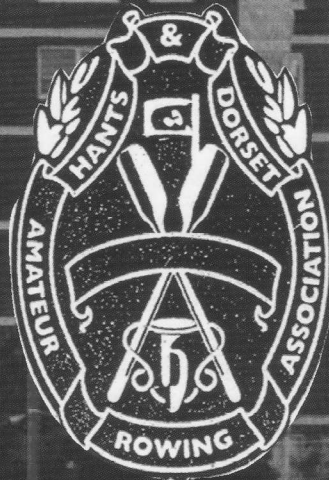
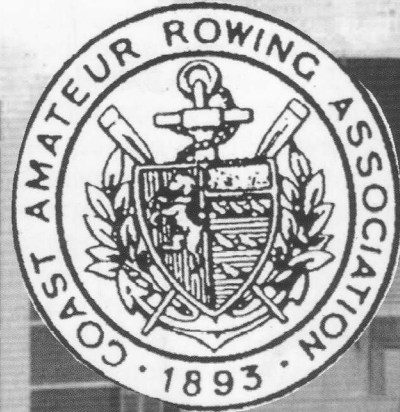
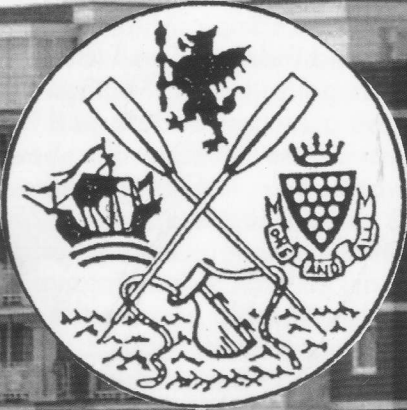


Celebrating 50 years of South Coast Rowing Championships

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Part 3.
1979 to 1992.

1979 Venue ; SHANKLIN & SANDOWN held on Saturday 8th September. Starting at 11.00 am 10p

This the 23rd South Coast Championship Regatta was hosted by the Hants & Dorset ARA here at Shanklin for the second time, and we all were hoping for better weather this time. Regatta day morning, ideal weather conditions with the wind getting stronger making conditions slightly choppy at the start by late afternoon. The first Championship race was the Junior Fours with Southampton and Herne Bay very even at halfway, but in the final run in saw Southampton pull away strongly to win by 2 lengths. The premier event for the Bideford Bowl was an exciting race throughout with the lead changing from Folkestone to Christchurch, with both crews showing good form, in the final 100 metres Christchurch pulled ahead to win by 1/2 length, a fitting climax to a great race. The Junior-Senior Championship was equally exciting and very closely contested with Deal and Ryde, neck and neck throughout. In the final few metres Ryde just had the edge, winning by 1/2 length, inflicting Deal's first defeat of the season. The Ladies Championship being held for the first time as a closed Championship, saw the hot favourites Ryde pushed closely by Southsea, but pulled away strongly to win easily. In the Open events saw a very easily win for Brighton in the Ladies, Worthing winning both Senior and Novice, while Ryde took the Junior and Southsea the J/Senior title.

Championship Events ;

SENIOR FOURS ; (Bideford Bowl)
 Winners Christchurch.
 2nd. Folkestone.
 3th Deal.
 4th Southampton.
 5th Exeter.
 6th Bideford A.R.C.

won by 1/2 length.
 Nigel Green - Quinten Allen - Paul Newman - Alvin Ransom. Cox, Stuart Wilson.
 Mal Watts - Chri Lewis - Mark Pilkington - Robert Solomon.
 Steve Duncan - Kevin - Duncan - Alec Gilchrist - Graham Perry.
 Ernie Aldis - Dave Light - Alan Noice - Eddie Fleet. Cox, G. Harris.
 Sean McHugh - Dave Manning - Ray Mallett - Dave Pengelley. Cox, G. Brown.
 Chris Lloyd - Tony Elphick - Ivor Lloyd - Roger Plowman.

JUNIOR-SENIOR FOURS ; (Dandridge Cup)
 Winners Ryde.
 2nd Deal.
 3rd Westover..
 4th Exeter.
 5th Dover.
 6th Plymouth.

won by 1/2 length.
 Malcolm Vaughan - Mark Singleton - Nike Pike - Mike Newnham. Cox, W. Godfrey.
 David Bowman - Richard Twyman - Kelvin Ashington - Jeremy Crow.
 Steve Joyce - David Hutchinson - John Broom - Phil Scunterbury. Cox, G. Still.
 Terry Harvey - Nick Bailey - Keith Twinn - Mick Phillips.

