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The main purpose of this newsletter is to circulate the Notices of Motion prior to the A.G.M. I have taken this opportunity to include a report and results of the Victorian State Titles. I'm looking forward to Queensland in January and encourage all owners to make a special effort to come. It should be a great regatta and a great holiday.

Regards,



Simon J. Walsh. BM
President.

<p>For Sale</p> <p>LINDY LOU MK3</p> <p>North Rig Goldspar Mast \$14,000 Gary Slater Ph 052 315804</p>

RL24 VICTORIAN TITLES 1995/96 HOSTED BY LOCH SPORT BOAT CLUB

On the weekend of November 4th & 5th 1995 the Loch Sport Boat Club hosted the Victorian Titles for the RL24 Association. We were happy that the Association had a great time in February 1994 and wished to come back again. Seventeen yachts entered the titles, 12 in drop keel division and 5 in swing keel division. Personal Handicap was for overall divisions. Three other RL24's visited Loch Sport over the weekend but did not compete.

Saturdays weather was perfect:

Heat 1

COURSE - Olympic approx 1.5k legs

WIND dir - SSE 5-7 knots

TIME TO COMPLETE - approx 2.5hrs

Heat 2

COURSE - Olympic approx 1.5k legs

WIND dir - SSE 7-14 knots

TIME TO COMPLETE - approx 2 hrs

Heat 3 & 4 was cancelled by sailing committee due to a gale warning being issued late Sunday morning.

The wet weather did not dampen too many spirits and many partied on from the night before.

The club received a promo for the RL24 Titles on Win TV

In Drop keel Simon and his crew on Ohau Rua proved once again hard to beat, but close times were recorded by the crews on Colac yachts Slippery When Wet and Pipe Dream.

Swing keel division was Alicia 2 from Burwood followed by Colac yacht Lindy Lou and Bendigo yacht Shamrok.

We look forward to seeing all the RL24 Owners back in Loch Sport again soon.

By Mary Jones
Loch Sport Sailing Subcommittee

NOTICE OF MOTIONAGM RL 24 OWNERS ASSOCIATION

MOVED: M. SHANNON
SECONDED: K. HACKETT

1. That this association supports the development for open racing only of the RL 24 Sports Class.
2. That a subcommittee be formed to investigate modifications to Rules regarding:-
 - (a) Spinnaker Pole
 - (b) Spinnaker Area
 - (c) Spinnaker Shape
 - (d) Working Sail Area
 - (e) Hikingand report to the General Committee prior to the commencement of the 1996 - 97 season.
3. That the general committee be authorised to approve such changes for open racing for 1 season only.
4. That any such changes be submitted to the next Annual General Meeting for ratification.

DISCUSSION

In recent years a number of new lightweight planing trailable yachts have been introduced on to the market. These yachts are being grouped by an increasing number of race organisers into a separate sport division. In Victoria a separate "Sport" circuit is already in operation.

The intent of this motion is to enable owners to uniformly and SAFELY develop the class so that it will remain competitive in open racing but be readily converted back to the standard RL 24 for class racing.

The RL 24 Sport would be additional to and not replace the Swing Keel and Drop Keel divisions.

Possible changes would include a modest increase in working sail area, a significant increase in spinnaker area, and the use of asymmetric spinnakers set off a retractable pole and the use of a trapeze or hiking frame.

There would be NO alteration to the basic hull, deck weight or mast length.

Notice of Motion
A.G.M. RL24 Owners Association.

Moved; P. MacKay
Seconded; S. Walsh

THE HIKING RULE (12) BE AMENDED TO READ

: - No trapeze or similar device be used. Hiking **is** permitted provided that when hiking in the transverse position no part of the crews body between the knee and the feet shall be outboard of the sheerline. When hiking in the longitudinal position at least one full arm and one full leg shall be above the gunnel.

