

2008 QUEENSLAND IOM CHAMPIONSHIPS - Final

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Mackay Model Mariners

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"The Final day of racing saw the Breeze shift slightly to the South, and steadily increased during the day. PRO Tim Parker once again delayed the start until the breeze settled and finally the racing commenced, with all skippers enjoying the breeze. As the day progressed, Dave Turton kept a firm grasp on his lead and went on to win the 2008 IOM Championships, with Allan Walker, second but closely followed into third spot by Michael Bourke. The best of the Mackay locals was Col Cameron who finished with a credible 7th spot, when taking into consideration of the bad luck (weed) that seemed to be attracted to his boat and Grant Coopers Boat. Congratulations to David, he was by far the best skipper on the weekend, but a special mention to all the other skippers who showed good sportsmanship and courteous behaviour, though at times the pressure was causing a couple of headaches, however this was sorted pretty quickly, as the whole event only had 4 protests heard.

The Mackay Model Mariners have once again run an excellent event and they would like to thank the following, all the Skippers who travelled by plane, car etc from all over the state, the PRO, Mr Tim Parker from the Whitsunday Model Boat Club, and to David Black from the QRYA who provided the scoring and a special thanks to the sponsors of the prizes. Radio Yacht Supplies, BG Radio Yachts \$ Sails, Rhumbline, HEK RC Yachts, and Allfinanz & Insurance Solutions. An extra special thanks goes to all the members of the Mackay club, they all worked together to provide the assistants to the PRO & Scorers, the meals that were cooked onsite every day, and the courteous friendly manner shown to all the visitors."

" The Qld IOM Championships got underway on Saturday the 7th June with 28 Boats in Light & Variable conditions but as the day progressed the wind settled from the SE and strengthened so that racing was far more even, Dave Turton showed he still has it and had a healthy lead after the days racing. On Sunday, the wind had increased to the top end of A rig at times, with the odd shower of rain thrown in, it made for an interesting days sailing with only 2 redress protests being heard. After day 2, Dave Turton is still leading but a number of skippers are now challenging him, so the final days racing should be very interesting."



Position	Skipper	Sail #	Club/City	Hull	Freq	Score	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
1	David Turton	9	Qld	Cockatoo	40.875	46	2	4	1	1	4	5	11	2	17	1	1	2	10	4	1	2	10	1	5
2	Allan Walker	26	Qld	Cockatoo 2	2.4.GHz	66	3	3	9	6	6	7	3	1	2	2	9	4	7	7	5	7	2	4	4
3	Michael Bourke	58	Qld	Ghost	36.47	68	7	5	4	2	10	1	4	3	5	9	7	6	2	9	2	4	1	6	17
4	Grant Cooper	12	Qld	Cockatoo 2	2.4 GHz	77	9	24	2	4	2	2	5	5	16	3	16	11	9	1	4	11	5	2	2
5	Peter Morris	31	Qld	Topiko	2.4 GHz	91	5	7	7	7	1	11	12	8	1	7	5	5	14	8	7	5	4	14	3
6	Geoffrey Morris	96	Qld	Cockatoo 8	2.4 GHz	103	1	2	3	5	9	12	24	17	7	17	3	1	6	15	13	1	9	15	1
7	Colin Cameron	94	Qld	Eclipsed- HEK MKY	2.4 GHz	109	4	9	10	10	5	4	7	6	3	8	14	12	5	10	16	16	3	7	6
8	Tim Brown	184	Qld	Punki	36.33	122	6	6	16	20	18	9	10	7	11	11	2	3	1	3	12	10	8	11	12
9	Jon Wilson	20	Qld	Muntiny	2.4 GHz	147	7	1	6	11	3	3	1	10	9	10	4	8	4	16	27	27	28	28	28
10	Glenn Foley	195	Qld	Bag	2.4 GHz	148	15	12	11	9	11	13	8	12	18	12	8	9	17	13	3	3	6	3	15
11	Lindsay Walker	50	NSW	Mojo	2.4 GHz	149.5	1	8	12	18	8	12	16	22	8	15	11	15	13	5	8	6	16	5	7
12	Roger Taylor	85	Qld	Cockatoo 2	36.59	152	5	13	15	8	17	6	14	9	6	5	13	13	8	6	11	14	17	10	11
13	David Laurie	114	Qld	Mutiny	2.4 GHz	154	12	18	5	3	7	10	2	16	10	6	15	24	18	12	10	13	11	9	13
14	James Finch	33	Qld	Eclipsed- HEK MKY	2.4 GHz	159	9	21	18	13	13	8	6	13	4	4	12	10	3	11	15	15	13	18	10
15	Stephen MacBeth	61	Qld	Ghost	36.5	210	8	17	28	23	15	15	18	11	13	16	18	22	11	2	9	12	14	17	14
16	George Morphet	159	Qld	Mutiny	2.4 GHz	222	6	14	8	17	25	18	20	20	15	28	10	14	12	20	6	9	15	21	18
17	Michael Brown	199	Qld	Cockatoo	2.4 GHz	225	3	11	17	16	21	19	9	14	20	19	20	21	19	17	14	18	12	8	9
18	John Preston	6	Qld	Matrix	29.885	229	10	10	13	15	14	14	25	28	24	13	17	17	27	27	21	8	7	13	8
19	Trevor Smith	65	Qld	Eclipsed- HEK MKY	2.4 GHz	240	4	17	14	28	12	28	19	21	21	14	6	7	15	19	22	20	22	12	17
20	Ian Rhodes	17	Qld	Eclipse	2.4 GHz	261	8	22	19	12	20	16	13	4	14	22	21	23	23	14	17	21	21	17	26
21	Dean Anderson	10	Qld	TS2	36.31	300	12	19	24	21	16	21	22	28	23	18	19	18	20	21	20	17	18	19	19
22	Justin France	99	Qld	Eclipse	36.tba	314	11	23	22	24	23	20	15	23	19	20	24	19	21	27	18	19	19	22	20
23	Wayne France	29	Qld	Eclipse	36.tba	318	10	26	28	19	24	28	18	15	22	21	25	16	16	24	19	22	23	23	21
24	Graig Preston	56	Qld	Ghost	36.27	319	11	20	21	22	26	28	23	18	12	23	23	20	27	18	23	23	20	22	22
25	Tony France	175	Qld	Warchild-HEK Mackay	36.tba	361	13	25	23	25	22	22	21	19	26	24	26	25	22	22	25	27	25	25	23
26	Tony Fannin	133	Qld	Matrix	36.31	369	2	15	20	14	19	23	27	28	25	28	28	28	28	28	28	28	28	28	28
27	Darren Rassmussen	194	Qld	TS2	36.tba	394	15	28	28	28	28	24	26	28	28	28	22	28	24	23	24	24	24	24	24