JUNIOR FOURS ; (Dudley Ward Cup)
 Winners Southampton.
 2nd Herne Bay.
 3rd Deal.
 4th B.T.C. Southampton.
 5th Torquay.
 6th Torpoint..

won by 2 lengths.
 Chris Bourne - Neil Brown - John Cole - Phil Boylan. Cox, G. Harris.
 Jeff Hutton - Mike Plowman - Andy Nicholls - Mark Ormiston.
 Peter Stupples - Michael Stupples - Peter Thompsett - Geoff Hill.
 Ian Smith - Mike Hume - Terry McCue - Steve Stone.

LADIES SENIOR ; (Anglia Building Society Cup)
 Winners Ryde.
 2n Southsea.
 3rd Christchurch.
 4th Folkestone.
 5th Dartmouth.
 6th Plymouth.

won Easily.
 Pip Hersey - Sue Lathem - Taznie Hersey - Candice Lloyd. Cox, W. Godfrey.
 Debbie Shell - Sue Clark - June Cornhill - Elizabeth Burrows.
 B Doherty - W Chandler - C Loader - J Hudson Cox, I. Trist.
 Carol Middleton - Helen Galilee - Sharron Taber - Barbara Petley.

OPEN EVENTS ;

SENIOR ; (Charles Matthews Cup)
 Winners ; Worthing.
JUNIOR-SENIOR ; (No Cup)
 Winners ; Southsea..
JUNIOR ; (Ginger Le Breton Cup)
 Winners ; Ryde.
NOVICE ; (McLoughlin Memorial Cup)
 Winners ; Westover.
LADIES SENIOR ; (Harold Percy Cup)
 Winners ; Brighton.

won by
 Tony Brown - Dave Smith - John Moon - David Barry. Cox, A. Hadleigh.
 won by
 John Ewart - Dave Ewart - Stan Prigmore - Mick Walters. Cox, L. Hawes.
 won by
 Richard Gawn - Paul Hawker - Alan Evans - Russell Page.
 won by
 Mark Burcumshaw - John Lacey - Chris Atkins - Robert Frampton. Cox, C. Stanley.
 won by
 Niki Stoakes - Diane Gross - Adrienne Kemp - Ley Canovan. Cox, M. Saunders.

RACING OFFICIALS ;

Starters Max Brown. (CARA)
 Umpires Bryan Goodban (CARA)
 Judges Cyril Crouch (CARA)

Ted Shergold (Hants & Dorset)
 John Bryant (Hants & Dorset)
 J Sutton (Hants & Dorset)

Tony Way (WEARA)
 Bob Kelly (WEARA)
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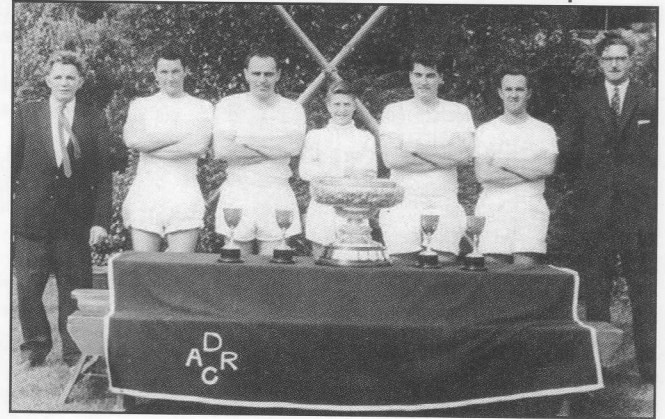
1979 Senior Champions ... Christchurch R.C.
 Nigel Green, Quentin Allen, Paul Newman, Alvin Ransom
 Coxswain; Stuart Wilson