DISCUSSION; Although our ability to hike in openailable events has become accepted by the majority of competitors, a fair amount of the interest is being generated about how we hike. The position that a crew adopts to hike should be as comfortable and effective as possible and some opponents believe that these positions contravene our own class rules.

ie-) Swinging from the handrail in the longitudinal direction puts part of your second arm outside the sheerline.

ie-) Dropping your bottom onto the hull to have a rest when swinging from toe straps places half of your thigh outside the sheerline.

The proposed rewording of this rule allows greater flexibility, comfort, crew safety and less exposure to protest.

Notice of Motion
A.G.M. RL24 Owners Association

Moved. S. Walsh
Seconded. P. MacKay

: - That Non owners / crew be accepted as associate members of the Association and receive newsletters and other correspondence. An associate member would pay half the normal membership fee but would have no voting rights.

BACKGROUND - This proposal would increase membership numbers, increase revenue and give crew members greater interest and input into the association.

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Results by Division Low Point Scoring

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Division 1		Scratch Results						Heat No. 1	
Pos.	Sail No.	Class	Skipper	Boat Name	Yard	E.Time	C.Time	Points	Pos.
1	199	RL24DK	S.Walsh	Ohau Rua	109.00	106.80	97.98	0.75	1
2	808	RL24DK	P.McKay	Slippery Wet	109.00	107.00	98.17	2.00	2
3	454	RL24DK	R.Edwards	Pipe Dream	109.00	107.45	98.58	3.00	3
4	427	RL24DK	M.Shannon	Lowana 6	109.00	107.70	98.81	4.00	4
5	402	RL24DK	D.Lewis	Lowana 5	109.00	110.30	101.19	5.00	5
6	152	RL24DK	B.Castles	Pegasus	109.00	111.33	102.14	6.00	6
7	600	RL24DK	R.Corben	Cosmic Sedso	109.00	111.95	102.71	7.00	7
8	231	RL24DK	K.Griffiths	Splice	109.00	112.30	103.03	8.00	8
9	307	RL24DK	T.Jones	Casper	109.00	112.68	103.38	9.00	9
10	415	RL24DK	J.Germaine	Radical Lady	109.00	114.03	104.62	10.00	10
11	552	RL24DK	R.Slater	Crackerjack	109.00	114.13	104.71	11.00	11
12	244	RL24DK	R.Armstrong	Solace	109.00	150.75	138.30	12.00	12

Division 2		Scratch Results						Heat No. 1	
Pos.	Sail No.	Class	Skipper	Boat Name	Yard	E.Time	C.Time	Points	Pos.
1	338	RL24SK	L.Browne	Alicia 2	115.00	115.15	100.13	0.75	1
2	222	RL24SK	G.Slater	Lindy Lou	115.00	115.83	100.72	2.00	2
3	207	RL24SK	P.Gaudion	Shamrock	115.00	121.30	105.48	3.00	3
4	103	RL24SK	A.Cuthbertson	Toucan	115.00	125.87	109.45	4.00	4
5	113	RL24SK	J.Williams	Finisterre	115.00	142.25	123.70	5.00	5

Total Entries 17 YachtMaster by Sportcomp Australia, P.O. Box 1096, Swan Hill 3585.

Division 1		Handicap Results						Heat No. 1	
Pos.	Sail No.	Class	Skipper	Boat Name	Hcap	E.Time	C.Time	Points	Pos.
1	808	RL24DK	P.McKay	Slippery Wet	109.32	107.00	97.88	0.75	1
2	600	RL24DK	R.Corben	Cosmic Sedso	111.22	111.95	100.66	2.00	2
3	222	RL24SK	G.Slater	Lindy Lou	114.24	115.83	101.40	3.00	3
4	152	RL24DK	B.Castles	Pegasus	108.97	111.33	102.17	4.00	4
5	402	RL24DK	D.Lewis	Lowana 5	106.83	110.30	103.25	5.00	5
6	552	RL24DK	R.Slater	Crackerjack	110.35	114.13	103.43	6.00	6
7	454	RL24DK	R.Edwards	Pipe Dream	103.52	107.45	103.80	7.00	7
8	307	RL24DK	T.Jones	Casper	108.17	112.68	104.17	8.00	8
9	427	RL24DK	M.Shannon	Lowana 6	102.44	107.70	105.13	9.00	9
10	338	RL24SK	L.Browne	Alicia 2	109.25	115.15	105.40	10.00	10
11	231	RL24DK	K.Griffiths	Splice	106.12	112.30	105.82	11.00	11
12	103	RL24SK	A.Cuthbertson	Toucan	117.36	125.87	107.25	12.00	12
13	199	RL24DK	S.Walsh	Ohau Rua	99.27	106.80	107.58	13.00	13
14	415	RL24DK	J.Germaine	Radical Lady	103.55	114.03	110.12	14.00	14
15	207	RL24SK	P.Gaudion	Shamrock	109.25	121.30	111.03	15.00	15
16	113	RL24SK	J.Williams	Finisterre	109.25	142.25	130.21	16.00	16
17	244	RL24DK	R.Armstrong	Solace	103.55	150.75	145.58	17.00	17

