, 90 of them - over 50% coming from Hants & Dorset crews - the next highest was BTC with 110. Five Regatta's had entries of one hundred or more.

The Men's Senior Fours Championship was one of the most exciting in recent years with five and sometimes six crews challenging for the all important points - BTC and Coalporters with two crews plus Vospers and Poole were the main challengers and at several Regatta's, especially the early ones - all these crews finished within a couple of lengths of each other. As the season developed the fight for the Championship narrowed down to a crew from BTC and a crew from Coalporters - with the final result only becoming clear at the last Regatta when BTC's win allowed them to retain the Championship with seven points to Coalporters five these two crews being the Associations representatives at the South Coast Championships. Vospers won the remaining point at their own Regatta.

The Men's Junior Senior fours produced a much more emphatic victory for Coalporters as their crew won eleven of the thirteen Regatta's with only Westover - who gained two impressive wins - offering a serious challenge to their dominance of the event. It was particularly pleasing to see Westover re-emerging with some strong crews following some difficult years at the Club. Coalporters and Westover were selected to represent the Association at the South Coast Championships Regatta.

Shanklin won the men's Junior Fours Championship - their first men's

Championship for around twenty years. There were clearly the seasons most consistent crew in this status with six wins spread fairly evenly over the season. In the first half of the season the main challenge came from BTC with four wins and then Ryde took up the challenge winning three of the last four races - but leaving it to late to claim one of the Southcoast representative slots from the other two. The men's Novice fours event continued to show a recovery from a low point - in both numbers and quality - of a few seasons ago. Eight different Clubs had wins showing the Associations strength at this level - the Championship going to Christchurch with three wins - who were chased by Southsea and Coalporters with two a piece. Single wins were recorded by Vospers, BTC, Poole, Ryde and Southampton - with the final event at BTC Regatta as competitive as the first at Milford. The Ladies Senior Fours Championship was retained by Worthing with seven wins. Runners up with four wins were Southampton who have been one of the Associations most consistent performers for several years. At the last two Regatta's of the season to further winning Ladies Senior crews emerged - with one win for Christchurch and one for Shanklin. However neither were able to represent the Association at the South Coast Championships and with Worthing illegible this honour fell to Southampton and BTC.

Christchurch won the Ladies Junior Championship - with seven wins against Vospers - who were runners-up - with four - these two crews representing the Association at the South Coast. An improving BTC crew snatched one win with Lymington also claiming a win at the last Regatta of the season.

The Ladies Novice Fours - which is also maintaining a high standard of racing - was as usual a closely fought contest, seven Clubs claiming wins with Poole's three wins giving them the Championship from Lymington, Westover, Ryde and BTC with two wins and Shanklin and Coalporters with one win each.

Poole emerged as winners of the Men's Senior Pairs Championship with two different crews helping to achieve their seven wins - the only serious challenge came from Lymington with three wins and the point at Ryde where the race was won by a Shoreham pair.

The points distribution for the men's Junior Pairs mirrored the Senior pairs event, but this time Southsea were Champions with seven points and Southampton runners-up with three wins plus the point from Southsea which was won by a CARA Club. Poole also grabbed a single win in this event.

The Ladies Pairs Championship was the closest of the pairs events with the Championship in doubt to the last Regatta with Worthing triumphing over Ryde with their five wins against Ryde's four. Southampton and Christchurch also had Ladies Pairs wins.

An impressive performance by Chalk of Lymington - in his first full season as a Senior Sculler gave him the Championship with six points from seven wins - against four for last years Champion - Gisborne of Southsea.

The Men's Junior Sculls was marred by the necessity for the Associations executive Officers to remove the points awarded to Horn of Christchurch following the discovery that he had won a Senior 3 race - equivalent to Coastal Junior status - on the river in a Sculling event in 1996. The Association Officers except that this was a genuine misunderstanding on behalf of the Christchurch Club - made all the more unfortunate because the discovery came late in the season. However there can be little doubt the Osborne from Southsea was the best Junior sculler as his five wins and four second places

prove and that he is a worthy Men's Junior Sculling Champion. Ladies sculling was introduced as a Championship event for the first time following a inconclusive trial in 1996. The event began badly with just three entries at Milford and only one at Ryde and it appeared that it was going to struggle – and probably gain the distinction of being the shortest Hants & Dorset Championship event on record. However as the season progressed more Lady scullers did take up the challenge and by the last Regatta six scullers competed – they may just have done enough to keep the event going! Fitzsimmons of Christchurch won the Championship with five wins and five points, Walters of Shanklin was runner-up with four wind and two points – but all the other Lady scullers who competed deserve a mention – if the event continues and prospers they will have done Ladies sculling a great service.

Coalportres emerged from the season as the most successful Association Club, for the second year running with twenty wins - Christchurch and Southsea were in equal second place with seventeen wins. Nine Clubs had ten or more wins during the season, illustrating what a competative seasons racing in was.

Club Registrations showed a slight increase of 1.8% over 1996 – with 600 oarsmen and women registered against 589 in 1996 – 461 on these were registered at the start of the season with an additional 139 registered during the season. The largest Club, by registration, was Coalporters with 72 – with both BTC and Poole registering more than 60 rowing members.

Kerry Rayment, the cox of the successful Coalporters Junior Senior Crew was awarded the Hants & Dorset Cox of the year Trophy.

To conclude - I feel that 1997 was a very competative season with some excellent racing and a high standard of Regatta organisation being maintained. As an Association there are inevitably areas of concern to be resolved and issues to be debated and there are always improvments to be made - but we remain the strongest and I believe the best of the three South Coast Rowing Associations.

Stephen C. Bull, Association Secretary, 9 October 1997.

REGATTA RESULTS FROM: MILFORD (LYMINGTON) REGATTA.

HELD ON : SATURDAY, 17th MAY, 1997.