1979 Junior Champions ... Southampton A.R.C.
 John Cole, Chris Bourke, Neil Brown, Phil Boylem
 Coxswain; G. Harris

Memories of Bideford 1962 - 70 - 78 - 80 - 82 - 88 - 96 - 2004

As quoted many times this quaint town nestled on the banks of the River Tor has hosted 8 Championship Regatta's. The first in 1962 when Dartmouth beat off a strong challenge by Shoreham to win the Bideford Bowl. B.T.C. Southampton held on to win the Junior Championship over Bideford (Reds) and Exeter had a fine win over Southsea in the Junior-Senior Championship. In 1970 our second visit saw Shoreham winning the Bowl for the second consecutive year, while Deal won the Dudley Ward Cup for the Junior Championship with a 2 length win over Bexhill and Southsea took the Jun-Senior title. In 1978 saw Christchurch winning the Bowl over Folkestone, with Worthing winning the Jun-Senior Championship beating Bideford (Reds) and Southsea taking the Junior Championship. 1980 saw Christchurch winning the Bowl by 4 lengths for the third year running While we saw in the second Ladies Championship Dartmouth winning by ½ length over Christchurch, Plymouth took the Jun-Senior with Coalporters winning the Junior. In 1982 we again saw Christchurch win the Bideford Bowl, this time easily over Shoreham, while Dartmouth proved to strong again winning the Ladies Championship over Bideford (Reds) with Eastbourne taking the Jun-Senior Championship in a tight race with Coalporters, and Southampton taking the Junior. In 1988 saw Christchurch winning the Bowl, but the race was controversial with Eastbourne being disqualified. Bideford (Reds) got the better of Exeter to win the Ladies Championship, and the Junior Championship went to Exeter. In 1996 saw Exeter taking the Jun-Senior, Ladies Senior and Ladies Junior Championships, with Deal winning the Bowl with a fine win over B.T.C. 2004 saw one of the closest finishes in the Bideford Bowl in its history, with Shoreham coming up on the inside water to beat B.T.C. by 1 foot. While in the first ever Veteran Fours Championship Folkestone had a 3 lengths win over Bideford (Blues). Exeter took the Ladies Senior while Coalporters won the Ladies Junior Championship.



1962 Senior Champions ... Dartmouth A.R.C.
John Holland, Dave Prettyjohns, John Bowden, Anthony Sharam
Coxswain; Robin Dennis



2004 Veteran Champions ... Folkestone R.C.
Simon Appleby, Matt Kellar, Robert Watkins, Steve Edgar
Coxswain; Emily Watkins
That's not sweat on their vests .. it's rain!



1996 Senior Champions ... Deal A.R.C.
Justin Dodrill, Steve Duncan, John Moon, Darren Foster
Coxswain; Jamie Marriott



1982 Ladies Senior Champions ... Dartmouth A.R.C.
Shelley Brown, Debbie Hamilton, Heather Fisher, Kate Distin
Coxswain; Stephen Graham



2004 Senior Open Winners ... Bexhill A.R.C.
Mark Mitchell, Nick Woolgar, Matt Mitchell, Kieran Cahill
Coxswain; Max Hunt

1980 Venue ; BIDEFORD held on Saturday 20th September, starting at 1.00 p.m. Programme 20p

This was the 24th South Coast Championship Regatta and the fourth time here at Bideford. We saw Christchurch winning the 'Bowl' for a third consecutive year with a easy win over Greenbank. In the Junior Championship Coalporters showed a clean pair of heels to the rest by winning in fine style over Lymington. The Ladies Championship saw Christchurch and Dartmouth neck and neck throughout the race with Dartmouth edging out into the lead to win by 1/2 length to become the second South Coast Ladies Champions. The hosts had to wait until the end of the day for their only success with the Bideford 'Blues' winning the Ladies Senior Open. Herne Bay had success in winning the Senior Open.

Championship Events ;

SENIOR FOURS ; (Bideford Bowl)

Winners ; Christchurch.
2nd Greenbank Falmouth
3rd Folkestone
4th Southampton
5th Deal
6th Dart-Totnes

won by 4 lengths.

Chris Ryan. Ray New. Paul Newman. Quinten Allen.
Ron Coote. Charlie West. Steve Allen. Colin Blackmore.
Kelland Bowden, Robert Watkins. Mark Pilkington. Robert Solomon.
Alan Noice. Dave Light. Steve Peglar. Eddie Fleat.
Steve Duncan. Kevin Duncan. Alec Gilchrist. Graham Perry.
B Lamkin. P Mountford. O Fricker. A Pedrick.

Cox, I. Trist.
Cox, W. Hearley.
Cox, G. Harris.

JUNIOR-SENIOR FOURS ; (Dandridge Cup)

Winners ; Plymouth
2nd Southampton
3rd B.T.C. Southampton
4th Herne Bay
5th Brighton
6th Dart-Totnes

won by 1 length.

Peter Reeby. Anthony Lovering. Ian Blake. Derek Rickard.
Colin Baker. Neil Brown. John Cole. Chris Bourke.
Mike Hume. Steve Stone. Dave Edwards. Neil Whiteside.
Jeff Hutton. Mark Ormiston. Andy Nicholls. Mike Plowman.
Tony Plank. Steve Gross. Phil Dodson. Keith Mercer.
Pete Knapman. Keith Sisk. Pete Watkins. C Arthur.

Cox, G. Harris.
Cox, D. Weaver.

JUNIOR FOURS ; (Dudley Ward Cup)

Winners ; Southampton Coalporters
2nd Lymington
3rd Worthing
4th Deal
5th Dart-Totnes
6th Bideford A.A.C.

won by 4 length.