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Pos.	Sail No.	Class	Skipper	Boat Name	Yard	E.Time	C.Time	Points	Pos.
1	199	RL24DK	S.Walsh	Ohau Rua	109.00	99.83	91.59	0.75	1
2	454	RL24DK	R.Edwards	Pipe Dream	109.00	100.52	92.22	2.00	2
3	427	RL24DK	M.Shannon	Lowana 6	109.00	103.53	94.98	3.00	3
4	152	RL24DK	B.Castles	Pegasus	109.00	104.20	95.60	4.00	4
5	808	RL24DK	P.McKay	Slippery Wet	109.00	105.20	96.51	5.00	5
6	415	RL24DK	J.Germaine	Radical Lady	109.00	107.25	98.39	6.00	6
7	231	RL24DK	K.Griffiths	Splice	109.00	107.28	98.43	7.00	7
8	402	RL24DK	D.Lewis	Lowana 5	109.00	107.72	98.82	8.00	8
9	307	RL24DK	T.Jones	Casper	109.00	108.68	99.71	9.00	9
10	552	RL24DK	R.Slater	Crackerjack	109.00	108.95	99.95	10.00	10
11	600	RL24DK	R.Corben	Cosmic Sedso	109.00	109.77	100.70	11.00	11
	244	RL24DK	R.Armstrong	Solace	109.00	DNS		13.00	

Division 2			Scratch Results					Heat No. 2	
Pos.	Sail No.	Class	Skipper	Boat Name	Yard	E.Time	C.Time	Points	Pos.
1	338	RL24SK	L.Browne	Alicia 2	115.00	112.43	97.77	0.75	1
2	222	RL24SK	G.Slater	Lindy Lou	115.00	115.78	100.68	2.00	2
3	207	RL24SK	P.Gaudion	Shamrock	115.00	118.45	103.00	3.00	3
4	103	RL24SK	A.Cuthbertson	Toucan	115.00	123.37	107.28	4.00	4
5	113	RL24SK	J.Williams	Finisterre	115.00	132.17	114.93	5.00	5

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Division 1			Handicap Results					Heat No. 2	
Pos.	Sail No.	Class	Skipper	Boat Name	Hcap	E.Time	C.Time	Points	Pos.
1	152	RL24DK	B.Castles	Pegasus	108.29	104.20	96.23	0.75	1
2	454	RL24DK	R.Edwards	Pipe Dream	102.93	100.52	97.65	2.00	2
3	808	RL24DK	P.McKay	Slippery Wet	107.20	105.20	98.13	3.00	3
4	552	RL24DK	R.Slater	Crackerjack	109.92	108.95	99.12	4.00	4
5	600	RL24DK	R.Corben	Cosmic Sedso	110.20	109.77	99.61	5.00	5
6	307	RL24DK	T.Jones	Casper	107.90	108.68	100.72	6.00	6
7	231	RL24DK	K.Griffiths	Splice	106.19	107.28	101.03	7.00	7
8	427	RL24DK	M.Shannon	Lowana 6	102.37	103.53	101.13	8.00	8
9	199	RL24DK	S.Walsh	Ohau Rua	98.67	99.83	101.18	9.00	9
10	402	RL24DK	D.Lewis	Lowana 5	106.38	107.72	101.26	10.00	10
11	222	RL24SK	G.Slater	Lindy Lou	113.35	115.78	102.14	11.00	11
12	415	RL24DK	J.Germaine	Radical Lady	104.46	107.25	102.67	12.00	12
13	338	RL24SK	L.Browne	Alicia 2	109.23	112.43	102.93	13.00	13
14	103	RL24SK	A.Cuthbertson	Toucan	117.75	123.37	104.77	14.00	14
15	207	RL24SK	P.Gaudion	Shamrock	110.40	118.45	107.29	15.00	15
16	113	RL24SK	J.Williams	Finisterre	114.37	132.17	115.56	16.00	16
	244	RL24DK	R.Armstrong	Solace	108.73	DNS		18.00	