Mens Senior Fours:

1st. BTC A 2nd. COALPORTERS 3rd. BTC B

Winning Crew: S. Bennett, M. Weaver. P. Neale, G. Farrell (Str.) D. King (Cox). [Point Claimed] [Names Checked]

Mens Junior/Senior Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. RYDE 3rd. WESTOVER

Winning Crew: J. Rood, S. Logan, N. Seward, J. Smith (Str.), K. Rayment

(Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Fours:

1st. BTC 2nd. SHANKLIN 3rd. RYDE

Winning Crew: K. Woodhouse, P. Willams, L. Lake, S. Weaver (Str.), J.

Bailey (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Novice Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. CHRISTCHURCH 3rd. SOUTHSEA

Winning Crew: R. Ferrari, D. Peacock, G. Addington, J. Leigh (Str.), K.

Stubbs (Cox). [Point Claimed[Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Fours:

1st. WORTHING 2nd. SOUTHAMPTON 3rd. BTC

Winning Crew: J. Wilcock, J. Collis, S. Upton, J. Russell (Str.), J.

Bedding (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Junior Fours:

1st. CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. VOSPERS 3rd. COALPORTERS

Winning Crew: A. Laver, J. Simm, L. Edmunds, F. Kenway (Str.), - (Cox).

[Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Novice Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. POOLE 3rd. LYMINGTON

Winning Crew: F. Arad, A. Emery, H. Russell, J. Hampton (Str.), R.

Hutchings (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Pairs:

1st. POOLE B 2nd. LYMINGTON 3rd. SOUTHSEA

Winning Crew: R. Murphy, S. Crook (Str.). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Pairs:

1st. SOUTHSEA 2nd. POOLE 3rd. SOUTHAMPTON

Winning Crew: M. Bonner, C. Menezes (Str.).

Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Pairs:

1st. WORTHING 2nd. RYDE 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: S. Upton, J. Collis. [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Chalk/LYMINGTON 2nd. Gisborne/SOUTHSEA

3rd. Hollis/SOUTHSEA [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Horn/CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. Gathergood/WORTHING

3rd. Osborne/SOUTHSEA. [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Scull:Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Fitzwillam/CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. Hewison/RYDE.

[Point Claimed][Names Checked]

No others finished - three Clubs started.

REGATTA RESULTS FROM: RYDE.

HELD ON : SUNDAY, 25th MAY, 1997.

Mens Senior Fours: [Winning Time: 7m 31s.]

1st. BTC B 2nd. VOSPERS 3rd. COALPORTERS

Winning Crew: M. Hume, P. Lindley, M. Bailey, A. Giles (Str.), W.

Harrison (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior/Senior Fours: [Winning Time: 7m 38s.]

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. WESTOVER 3rd. CHRISTCHURCH

Winning Crew: J. Rood, S. Logan, N. Seward, J. Smith (Str.) K. Rayment

(Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Fours: [Winning Time: 8m 15s.]

1st. SHANKLIN 2nd. BTC 3rd. SOUTHAMPTON

Winning Crew: T. Ould, M. Thompson, M. Young, I. Hayden (Str.) J.

Thompson (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Novice Fours: [Winning Time: 8m 42s.]

1st. CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. SOUTHSEA C 3rd. SOUTHSEA A

Winning Crew: P. Bricknell, R. Wheeler, S. Hough, M. Sherrett (Str.), -

(Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

<u>Ladies Senior Fours</u>: [Winning Time: 8m 29s.]

1st. WORTHING 2nd. SOUTHAMPTON 3rd. BTC

Winning Crew: J. Wilcock, J. Collis, S. Upton, J. Russell (Str.), -

(Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

<u>Ladies Junior Fours</u>: [Winning Time: 8m 43s.]

1st. VOSPERS 2nd. CHRISTCHURCH 3rd. RYDE

Winning Crew: S. Foad, S. Hunt, L. Nokes. K. Green (Str.), F. Spencer-

Fleet (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Novice Fours: [Winning Time: 9m 34s.]

1st. POOLE A 2nd. LYMINGTON 3rd. POOLE B

Winning Crew: R. Drane, S. Mills, L. Hart, E. Newbury (Str.), D. Ford

(Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Pairs: [Winning Time: 8m 20s.]

1st. Shoreham 2nd. LYMINGTON 3rd. RYDE

Winning Crew: P. Mercer, G. Gumbrell (Str.) Not an H&D Affilated Club. Point awarded to 2nd place - Crew: T. Bull, N. Fagan (Str.). [Point

Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Pairs: [Winning Time: 9m 48s.]

1st. SOUTHSEA 2nd. SHANKLIN 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: M. Bonner, C. Menezes. (Str.).

Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Pairs: [Winning Time: 9m 35s.]

1st. WORTHING 2nd. POOLE 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: S. Upton, J. Collis (Str.). Only 2 Clubs entered. No point

awarded.

Mens Senior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Chalk/LYMINGTON 2nd. Gisborne/SOUTHSEA

3rd. Stubbs/COALPORTERS. [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Osborne/SOUTHSEA 2nd. Horn/CHRISTCHURCH

3rd. Mullins/LYMINGTON [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Sculls.

Only 1 sculler entered (Lamb/RYDE). Race abandoned. No point awarded.

REGATTA RESULTS FROM: VOSPERS REGATTA. HELD ON : 7th JUNE, 1997.