Christopher Allen. Martin Symes. Andrew Palmer. Frank Quinton.
A Bull. K Street. D Stafford. B Carpenter.
Seamus Mackew. Ian Blake. Martin Holden. Barnaby Mackew.
Peter Stupples. Michael Stupples. Peter Thompson. Geoff Hill.
Ian Piercy. T Watins. Steve Pedrick. R Craggs.
Nigel Cann. Stuart Elston. Simon Davis. Michael Dark.

Cox, Trevor Warland.
Cox, S. Lane.
Cox, N. Holmes.

LADIES SENIOR ; (Anglia Building Society Cup)

Winners ; Dartmouth
2nd Christchurch
3rd Shoreham
4th Southsea
5th Brighton
6th Paignton

won by 1/2 length.

Shelley Brown. Jo Williams. Heather Fisher. Kate Distin.
N Newman. J Ashford. W Chandler. B Johnston. Cox, Stuart Wilson.
Julie Winter. Marj Upton. Francis Avery. Sarah Bedding.
Amanda Stanworth. Carol Lonnborg. Elizabeth Burrows. Sue Clark.
Beverly Butterworth. Diane Gross. Niki Stokes. Ley Canovan.
S Close. J Perry. S Gribbon. W Ekers.

Cox, S. Graham.
Cox, L. Hawes.
Cox, W. Ekers.

OPEN EVENTS ;

SENIOR ; (Charles Matthews Cup)

Winners ; Herne Bay

JUNIOR-SENIOR ; ()

Winners ; Southampton Coalporters

JUNIOR ; (Ginger Le Breton Cup)

Winners ; Christchurch

NOVICE ; (McLoughlin Memorial Cup)

Winners ; Ryde

LADIES SENIOR ; (Harold Percy Cup)

Winners ; Bideford A.A.C.

won by 1 length.

Paul Iddenden. Keith Grove. Tony Elphick. Roger Plowman.

won by 2 1/2 lengths.

Paul Scrivener. Michael Jarmolowicz. Michael Chapman. Paul Osman.

won by 1/2 length.

David Smallwood. Richard Keynes. Paul Murray. William Smallwood.

won by

Graham Reeve. Mike Jacobs. Gordon Fox. Ian Butler.

Deena Mugford. Angela Manley. Janine Mugford. Sally Spry.

Cox, John Cox.
Cox, A. Williams.
Cox, Stuart Wilson.
Cox, W. Godfrey.
Cox, M. Manley.

RACING OFFICIALS ;

Starters ; Bryan Goodban. (CARA)
Umpires ; Eddie Tanswell. (CARA)
Judges ; Phil Challen. (CARA)

Ted Shergold. (Hants & Dorset)
Brent Hartland. (Hants & Dorset)
D Hawkins. (Hants & Dorset)

Tony Way. (WEARA)
George Andrews. (WEARA)
Bob Kelly. (WEARA)



1980 Ladies Open Winners ... Bideford A.A.C.
Sally Spry, Janine Mugford, Deena Mugford, Angela Manley
Coxswain; Melanie Manley



1980 Ladies Senior Champions ... Dartmouth A.R.C.
Shelley Brown, Jo Williams, Heather Fisher, Kate Distin
Coxswain; Stephen Graham



1980 Senior Champions ... Christchurch R.C.
Chris Ryan, Ray New, Paul Newman, Quintin Allen
Coxswain; I. Trist

Memories of Folkestone in 1981 & 2001

The Championships have been hosted here at Folkestone twice although the 1981 regatta was switched to Deal due to the rough conditions. In 1977 it was Deal Rowing Club's 'Golden Jubilee' but high winds spoilt the celebrations causing the event to be moved here to Folkestone.

In 1981 we travelled to Deal, racing was very competitive in these choppy conditions but rowable with the first of the Championship events being the Ladies, Shanklin held off a strong challenge from Dartmouth while Herne Bay won both the Mens Senior and Jun-Senior. Folkestone won the Junior by 2 lengths.

In the Open events Deal in lane 2, won the Mens Senior easily over Folkestone, while in the Ladies Brighton in lane 6 had a battle with Coalporters as described by Beverley Featherstone,

'Brighton had only ever won a Ladies Open once before, that was in 1979 on the Isle of Wight. So there were no real hopes for us, as we had not done very well all season. However the day turned out to be changeable with choppy conditions, being drawn in lane 6, we went off from the start and it just clicked, you know the feeling, when you hit every stroke and it feels easy. Nerves were getting to some of us in the middle of the race, not used to being out in front and we went a bit scrappy, but we dug deep to hold off Coalporters and won by 3 lengths. Now for the big one, we had high hopes of becoming the first CARA crew to win the Ladies Championship at the next Championships, which we did in 1983 at Southampton. My next time back at Folkestone in 2001 ..What do you know! We won the Open Senior Ladies again.'



