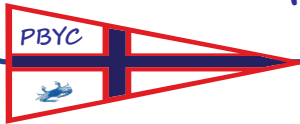




Port Bouvard Yacht Club  
April 2024



The last race of the season was sailed in very pleasant conditions. It was the first time we had sailed across the Estuary with the windward mark set at the entrance to the cut. It was great to see three trailer sailers on the water. Close racing between Colin and Luke on the Flying 15s also made for an interesting spectacle. In addition it was great to see some of our new members competing and enjoying themselves.

This Season has been a very busy one with racing almost very weekend as well as the Windrush state titles and the platform race occurring within a few weeks of each other.

Finally on a personal note I would like to express my gratitude to the members of the PBVC committee. Their efforts and commitment has been outstanding and this was reflected in the success of the 2023-24 sailing season.

Norm Snell  
Commodore

**Club presentation night**

We are planning to hold a presentation night for the different classes at a date to be finalised, hopefully in May. Currently Jason is looking into different venues so keep an eye out for an email confirming this. A special thanks to Phil for wrestling with the race results software and keeping track of the results.



**Renewal of hardstand storage**

Those members who currently have a boat stored at the Club will have received a storage form for the 2024 -2025 period. Storage runs from July to June each year and is conditional on the approval of the PBVC committee.

This form needs to be returned by May so we can start planning for the coming season. Currently we have several people on a waiting list so storage is at a premium.

Thankyou to all of those members who have returned their forms. Your continued storage is confirmed.

If your form has been lost in all the emails you receive please contact the club on [pbvcsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:pbvcsecretary@gmail.com)

**Busy Bee**

We are planning to conduct a busy bee on Sturday May 18th starting at 9.00AM. There are a number of jobs that need to be done and having a good turnup would be greatly appreciated.

We will need you to bring shovels, rakes and general gardening equipment.

Hopefully most of the work will be finished by about 1.00PM. We will have a sausage sizzle and a few drinks to finish off the day.



**Marine hazard**

Those members who have been down the club recently will notice a large powerboat has run aground just in front of the club. The DOT was approached a couple of years ago and this type of incident was raised. If the owner fails to remove it, it will drastically affect our ability to launch and retrieve our boats. We are currently working to have it removed.