Mens Senior Fours:

1st. VOSPERS 2nd. BTC B 3rd. COALPORTERS
Winning Crew: I. Willams, G. Brenner, I. Barnaby, C. Foad (Str.), J.
Sanders (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior/Senior Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. WESTOVER

Winning Crew: J. Rood, S. Logan, N. Seward, J. Smith (Str.), K. Rayment (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Fours:

1st. SHANKLIN 2nd. BTC

Winning Crew: T. Ould, M. Thompson, M. Young, J. Haydon (Str.), J. Thompson (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Novice Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. SOUTHSEA

Winning Crew: G. Goild, C. Lawrence, J. Oxenham, S. Johns (Str.), P. Glazzard (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Fours:

1st. WORTHING 2nd. SOUTHAMPTON

Winning Crew: J. Wilcock, J. Collis, S. Upton, J. Russell (Str.), - (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Junior Fours:

1st. CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. VOSPERS (Disqualified)

Winning Crew: J. Hart, L. Edmunds, F. Kenway, A. Klaver (Str.) - (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Novice Fours:

1st. POOLE B 2nd. BTC

Winning Crew: S. O. Petham, S. A. Petham, P. Currie, K. Lintott (Str.), L. Diffey (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Pairs:

1st. POOLE 2nd. CHRISTCHURCH 3rd. VOSPERS

Winning Crew: R. Murphy, S. Crook (Str.). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Pairs:

1st. SOUTHSEA 2nd. POOLE

Winning Crew: M. Bonner, P. Manenzes (Str.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Pairs:

1st. RYDE 2nd. CHRISTCHURCH 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: L. Hewison, E. Lloyd-Jennings (Str.)

[Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Willams/COALPORTERS 2nd. Wardell/BTC. [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Osborne/SOUTHSEA 2nd. Horn/CHRISTCHURCH

3rd. - [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Sculls.

1st. Fitzsimmons/CHRISTCHURCH. 2nd. Walters/SHANKLIN. [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

REGATTA RESULTS FROM: POOLE

HELD ON : 8th JUNE, 1997.

Mens Senior Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. BTC 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: L. Rayment, M. Stubbs, G. seward, M. Coffin (Str.), K.

Stubbs (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior/Senior Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. WESTOVER 3rd. RYDE

Winning Crew: J. Rood, S. Logan, N. Seward, J. Smith (Str.), K. Rayment (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Fours:

1st. BTC 2nd. SHANKLIN 3rd. VOSPERS

Winning Crew: R. Woodhouse, P. Willams, L. Lake, S. Weaver (Cox), J. Bailey (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Novice Fours:

1st. POOLE 2nd. SOUTHSEA 3rd. COALPORTERS

Winning Crew: R. Tindle, D. Martin, C. Bartlett, D. Sherwin (Str.), L.

Diffey (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Fours:

1st. WORTHING 2nd. SOUTHAMPTON 3rd. BTC

Winning Crew: J. Wilcock, J. Collis, S. Upton, J. Russell (Str.), - (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Junior Fours:

1st. CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. VOSPERS 3rd. BTC

Winning Crew: A. Leaver, J. Hart, L. Edmunds. F. Kenway (Str.), - (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Novice Fours:

1st. LYMINGTON 2nd. POOLE 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: M. Slooper, M. Young, H. Cracknell, S. Bird (Str.), L. Viner (Str.). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Pairs:

1st. POOLE 2nd. LYMINGTON 3rd. SOUTHSEA

Winning Crew: W. Callaghan, P. Jacobs (Str.). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Pairs:

1st. SOUTHAMPTON 2nd. SHANKLIN 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: M. Hansford, G. Cook (Str.). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Pairs:

1st. CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. WESTOVER 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: A. Fitzsimmons, M. Oarton (Str.). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Chalk/LYMINGTON 2nd. Wardell/BTC

3rd. Wyatt/BTC [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Horn/CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. Osborne/SOUTHSEA

3rd. Mullins/LYMINGTON [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Sculls:

1st. Fitzsimmons/CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. Walters/SHANKLIN.

3rd. - /NEWPORT. [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

REGATTA RESULTS FROM: COALPORTERS.
HELD ON: 14th JUNE, 1997.

Mens Senior Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS B 2nd. COALPORTERS A 3rd. BTC
Winning Crew: L. Rayment, M. Stubbs, G. Seward, M. Coffin (Str.), K.
Stubbs (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior/Senior Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. WESTOVER 3rd. COALPORTERS B Winning Crew: J. Rood, S. Logan, N. Seward, J. Smith (Str.), K. Rayment (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Fours:

1st. SHANKLIN 2nd. BTC 3rd. WESTOVER Winning Crew: T. Ould, M. Thompson, M. Young, I. Hayden (Str.) J. Thompson (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Novice Fours:

1st. CHRISTCHURCH D 2nd. VOSPERS 3rd. CHRISTCHURCH C
Winning Crew: D. Heap, C. Jackson, J. Squires, D. Davies (Str.), - (Cox),
[Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Fours:

1st. SOUTHAMPTON 2nd. BTC 3rd. POOLE Winning Crew: H. O'Malley, A. Gregory, L. Butler, L. Harding (Str.), M. Freeman (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Junior Fours:

1st. CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. VOSPERS 3rd. BTC
Winning Crew: J. Heart, L. Edmunds, F. Kenway, A. Kleaver (Str.), (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Novice Fours:

1st. LYMINGTON 2nd. POOLE 3rd. WESTOVER
Winning Crew: M. Slooper, M. Young, H. Cracknell, S. Bird (Str.), L.
Viner (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Pairs:

1st. POOLE A 2nd. LYMINGTON 3rd. POOLE B Winning Crew: R. Murphy, S. Crook (Str.). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Pairs:

1st. SOUTHAMPTON 2nd. WESTOVER 3rd. POOLE Winning Crew: M. Hansford, G. Cook (Str.). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Pairs:

1st. RYDE 2nd. CHRISTCHURCH 3rd. POOLE Winning Crew: L. Hewison, E. Lloyd-Jennings. (Str.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

Mens Junior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Horn/CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. Osborne/BTC 3rd. Mulins/LYMINGTON [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Walters/SHANKLIN 2nd. Lamb/RYDE Only two Clubs competed - No point awarded.

REGATTA RESULTS FROM: NEWPORT (COWES) REGATTA.

HELD ON : 15th JUNE, 1997.

Mens Senior Fours:

1st. BTC B 2nd. COALPORTERS 3rd. VOSPERS

Winning Crew: M. Hume, P. Lindley, M. Bailey, A. Giles (Str.) W. Harrison

(Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior/Senior Fours:

1st. WESTOVER 2nd. COALPORTERS 3rd. RYDE

Winning Crew: J. Moore, J. MacFarlane, G. Wills, T. O'Brien (Str.), L.