2001 Ladies Senior Champions ... Southampton A.R.C.
Chrissie Potter, Lisa McGregor-Ritchie, Zoe Allen, Helen O'Malley
Coxswain; Natalie Ireland

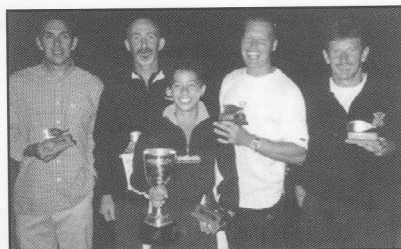


1981 Senior Champions ... Folkestone R.C.
Mark Button, Danny Marsh, Tim Moore, Nick Hill
Coxswain; Jason Mason

2001 saw the 45th Championships back here at Folkestone, with slightly better conditions although still choppy in the north-westerly winds. We saw Coalporters win the Bideford Bowl holding off a late challenge by Itchen and Herne Bay. The Ladies Senior proved to be a procession with Southampton leading from start to finish. The Ladies Junior Championship was the most exciting with Herne Bay taking an early lead, but by halfway the two BTC crews had pulled away from the field to have their own private battle. The lead changed several times between these two crews, but it was the 'B' crew that finally made the race theirs by ½ length. Dover won the first Open Veteran race with Bexhill winning the Open Senior.



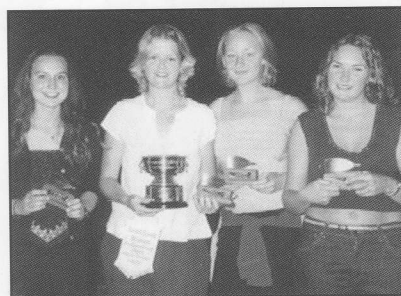
2001 Ladies Junior Champions ... B.T.C. Southampton A.R.C.
Clare Worley, Jenny Reynolds, Jackie Wardell, Natalie Marshall
Coxswain;



2001 Veteran Champions ... Dover R.C.
Andrew Bryant, Gary Cairns, Reg Kent, Nick Bailey
Coxswain; Liam Stampton



2001 Ladies Open Senior Champions ... Shoreham R.C.
Debbie Hills, Dawn Gumbrell, Hannah Dixon, Beverley Butterworth
Coxswain: Marc Gumbrell



2001 Ladies Open Novice Champions ... Shanklin & Sandown R.C.
Elaine Mowle, Hayley Broadhead, Karen De la Cadena, Michelle Pierce
Coxswain;

1981 ... Venue ; FOLKESTONE on Saturday 19th September, starting at 12.30 (held at Deal) Programme 25p

It was the Coast ARA who hosted this the 25th South Coast Championship Regatta, all the competing Clubs and officials were well received at the civic reception held at Folkestone Rowing Club. Unfortunately the weather did not look at all promising with gale force winds forecast, as we prepared to move the event along the coast to Deal. The weather although still quite rough was rowable and the first Championship race got underway with the Ladies of Shanklin holding of a strong challenge from the 1980 Champions from Dartmouth. Next up were the Junior Fours with the Coast crews copping very well in these conditions, we saw Folkestone edge out in front to beat Deal by 2 lengths. The Senior Fours for the Bideford Bowl was eagerly awaited with the Christchurch crew bidding to take the title for the fourth consecutive year, after a long delay in these rough conditions the race started with Herne Bay pulling out in front closely followed by Greenbank Falmouth,. As the race progressed Herne Bay increased in confidence and crossed the line 4 lengths in front. Having seen their Senior crew take the `Bowl` Herne Bay Jun/Seniors went into a 3 length lead, over rowing rivals Coalporters, as the race developed the lead was cut to under a length, in a final sprint for the line Herne Bay won an exciting race and another Championship for their Club, in the fastest time of the day 6min 26sec.

