

ONLY 3 MORE SUNDAY SAILING SESSIONS



Message from Richard - Sunday 24th's Weather: Light winds, Rising Tide &



BART'S BASH - thanks to all who turned up in Sunday to take part in this event, a good turn out with 11 AYAC dinghies on the water, along with 3D crewed by Max, Peggy (calling in twixt Instructing in the Med & Oxford – good to see you Peggy) & Declan. James, along with sister Lucy, accompanied the fleet in his RIB (ex AYAC SeaRider), this will probably have been his final session with the Centre's fleet before taking off a wonderful 12 month long "adventure", if that's what you can call working for Musto, at all the "stop over" ports in the Volvo Round the World Race! Now the Results – Fast Fleet (20 dinghies) 2nd Roger & Nick, 4th Jamie & Riley, 9th Tony & Anne, 11th Aerial & Francesca, 13th Gareth, 14th Megan & Olivia, 16th Dave & Rob, 17th Pat & Richard, 18th Doug & William, 20th Laura & Vicky & sadly, in 20th place due problems with their Sport 14 which meant they had to retire, Tom, Barry & Sarah.

Problems before launching



WELL DONE TO ALL OF YOU WHO TOOK PART.

DONATIONS – as most of you, hopefully, will know the Andrew Simpson Foundations had decided that all money raised last Sunday will be going towards helping "grass roots" sailing groups in the British Virgin Isles get back up & running again after Hurricane Irma. I am pleased to say that £90 was put into the AYAC's "pot" but just in case anybody missed it, the "pot" will be available in the Meeting Room for a couple of weeks.

Hopefully some "action" shots, taken by James on the water, will be available on Facebook

– Richard was too busy racing in an RS 200 with Pat.

Stage 1, 2, 3 & 4 Sailors - 3 more Wednesday evening sessions – 0800 – 1915, so don't forget your Log Books & 3 more opportunities to get the "on water" skills signed off - so keep chasing your Instructors. Thanks to all AIs who are running with these sessions.

REMINDER: Full subs & Race Week fees by the end of Sept. please, if not to Jan leave in named envelopes in the Tuck tin (spare envelopes available in the tin).

NOTICE TO ALL 2016 TROPHY WINNERS – PLEASE RETURN THEM, CLEAN, AS SOON AS YOU CAN.

1 420 dinghy still available – offers in the region of £500 please, speak to any Committee Member if

Main Building reconfiguring – a deal has been struck with the Contractors who are providing & erecting the new buildings that they will provide the concrete for the steps that will be needed on the east side of the building when they put down the base for the Safety Boat shed SO watch out for details of a **Working Party** to knock together the shuttering frames for the 4 lots of steps that will be needed.

No mixing concrete - so that's a very welcome offer.

Safety Boat – the Centre STILL needs to replace the Valiant so if anybody has any ideas of a local company, business or potential wealthy benefactor who might sponsor the Centre please let us know.

PARENTS – PLEASE KEEP/SWAP YOUR BEACH DUTY SESSION – THIS HELPS EVERYONE ON THE WATER.

DRAW TICKETS ARE IN THE MEETING ROOM WAITING TO BE PICKED UP & SOLD.