Edwards (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Fours:

1st. SHANKLIN 2nd. RYDE 3rd. VOSPERS

Winning Crew: T. Ould, M. Thomppson, M. Young, I. Hayden (Str.), J.

Thompson (Cox) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Novice Fours:

1st. RYDE 2nd. COALPORTERS 3rd. SOUTHSEA

Winning Crew: O. Scadgell, T. Woodford, P. Lewis, T. Cook (Str.), M. Bull

(Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Fours:

1st. WORTHING 2nd. BTC 3rd. Not recorded.

Winning Crew: J. Wilcock, J. Collis, S. Upton, J. Russell (Str.) - (Cox)

[Point Claimed][Names Checked]

<u>Ladies Junior Fours</u>:

1st. VOSPERS 2nd. CHRISTCHURCH 3rd. BTC

Winning Crew: S. Foad, L. Noakes, S. Hunt, K. Green (Str.) F. Spencer-

Fleet (Cox) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Novice Fours:

1st. POOLE 2nd. WESTOVER 3rd. RYDE

Winning Crew: R. Drane, S. Miles, L. Hart, E. Newbury (Str.) D. Ford

(Cox) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Pairs:

1st. LYMINGTON 2nd. POOLE 3rd. SHANKLIN

Winning Crew: T. Bull, N. Fagan (Str.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Pairs:

1st. SOUTHAMPTON 2nd. SHOREHAM 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: M. Hansford, G. Cook (Str.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Pairs:

1st. WORTHING 2nd. RYDE 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: S. Upton, J. Collis (Str.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Chalk/LYMINGTON 2nd. Gisborne?/SOUTHSEA

3rd. Not recorded. [Names Checked] NO POINT CLAIM RECEIVED.

Mens Junior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Horn/CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. Osborne/SOUTHSEA

3rd. Phillips?/LYMINGTON [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

<u>Ladies Sculls</u>: (Sculler/CLUB)

lst. Walters/SHANKLIN 2nd. Twyman/NEWPORT

3rd. - /LYMINGTON [Point Claimed][Names Checked].

REGATTA RESULTS FROM: SOUTHAMPTON TOWN. HELD ON : 28th JUNE, 1997.

Mens Senior Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. BTC B 3rd. BTC A
Winning Crew: L. Rayment, M. Stubbs, G. Seward, M. Coffin (Str.), K.
Stubbs (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior/Senior Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. WESTOVER 3rd. RYDE
Winning Crew: J. Rood, S. Logan, N. Seward, J. Smith (Str.), K. Rayment
(Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Fours:

1st. BTC 2nd. RYDE 3rd. SHANKLIN
Winning Crew: K. Woodhouse, P. Willams, L. Lake, S. Weaver (Str.), J.
Bailey (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Novice Fours:

1st. SOUTHAMPTON 2nd. BTC 3rd. SOUTHSEA Winning Crew: M. Shields, W. Griffiths, S. Eagle, O. Baker (Str.), E. Line (Cox). [Point Claimed] Not Registered.

Ladies Senior Fours:

1st. SOUTHAMPTON 2nd. BTC 3rd. LYMINGTON
Winning Crew: H. O'Malley, A. Gregory, E. Butler, E. Harding (Str.), N.
Freeman (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Junior Fours:

1st. VOSPERS 2nd. CHRISTCHURCH 3rd. LYMINGTON
Winning Crew: S. Foad, L. Nokes, S. Hunt, K. Green (Str.), F. SpencerFleet (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Novice Fours:

1st. WESTOVER 2nd. SHANKLIN 3rd. CHRISTCHURCH Winning Crew: E. Vero, J. Drew, L. Edwards, A. McIvor (Str.), S. James (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Pairs:

1st. POOLE 2nd. LYMINGTON 3rd. SOUTHSEA Winning Crew: R. Murphy, S. Crook (Str.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Pairs:

1st. SOUTHSEA 2nd. SOUTHAMPTON 3rd. SOUTHAMPTON
Winning Crew: M. Bonner, C. Menezies (Str.)[Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Pairs:

1st. SOUTHAMPTON 2nd. POOLE 3rd. RYDE Winning Crew: A. Gregory, E. Butler (Str.).
[Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Chalk/LYMINGTON 2nd. Gisborne/SOUTHSEA 3rd. Hollis/SOUTHSEA [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Horn/CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. Osborne/SOUTHSEA 3rd. Mullins/LYMINGTON [Point Claimed][Names Checked].

Ladies Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Fitzsimmons/CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. Walters/SHANKLIN 3rd. Lamb/RYDE [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

REGATTA RESULTS FROM: WOOLSTON REGATTA.

HELD ON : SATURDAY, 5th JULY, 1997.

Mens Senior Fours:

1st. BTC 2nd. COALPORTERS 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: M. Hume, P. Lindley, M. Bailey, A. Giles (Str.), W. Harrison (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior/Senior Fours:

2nd. COALPORTERS 3rd. RYDE

Winning Crew: J. Moore, J. McaFarlane, G. Wills, T. O'Brien (Str.), G.

Jordan (Cox.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Fours:

1st. WESTOVER

1st. BTC 2nd. SHANKLIN 3rd. SOUTHAMPTON

Winning Crew: R. Woodhouse, P. Willams, L. Lake, S. Weaver (Str.), J.

Bailey (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Novice Fours:

1st. VOSPERS 2nd. CHRISTCHURCH 3rd. SOUTHSEA

Winning Crew: N. Johnston, N. Day, R. Watts, P. Spratt (Str.) C. Hawkes

(Cox)[Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Fours:

1st. SOUTHAMPTON 2nd. BTC 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: H. O'Malley, A. Gregory, E. Butler, E. Harding (Str.), N.

Freeman (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Junior Fours:

1st. BTC 2nd. BTC 3rd. COALPORTERS

Winning Crew: N. hyland, E. Buxton, H. Douglas, M. Veal (Str.), - (Cox).

Only Two Clubs competed - no point awarded.