Championship Events ;

SENIOR FOURS ;	(Bideford Bowl)	won by 3 lengths.	
Winners ;	Herne Bay	Paul Iddenden. Mark Ormiston. Andy Nichols. Keith Grove.	Cox, Barry Webber.
2nd	Greenbank Falmouth	Steve Allen. Charlie West. Ron Coote. Colin Blackmore.	Cox, J. Searle.
3rd	Christchurch	Chris Ryan. Ray New Paul Newman. Quinten Allen.	Cox, R. Daniels.
4th	Dover	Keith Twinn. John Holiday. John Moon. Keith Allen.	Cox, G. Cooper.
5th	B.T.C. Southampton	Ray Green. Colin Brockman. Dave Wyatt. Colin Harrison.	Cox, M. Weaver.
6th	Exeter	Sean McHugh. Ian Dryden Ray Mallett. Dave Pengelly.	Cox, G. Brown.
JUNIOR-SENIOR FOURS ;	(Dandridge Cup)	won by 1 ½ lengths.	
Winners ;	Herne Bay	Sean Cox. Robin Mount. John Moody-Smith. Richard Lowe.	Cox, Barry Webber.
2nd	Southampton Coalporters	Terry McCue. Martin Symes. Ray Holloway. Frank Quinton.	Cox, Trevor Warland.
3rd	Christchurch	R Johnson. M Weldon. M Sims. S Doherty.	Cox, D. Heginbotham.
4th	Worthing	Martin Holden. Ian Blake. Seamus Mackew. Malcolm Parsons.	Cox,
5th	Bideford A.A.C.	Ian Mulholland. Colin Pennington. Rodney Daniel. Kelvin Tanton.	Cox, N. Crawley.
6th	Bideford A.A.C.	Clive Bright. Simon Davis. Dave Butler. Nigel Cann.	Cox, A. Curtis.
JUNIOR FOURS ;	(Dudley Ward Cup)	won by 2 length.	
Winners ;	Folkestone	Nick Hill. Tim Moore. Danny Marsh. Mark Button.	Cox, Jason Mason.
2nd	Deal	Jeremy Holmes. Nick Hibbert. Gareth Rice. Colin Sabine.	Cox,
3rd	Lymington	T Woolford. A Bull. D Gale. P Woodford.	Cox, S. Lane.
4th	B.T.C. Southampton	Steve Proudley. Tim Hewes. Clive Robinson. Chris Foad.	Cox, D. Weaver.
5th	Exeter	Alan Hodgson. Chris Boardman. Graham Beddo. Jim Galt.	Cox, M. Boardman.
6th	Dartmouth	B Wallace. J Walford. S Hawke. K Langworthy	Cox, S. Graham.
LADIES SENIOR ;	(Anglia Building Society Cup)	won by 4 lengths.	
Winners ;	Shanklin.	Jane Hill. Pam Matthews. Lynn Corlett. Nina Hale.	Cox, Lisa Cadle.
2nd	Dartmouth.	Kate Distin. Heather Fisher. Debbie Hamilton. Shelley Brown.	Cox, S. Graham.
3rd	Christchurch.	A Newman. J Ashford. W Chandler. B Johnston.	Cox, Stuart Wilson.
4th	Shoreham.	Julie Winter. Marj Upton. Francis Avery. Sarah Bedding.	Cox, D. Boiling.
5th	Folkestone.	Carol Button. Jane Button. Sharron Taber. Barbara Petley.	Cox, G. Pryce.
6th	Bideford A.A.C.	Sally Spry. Angela Manley. Deena Mugford. Janine Mugford.	Cox, M. Manley.
OPEN EVENTS ;			
SENIOR ;	(Charles Matthews Cup)	won Easily.	
Winners ;	Deal.	Steve Duncan. Jack Twyman. Kelvin Ashington. Richard Twyman.	Cox, G. Doran.
JUNIOR-SENIOR ;	(Clarice & Dennis Crunden Cup)	won by 3 lengths.	
Winners ;	Southsea	Mick Walters. Roger Smith. Tony Hyde. Chris Shell.	
JUNIOR ;	(Ginger Le Breton Cup)	won by 2 lengths.	
Winners ;	Westover	Kim Robinson. John Broom. Les Newport. Robert Frampton.	Cox, M. Gowman.
NOVICE ;	(McLoughlin Memorial Cup)	won Easily.	
Winners ;	Deal	Bobby Dorling. Keith Wiggins. John Martin. Simon Griffiths.	
LADIES SENIOR ;	(Harold Percy Cup)	won by 3 lengths.	
Winners ;	Brighton	Sarah Wood. Julie Ince. Beverly Butterworth. Diane Netley.	
RACING OFFICIALS ;			
Starters ;	Brian Peace (CARA)	Ted Shergold. (Hants & Dorset)	Tony Way. (WEARA)
Umpires ;	Cyril Crouch. (CARA)	Brent Hartland. (Hants & Dorset)	Bob Kelly. (WEARA)
Judges ;	Dave Barnett. (CARA)	Les Foad. (Hants & Dorset)	George Andrews. (WEARA)



1981 Senior Fours Champions ... Herne Bay A.R.C.
Paul Iddenden, Mark Ormiston, Andy Nichols, Keith Grove
Coxswain; Barry Webber