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Mail No.	Class	Skipper	Boat Name	Scratch Results		Progressive	
				1	2	Points	Pos.
199	RL24DK	S.Walsh	Ohau Rua	1	1	1.50	1
454	RL24DK	R.Edwards	Pipe Dream	3	2	5.00	2
808	RL24DK	P.McKay	Slippery Wet	2	5	7.00	3
427	RL24DK	M.Shannon	Lowana 6	4	3	7.00	4
152	RL24DK	B.Castles	Pegasus	6	4	10.00	5
402	RL24DK	D.Lewis	Lowana 5	5	8	13.00	6
231	RL24DK	K.Griffiths	Splice	8	7	15.00	7
415	RL24DK	J.Germaine	Radical Lady	10	6	16.00	8
600	RL24DK	R.Corben	Cosmic Sedso	7	11	18.00	9
307	RL24DK	T.Jones	Casper	9	9	18.00	10
552	RL24DK	R.Slater	Crackerjack	11	10	21.00	11
244	RL24DK	R.Armstrong	Solace	12	DNS	25.00	12

on 2

Mail No.	Class	Skipper	Boat Name	Scratch Results		Progressive	
				1	2	Points	Pos.
338	RL24SK	L.Browne	Alicia 2	1	1	1.50	1
222	RL24SK	G.Slater	Lindy Lou	2	2	4.00	2
207	RL24SK	P.Gaudion	Shamrock	3	3	6.00	3
103	RL24SK	A.Cuthbertson	Toucan	4	4	8.00	4
113	RL24SK	J.Williams	Finisterre	5	5	10.00	5

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Mail No.	Class	Skipper	Boat Name	Handicap Results		Progressive	
				1	2	Points	Pos.
808	RL24DK	P.McKay	Slippery Wet	1	3	3.75	1
152	RL24DK	B.Castles	Pegasus	4	1	4.75	2
600	RL24DK	R.Corben	Cosmic Sedso	2	5	7.00	3
454	RL24DK	R.Edwards	Pipe Dream	7	2	9.00	4
552	RL24DK	R.Slater	Crackerjack	6	4	10.00	5
222	RL24SK	G.Slater	Lindy Lou	3	11	14.00	6
307	RL24DK	T.Jones	Casper	8	6	14.00	7
402	RL24DK	D.Lewis	Lowana 5	5	10	15.00	8
427	RL24DK	M.Shannon	Lowana 6	9	8	17.00	9
231	RL24DK	K.Griffiths	Splice	11	7	18.00	10
199	RL24DK	S.Walsh	Ohau Rua	13	9	22.00	11
338	RL24SK	L.Browne	Alicia 2	10	13	23.00	12
103	RL24SK	A.Cuthbertson	Toucan	12	14	26.00	13
415	RL24DK	J.Germaine	Radical Lady	14	12	26.00	13
207	RL24SK	P.Gaudion	Shamrock	15	15	30.00	15
113	RL24SK	J.Williams	Finisterre	16	16	32.00	16
244	RL24DK	R.Armstrong	Solace	17	DNS	35.00	17

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