Ladies Novice Fours:

1st. SHANKLIN 2nd. BTC 3rd. WESTOVER

Winning Crew: E. Hinsley, J. Robinson, M. Lloyd, R. Thompson (Str.), J.

Thompson (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Pairs:

1st. LYMINGTON 2nd. SOUTHSEA 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: T. Bull, N. Fagan (Str.). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Pairs:

1st. SOUTHSEA 2nd. 3rd. RYDE

Winning Crew: M. Bonner, C. Menezies (Str.)

[Point Claimed][Names Checked]

<u>Ladies Senior Pairs</u>:

1st. RYDE 2nd. SOUTHAMPTON 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: L. Hewison, E. Lloyd-Jennings (Str.)

[Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Gisborne/SOUTHSEA 2nd. Stubbs/COALPORTERS

3rd. Wyatt/BTC [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Horn/CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. Osborne/SOUTHSEA

3rd. Phillips/LYMINGTON [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Sculls: (Sculler/Club).

1st. Walters/SHANKLIN 2nd. Lamb/RYDE

Only two Clubs competed - No point awarded.

REGATTA RESULTS FROM: SOUTHSEA

HELD ON : 12th JULY, 1997.

Mens Senior Fours:

1st. Deal 2nd. BTC B 3rd. Herne Bay

BTC Crew: M. Hume, P. Lindley, M. Bailey, A. Giles (Str.), W. Harrison (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior/Senior Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. Hastings. 3rd. Folkestone.

Winning Crew: J. Rood, S. Logan, N. Seward, J. Smith (Cox), K. Rayment (Str.). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Fours:

1st. SHANKLIN 2nd. Hastings 3rd. RYDE

Winning Crew: T. Ould, M. Thompson, M. Young, I. Hayden (Str.) J. Thompson (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Novice Fours:

1st. Herne Bay 2nd. Deal 3rd. Deal

1st Hants & Dorset crew 4th - SOUTHSEA. No Hants & Dorset Point awarded.

Ladies Senior Fours:

1st. WORTHING 2nd. Dover 3rd. SOUTHAMPTON

Winning Crew: J. Wilcock, J. Collis, S. Upton, J. Russell (Str.), - (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Junior Fours:

1st. Shoreham 2nd. VOSPERS 3rd. Bexhill.

Vospers Crew: S. Foad, L. Nokes, S. Hunt, K. Green (Str.), K. Spencer-Fleet (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Novice Fours:

1st. BTC 2nd. WESTOVER 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: L. Adams, R. Gannaway, G. Young, T. McConnell (Str.), W. Harrison (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Pairs:

1st. Shoreham 2nd. Bexhill 3rd. POOLE

First H&D Crew: M. Heard, P. Jacobs (Str.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked] H&D point withheld - complete crew changed.

Mens Junior Pairs:

1st. Hastings 2nd. Shoreham 3rd. Bexhill.

1st Hants & Dorset Crew 4th - SOUTHAMPTON. Crew: M. hansford, G. Cook (Str.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Pairs:

1st. Dover 2nd. WORTHING 3rd. RYDE

Worthing Crew: S. Upton, J. Collis. (Str.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. -/Herne Bay 2nd. Gisborne/SOUTHSEA.

3rd. Chalk/LYMINGTON [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. -/Deal 2nd. -/Herne Bay.

3rd. Donovan/SOUTHSEA. No H&D point awarded. Not Registered.

REGATTA RESULTS FROM: SWANAGE.

HELD ON : SATURDAY, 26th JULY, 1997.

Mens Senior Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. BTC 3rd. VOSPERS

Winning Crew: L. Rayment, M. Stubbs, G. Seward, M. Coffin (Str.) K.

Stubbs (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior/Senior Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. RYDE 3rd. CHRISTCHURCH

Winning Crew: J. Rood, S. Logan, N. Seward, J. Smith (Str.), K. Rayment (Cox) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Fours:

1st. RYDE 2nd. SHANKLIN 3rd. SOUTHAMPTON

Winning Crew: W. Peters, K. Hewison, D. Pivonka, L. Morey (Str.) M. Bull (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Novice Fours:

1st. SOUTHSEA A 2nd. SOUTHSEA B 3rd. LYMINGTON

Winning Crew: M. Stafford, D. Edwards, G. Miller, G. Leather (Cox), - (Str.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Fours:

1st. SOUTHAMPTON 2nd. POOLE 3rd. BTC

Winning Crew: H. O'Malley, A. Gregory, E. Butler, E. Harding (Str.), N. Freeman (Cox). [No Point Claimed] Crew names assumed.

Ladies Junior Fours:

1st. CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. VOSPERS 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: J. Hart, L. Edmunds, F. Kenway, A. Klaver (Str.), - (Cox), [Point Claimed] [Names Checked]

Ladies Novice Fours:

1st. WESTOVER 2nd. RYDE 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: E. Vero, J. Drew, L. Edwards, A. McIvor (str), S. James (cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Pairs:

1st. POOLE 2nd. LYMINGTON 3rd. SOUTHSEA

Winning Crew: M. Heard, P. Jacobs (Str.). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Pairs:

1st. POOLE 2nd. SOUTHAMPTON 3rd. WESTOVER

Winning Crew: R. Wilson, S. Tattesall (Str.). [Pt.Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Pairs:

1st. RYDE 2nd. SOUTHAMPTON 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: L. Hewison, E. Lloyd-Jennings (Str.). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Chalk/LYMINGTON 2nd. Gisborne/SOUTHSEA

3rd. Hollis/SOUTHSEA [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Osborne/SOUTHSEA 2nd. Mullins/LYMINGTON

3rd. Stear/SOUTHSEA. NO POINT AWARDED - ONLY 2 CLUBS ENTERED.

Ladies Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Fitzsimmons/CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. Walters/SHANKLIN

3rd. James/LYMINGTON [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

REGATTA RESULTS FROM: BOURNEMOUTH

HELD ON : SATURDAY, 2nd AUGUST, 1997.