1981 Ladies Senior Champions ... Shanklin R.C.
Jane Hill, Pam Matthews, Lynn Corlett, Nina Hale
Coxswain; Lisa Cadle

1982 Venue ; BIDEFORD held on Saturday 26th September, starting at 10.00 am Programme 25p

This was the 26th South Coast Championship Regatta and was the fifth time the West of England ARA had hosted the Championships here at this popular venue of Bideford. The regatta started on time and ran very smoothly. In the first Championship race the Ladies from Dartmouth took the lead from the start and proved too strong to win easily. The Junior Championship proved the expected clash between Southampton and the two Coast crews, by halfway Southampton had pulled out to a 2 lengths lead, but although Herne Bay tried hard to cut this lead back, they had to be content with second, with Brighton third. Eastbourne took the Jun-Senior Championship beating Coalporters in a closely contested race. While in the Bideford Bowl, Christchurch again proved superior, winning easily over Shoreham, to justify their tag of pre-race favourites.

Championship Events ;

SENIOR FOURS ; (Bideford Bowl)

Winners ; Christchurch
2nd Shoreham
3rd Bideford A.R.C.
4th Herne Bay
5th Greenbank Falmouth
6th B.T.C. Southampton

won by Easily.

Ray New. Quentin Allen. Paul Newman. Alvin Ransom.
Peter Fray. Bill Adams. Graham Boiling. Clive Scott.
Martin Bromell. Eric Scott. Gary Cook. John Hutchings.
Paul Iddenden. Mark Ormiston. Andy Nichols. Keith Grove.
Colin Blackmore. Charlie West. Ron Coote. Steve Allen.
Ray Green. Colin Brockman. Dave Wyatt. Colin Harrison.

Cox, R. Daniels.

Cox, D. Tithcott.

Cox, D. Weaver.

JUNIOR-SENIOR FOURS ; (Dandridge Cup)

Winners ; Eastbourne
2nd Southampton Coalporters
3rd Southampton
4th Bideford A.A.C.
5th Folkestone
6th Torquay

won by

Keith Crawford. Roger Miller. Dave Avery. Roger Why.
Chris Allen. Paul Osman. Michael Jarmolowicz. Frank Quinton.
Keith Sewell. Dean Todd. Andy Coles. Wayne Sivier.
Clive Bright. Simon Davis. Michael Dark. Nigel Cann.
Nick Hill. Tim Moore. Danny Marsh. Simon Appleby.
J Whale. R Wall. R Smith. J Luxton.

Cox, S. Allen.

Cox, N. Coles.

Cox, A. Curtis.

Cox, A. Porter.

JUNIOR FOURS ; (Dudley Ward Cup)

Winners ; Southampton
2nd Herne Bay
3rd Brighton
4th Bideford A.R.C.
5th Vosper Thornycroft
6th Castledore

won by 2 lengths.

Stan Holloway-Moger. Kevin Day. Colin Pearce. Steve Chapman.
Russell Mount. Dave Marman. Graham Baldock. Andy Joy.
Steve Holland. Trevor Burt. Roy Miller. Mark Vale.
Paul Langbridge. B Eastman. Colin Eastman. S Wilson.
Gary Joyce. Ted Williams. Martin Bradbeer. Alan Johansson.
Jeremy Renwick. Martyn Parsons. David Pollard. Ivan Cottrell.

Cox, G. Harris.

Cox, A. Cawsey.

Cox, P. Sawyer.

Cox, H. Gould.

LADIES FOURS ; (Anglia Building Society Cup)

Winners ; Dartmouth
2nd Bideford A.R.C.
3rd Shoreham
4th Shanklin
5th Deal
6th Christchurch

won easily

Shelley Brown. ebbie Hamilton. Heather Fisher. Kate Distin.
Sarah Little. Sarah Giddy. Tina Cox. Louise Andrews.
Mary Boiling. Sarah Bedding. Francis Avery. Ruth Bedding.
Lynn Corlett. Pam Matthews. Jane Hill. Nina Hale.
Paula Rimmington. Diane Line. Siobon Doran. Paula Pitchford.
J Allen. J Hudson. W Chandler. B Johnston.

Cox, I. Graham.

Cox, M. Manley.

Cox, Lisa Cadle.

Cox, M. Chandler.

OPEN EVENTS ;

SENIOR ; (Charles Matthews Cup)

Winners ; Christchurch

won by

Simon Larkin. Chris Ryan. Shaun Doherty. Bob Robinson.

Cox, T. Turner.

JUNIOR-SENIOR ; (Clarice & Dennis Crunden Cup)

Winners ; Shoreham

won by

Stan Matthews. Mervin Rees. Ken Boiling. Ian Andrews.

JUNIOR ; (Ginger Le Breton Cup)

Winners ; Southampton Coalporters

won by

Martin Stubbs. John Evans. Paul Field. Andrew Williams.

NOVICE ; (McLoughlin Memorial Cup)

Winners ; Worthing

won by

Jim Capelin. Martyn Taylor. Peter May. Martin Clift.

LADIES ; (Harold Percy Cup)

Winners. Torpoint

won by

A Finning. H Penny. S Share. S Marr.

Cox, T. Rowe.

RACING OFFICIALS ;

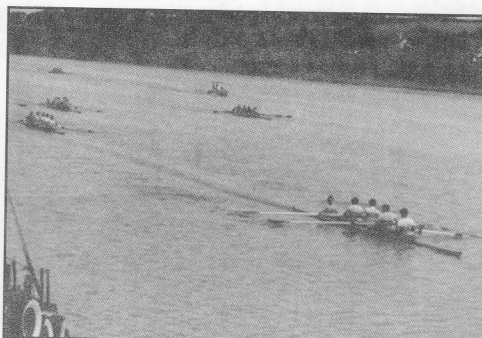
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Umpires ; Cyril Crouch. (CARA)
Judges ; Mac Lowrie. (CARA)

Ted Shergold. (Hants & Dorset)
Brent Hartland. (Hants & Dorset)
Graham Short. (Hants & Dorset)

Bob Kelly. (WEARA)
John Pascoe. (WEARA)
John Uren. (WEARA)



1982 Senior Champions ... Christchurch R.C.
Ray New, Quentin Allen, Paul Newman, Alvin Ransom
Coxswain: R. Daniels



Christchurch R.C. winning the Bideford Bowl easily



1982 Junior Champions ... Southampton A.R.C.
Stan Holloway-Moger, Kevin Day, Colin Pearce, Steve Chapman
Coxswain: G. Harris

1983 ... Venue ; SOUTHAMPTON held on Saturday 24th September, starting at 11.30 am Programme 20p

This was the 27th South Coast Championship Regatta and was held at Weston Shore, having been so successful before. We were not to be disappointed, after a very good reception held at Southampton Rowing Club, the scene was set for a perfect regatta except that conditions were wet and windy, not ideal rowing conditions. From the start in these choppy conditions the Junior Championship developed into a three crew race, with Christchurch having a slight lead, but by the halfway mark Herne Bay had taken the lead and steadily increased this to 3 lengths, but Coalporters were closing fast and as they approached the line the lead was down to 1/2 length, holding on strongly Herne Bay crossed the line to take the title. The Jun-Senior Championship developed into another three crew race, with Brighton having a slight lead, but as the line approached Vosper's took a length lead to win another exciting race. The question on everyone's lips was 'could Roger Plowman get a hatrick of Bideford Bowl wins on Southampton water'. After having seen the Christchurch crew disqualified for impeding BTC, the race restarted. From the gun BTC went off at a fast rate, closely followed by Greenbank and Herne Bay on the outside in lane 6, as the race progressed Herne Bay showed their strength and class as they pulled away to win by 4 lengths. The Ladies Championship had the honour of providing the closest finish of the day, with Shoreham maintaining a slight lead over Brighton, but in the closing 150 metres Brighton pulled through to win an exciting race by 1/2 cvs

Championship Events ;

SENIOR FOURS ; Winners ; 2nd. 3rd 4th 5th Disq	(Bideford Bowl) Herne Bay . Greenbank Falmouth. B.T.C. Southampton. Deal. Bideford A.R.C. Christchurch.	won by 4 lengths. Paul Iddenden, Mark Ormiston, Andy Nichols, Roger Plowman. Colin Blackmore, Ron Coote, Charlie West, Steve Allen. Mike Hume, Colin Brockman, Dave Wyatt, Colin Harrison. Steve Duncan, Richard Twyman, Alec Gilchrist, Nick Hibbert. Martin Bromell, Edwin Shortridge, Gary Cook, John Hutchings. R Smallwood, S Doherty, S Larkin, Quinten Allen.	Cox, Tony Dalton. Cox, A. McColl. Cox, D. Weaver. Cox, D. Tithecott. Cox, T. Turner.
JUNIOR-SENIOR FOURS ; Winners ; 2nd 3rd 4th 5th 6th	(Dandridge Cup) Vosper Thornycroft. Brighton. Southampton. Torquay. Dover. Bideford A.R.C.	won by 1 length. Alan Johansson, Martin Bradbeer, Ted Williams, