

## *Solent Sunbeam Class Newsletter July 2018*

### *Lies, Damned Lies and Statistics!*

Just in case you missed it, the UK has had the hottest May on record.

I can't remember when we last had such a prolonged spell of hot weather with such light winds

ISC has just published the mid-season racing statistics and the Sunbeams have had the largest average turnout in any fleet at ISC and a 34% increase in boats racing compared to this time last year!

With our busy start lines I am sure this will not come as a surprise!

Keep up the good work!

### *Race results*

The Out of Harbour race for the Rees Reynolds trophy was won by V68 Sky beating V26 Danny to second place and V42 Penny was third.

The ever-popular Dell Quay SC Regatta was won by V26 Danny, with V25 Query and V14 Jabberwocky in second & third.

The Ladies Race for the Morris Cup was won by Jill Robinson sailing V33 Symphony. Well done Jill!

Such is the success of this event I propose to have another Ladies race on a Thursday evening in September. Watch this space!

### *Forthcoming racing*

The busy racing programme is as follows:

Sat 14 July - Bosham SC Regatta - 1120 start

Saturday 21st July - Dainty Dish - Start at 1100

[Racing instructions here.](#)

*Peter Taylor article*

Please see <https://solentsunbeam.co.uk/peter-taylor-a-life-of-sailing-sunbeams/>

*“Sunbeam in the Channel” article – Yachting World  
June 2018*

Please see <https://solentsunbeam.co.uk/sunbeam-in-the-channel-article-yachting-world-june-2018/>

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