Mens Senior Fours:

1st. BTC 2nd. COALPORTERS 3rd. LYMINGTON

Winning Crew: M. Hume, P. Lindley, M. Bailey, A. Giles (Str.), W.

Harrison (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior/Senior Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. WESTOVER 3rd. CHRISTCHURCH

Winning Crew: J. Rood, S. Logan, N. Seward, J. Smith (Str.) K. Rayment (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Fours:

1st. RYDE 2nd. SHANKLIN 3rd. WESTOVER

Winning Crew: W. Peters, K. Hewison, D. Pivonka, L. Morey (Str.), M. Bull

(Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Novice Fours:

1st. SOUTHSEA 2nd. CHRISTCHURCH 3rd. CHRISTCHURCH

Winning Crew: F. Khedadi, B. Johnson, C. Lee, T. Marshall (Str.), -

(Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked].

Ladies Senior Fours:

1st. WORTHING 2nd. SOUTHAMPTON 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: J. Wilcock, J. Collis, S. Upton, J. Russell (Str.), -

(Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Junior Fours:

1st. CHRISTCHURCH 2nd. VOSPERS 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: J. Hart, L. Edmunds, F. Kenway, A. Klaver (Str.), K. Leaver

(Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Novice Fours:

1st. RYDE 2nd. POOLE 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: A. west, A. Hall, A. Leath, L. Young (Str.), S. Salter

(Str.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Pairs:

1st. POOLE 2nd. LYMINGTON 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: M. Heard, P. Jacobs (Str.) [*Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Pairs:

1st. SOUTHSEA 2nd. SOUTHAMPTON 3rd. WESTOVER

Winning Crew: M. Bonner, C. Mendes (Str.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Pairs:

1st. WORTHING 2nd. SOUTHAMPTON 3rd. RYDE

Winning Crew: S. Upton, J. Collis (Str.). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

lst. Gisborne/SOUTHSEA 2nd. Chalk/LYMINGTON

3rd. Hollis/SOUTHSEA. [Names Checked]

Mens Junior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Osborne/SOUTHSEA 2nd. Phillips/LYMINGTON

3rd. -/Hastings. [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

REGATTA RESULTS FROM: CHRISTCHURCH.

HELD ON : 16th AUGUST, 1997.

Mens Senior Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. BTC A.

Winning Crew: L. Rayment, M. Stubbs, G. Seward, M. Coffin (Str.) K. Srtubbs (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior/Senior Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS

2nd. WESTOVER

Winning Crew: J. Rood, S. Logan, N. Seward, J. Smith (Str.), K. Rayment (Cox) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Fours:

1st. SHANKLIN

2nd. SOUTHAMPTON

Winning Crew: T. Ould, M. Thompson, M. Young, I. Hayden (Str.), K. Stubbs (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Novice Fours:

1st. CHRISTCHURCH

2nd. COALPORTERS

Winning Crew: K. Harris, I. Hopkins, C. Clarke, N. Hollingsworth (Str.), - (Cox) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Fours:

1st. CHRISTCHURCH

2nd. LYMINGTON

Winning Crew: M. Orton, A. Fitzsimmons, R. Keeling, C. Wagner (Str.), - (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Junior Fours:

1st. CHRISTCHURCH

2nd. VOSPERS

Winning Crew: J. Hart, L. Edmonds, F. Kenway, A. Kleaver (Str.), - (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Novice Fours:

1st. BTC

2nd. RYDE

Winning Crew: L. Adams, R. Gannaway, C. Young, T. McConnell (Str.), W. Harrison (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Note: Two boat racing/no small boats.

REGATTA RESULTS FROM: BTC REGATTA.

HELD ON : 23rd AUGUST, 1997.

Mens Senior Fours:

1st. BTC 2nd. COALPORTERS 3rd. City of Oxford. Winning Crew: M. Hume, P. Lindley, M. Bailey, A. Giles (Str.), W.

Harrison (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior/Senior Fours:

1st. COALPORTERS 2nd. WESTOVER 3rd. Hastings Winning Crew: J. Rood, S. Logan, N. Seward, J. Smith (Str.), K. Rayment

(Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Fours:

1st. RYDE 2nd. SHANKLIN 3rd. VOSPERS

Winning Crew: W. Peters, K. Hewison, D. Pivonka, L. Morey (Str.), M. Bull (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Novice Fours:

1st. BTC 2nd. CHRISTCHURCH 3rd. COALPORTERS

Winning Crew: G. Edwards, S. Duffin, J. Gannaway, M. Hume (Str.) D. King (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Fours:

1st. SHANKLIN 2nd. BTC 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: A. How, C. Tarpey, T. Farr, L. Walters (Str.) K. Stubbs (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Junior Fours:

1st. LYMINGTON 2nd. BTC A 3rd. BTC B Winning Crew: M. Sloper, M. Young, H. Cracknell, S. Bird (Str.), L. Viner (Cox). Only two Clubs competed (BTC & Lymington) No point awarded.

Ladies Novice Fours:

1st. RYDE 2nd. SHANKLIN 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: A. West, N. Hall, A. Leath, L. Younf (Str.), S. Salter (Cox). [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Pairs:

1st. LYMINGTON 2nd. BTC 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: T. Bull, N. Fagan (Str.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Pairs:

1st. SOUTHSEA 2nd. SOUTHAMPTON 3rd. COALPORTERS

Winning Crew: M. Banner, C. Menezies (Str.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Senior Pairs:

1st. WORTHING 2nd. Sheffield 3rd. POOLE

Winning Crew: S. Upton, J. Collis (Str.) [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Senior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Gisborne/SOUTHSEA 2nd. Hollis/SOUTHSEA

3rd. C. Phillips/LYMINGTON [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Mens Junior Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Osborne/SOUTHSEA 2nd. Knight/Hastings

3rd. S. Phillips/LYMINGTON [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

Ladies Sculls: (Sculler/CLUB)

1st. Walters/SOUTHSEA 2nd. James/LYMINGTON

3rd. Twyman/NEWPORT. [Point Claimed][Names Checked]

The Association Secretaries Report on the 1997 Southcoast Championship Regatta, staged by the Coast ARA, at Bexhill, East Sussex, on Saturday, 20th September, 1997.

The Coast Amateur Rowing Association hosted the 41st South Coast Rowing Championships, on Saturday 20th September, with the event staged at Bexhill, East Sussex and based around the local Bexhill Rowing Club.

The three weeks prior to the Championships, following the last Hants & Dorset Regatta at BTC, were among the most difficult and frustrating for the Associations Executive Officers who had to deal with a number of issues involving the Associations selected representative crews – and make decisions that would inevitably upset some of our member Clubs. Two of our selected representative crews – the Christchurch Senior Ladies Crew and the Vospers Junior Ladies Crew – experienced the withdrawal of crew members which ultimately led to neither crew competing at the Championships, although in the Vospers case efforts to resolve the delicate situation continued right up to the morning of the Regatta. As these two crews were both selected by an Association delegates meeting and there was no opportunity to re-convene this meeting to consider the problems an explanation, as part of this report, of the circumstances and decisions taken by your executive officers is justified.

In the case of the Christchurch Senior Ladies Crew the decision at the BTC Executive meeting was that Christchurch and Shanklin should rowoff for the remaining place but Shanklin withdrew the following day and therefore Christchurch were offered the place. Unfortunately one of their crew members was unable to compete and they did not have another Senior Lady who had competed for and was registered for the Club in 1997. In fairness to the other Hants & Dorset Clubs who had boated a Senior Ladies Crew during the season and in line with the Associations rules on registration the Executive Officers insisted that Christchurch boat a crew of members registered with the Club for the 1997 season - they were unable to do this and withdrew the crew. The position was then re-offered to Shanklin, under the same conditions but they were also unable to boat a crew and so the position was offered to all the other Hants & Dorset Clubs who had boated a Senior Ladies Crew during the season. Ryde, Poole, Vospers and Coalporters declined the opportunity - and BTC and Lymington agreed to row-off for the slot. Lymington subsequently withdrew and therefore BTC were given the the final representative position and there support of Association, the in difficult and clearly unfavourable circumstances should be acknowledged.

The Vospers Junior Ladies Crew suffered an injury to one of their crew members around a week before the Championships but it was not clear if the oarswomen in question would recover in time – with Vospers remaining optimistic. Consideration of a possible replacement should the need arise, was once again limited by the number of registered Vospers Ladies members – your Executive Officers having no choice but to reaffirm the rules enforced against Christchurch and Shanklin and

insist that any replacement should have been registered with the Association prior to the end of the Hants & Dorset season - which would mean Vospers using a Novice if a replacement was required. The withdrawal of the crew members was not confirmed until fairly late on the Friday evening before the Championships Regatta - and on the morning of the Regatta Vospers advised the Executive members that they were unable to provide a qualifying replacement and withdrew the crew. This was most unfortunate as the indications had been that a suitable Novice Oarswomen would cover for the injured person - and it was clearly to late to find a replacement crew - so for the first time since I have been Association Secretary the Hants & Dorset ARA failed to boat two representative crews in each of the Championship events.

These unfortunate circumstances forced difficult decisions on both your Executive Officers and the Clubs involved - and clearly there is a chance that some will not agree with the decisions taken - although your Executive Officers believe they have been consistent and faithful to the Rules of the Association as defined by the member Clubs and Regatta's. I also feel that their is a lesson to be learnt for potential Championship representative crews - in that Clubs must take a view on the possibility of a substitute being required and to make plans accordingly and ensure that suitable registrations have been made.

Turning to the Championship Regatta itself, again there was much frustration and disappointment caused this time by the atrocious conditions that prevailed on the day. The administration of the event was certainly an improvement on Bidiford although I still find it annoying that as Association Secretary I do not receive copies of the information sent to the Clubs. The reception on the Friday evening was well organised and well attended and the Championship draw was given some priority although the PA system and method employed left a little to be desired. The Regatta itself appeared to be well organised although there was concern expressed about the alternative course at Eastbourne, which, as proved to be the case, never appeared to be a viable alternative. There has been - and no doubt there will be much more discussion - on the decisions taken on the morning of the Regatta. Was the delayed start really necessary, could the course have been shortened, should the Sunday have been used etc.. - such questions and the decisions taken are easy to dispute with hindsight but I know only to well from my own experience how difficult these decisions can be to reach on the day. From the shore, some argued the conditions were no worse than other coastal Regatta's - but my discussions after the racing with a couple of the Umpires and some of the crews who competed showed how close we came to a complete cancellation and how perhaps we were fortunate to complete even the Championship races let alone any of the open or invitation events. All this debate is now academic, apart from any lessons learned, the decision by the Organising Committee and the Officials was first to delay the start of the Regatta by several hours and then with no real improvement in the conditions and a worse forecast for the Sunday to just stage the Championship races.

Clearly the results of the Championship races were a major disappointment to the Hants & Dorset ARA - although I suspect the conditions played a significant part in the Coast ARA successes. Certainly the winning Deal Men's Senior crew in the race for the

Bidiford Bowl mastered the conditions better than anyone on the day and with their B crew, the other CARA representatives, finishing second proved they were a Club well able to adapt their style and technique to suit the conditions that prevailed. The two Hants & Dorset representative crews put up a brave fight - Coalporters finishing third and BTC fourth - but they were never able to match the Deal crews performances.

The Men's Junior Senior Championship was the one triumph for a Hants & Dorset Clubs as, as expected, the Association Champions, Coalporters, proved to be to good for any of the opposition including the other Hants & Dorset representatives, Westover - who also had an excellent race and finished second ahead of the CARA Champions from Hastings. These two crews proved that regardless of the conditions it is possible to adapt your style and to win through.

The Shanklin Junior Crew also rowed an excellent race and went so close to success - with a couple of hundred meters to go they led Hastings, the Coast Champions by around a length and appeared more than capable of holding on - then a couple of huge waves - that struck them and not Hastings - and stopped them dead - allowing the CARA crew to snatch victory - a case where than can be little doubt that the conditions and some luck, determined the result. The BTC crew, the Hants & Dorset second representatives showed great courage - and a return to their earlier season form to finish a creditable third,

In the Ladies Senior Fours the Hants & Dorset crews of Southampton and BTC were clearly unable to adapt their technique to suit the conditions and finished fourth and sixth respectively – the Championship being won by the Hants & Dorset Champions – but CARA representatives – Worthing with Dover second and Exeter third – the highest placed West of England Club in the Championship events. BTC deserve a special mention for putting forward a crew at very short notice to ensure the Association was fully represented.

With the unfortunate withdrawal of the Vospers crew the Association only had one representative in the Ladies Junior fours, the Hants & Dorset Champions - from Christchurch. They put up a good performance in what must have been awkward conditions for a Club as perhaps more used to river rowing than Coastal and they finished in second place - the CARA Champions, Shoreham winning with Bexhill third.

Although no open or invitation events took place it is interesting to note that that Hants & Dorset crews, including the Championships, represented 50% of the entries, with 70 entries against an entry of 55 from the Coast and just 15 from the West of England. I am sure the West of England would have some thing to say if only 15 Hants & Dorset crews enter the Championship, Open and Invitation events at Falmouth next year!

As already stated I feel the conditions had a significant effect on the results and that our representative crews performances would have been substantially better in calmer waters and we would have achieved more than the one win. Equally I feel had the open and invitation races taken place there was an excellent chance for several Association wins. However we have to give credit where it is due and with the exception of the Coalporters Junior Senior Crew the CARA

representative crews performed better in the conditions on the day. I am confident our Association Clubs will learn from this experience and produce a strong challenge for honours at the 1998 event at Flamouth.

Stephen C. Bull, Association Secretary,

8 October 1997.

SOUTHCOAST CHAMPIONSHIP REGATTA - 1997.

Staged by the Coast Amateur Rowing Association, at Bexhill, West Sussex on 20th September, 1997.

RESULTS. [Hants & Dorset Clubs in Capitals].

Championship Events.

MENS'S SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP:

1st: Deal A/CARA. 2nd: Deal B/CARA

3rd: SOUTHAMPTON COALPORTERS/HANTS & DORSET ARA.

[4th: BTC ROWING CLUB/HANTS & DORSET ARA.

MENS'S JUNIOR SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP:

1st: SOUTHAMPTON COALPORTERS/HANTS & DORSET ARA. 2nd: WESTOVER & BOURNEMOUTH R. C./HANTS & DORSET ARA.

3rd: Hastings/CARA.

MENS'S JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP:

1st: Hastings/CARA.

2nd: SANDOWN SHANKLIN R. C./HANTS & DORSET ARA.

3rd: BTC ROWING CLUB/HANTS & DORSET ARA.

LADIES'S SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP:

1st: Worthing A. R. C/CARA.

2nd: SOUTHAMPTON A. R. C./HANTS & DORSET ARA.

3rd: Exeter R. C./WofEARA.

[5th: BTC ROWING CLUB/HANTS & DORSET ARA.]

LADIES'S JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP:

1st: Shoreham R. C./CARA.

2nd: CHRISTCHURCH R. C./HANTS & DORSET ARA.

3rd: Bexhill R. C./CARA,

The H&DARA only had one representative in the Junior Ladies.

BASS AGGREGATE SHIELD: THE COAST AMATEUR ROWING ASSOCIATION.

Open and Invitation Events.

All the Open and Invitation events were cancelled due to the weather conditions.

AS A RESULT OF THE ABOVE <u>SOUTHAMPTON COALPORTERS A. R. C</u>. became the first recipients of the ARCHIE FRASER MEMORIAL TROPHY for the most successful Hants & Dorset Club in all events at the South Coast Championship Regatta.

Hants & Dorset ARA Championship Entries for the 1997 South Coast Championship Regatta, to be held on Saturday, September 20th, at Bexhill on Sea, East Sussex, and staged by the Coast Amateur Rowing Association.

MENS SENIOR FOURS.

BTC ROWING CLUB.

Crew: M. Hume, P. Lindley, M. Bailey, A. Giles (str), W. Harrison (cox).

SOUTHAMPTON COALPORTERS AMATEUR ROWING CLUB. Crew: L. Rayment, M. Stubbs, G. Seward, M. Coffin (str), K. Stubbs (cox).

MENS JUNIOR SENIOR FOURS.

SOUTHAMPTON COALPORTERS ROWING CLUB. Crew: J. Rood, S. Logan, N. Seward, J. Smith (str), K. Rayment (cox).

WESTOVER & BOURNEMOUTH ROWING CLUB. Crew: J. Moore, J. MacFarlane, G. Wills, T. O'Brien (str), G. Jordan (cox).

MENS JUNIOR FOURS.

SHANKLIN SANDOWN ROWING CLUB.

Crew: T. Ould, M. Thompson, M. Young, I. Hayden (str), J. Thompson (cox).

BTC ROWING CLUB.

Crew: R. Woodhouse, P. Willams, L. Lake, S. Weaver (str), J. Bailey (cox).

LADIES SENIOR FOURS.

SOUTHAMPTON AMATEUR ROWING CLUB.

Crew: H. O'Malley, A. Gregory, L. Butler, L. Harding (str), M. Freeman (cox).

BTC ROWING CLUB.

Crew: V. Bligh, N. Greenwood, J. Mooney, K. Hume (str), D. King (cox).

LADIES JUNIOR FOURS.

CHRISTCHURCH ROWING CLUB.

Crew: K. McArther, L. Edmunds, F. Kenway, A. Klaver (str), K. Leaver (cox).

The Vospers Amateur Rowing Club were the second selected representative at Junior Ladies but withdrew on the morning of the Regatta as they were unable to boat a crew.

S. C. Bull, Association Secretary. 13th September, 1997.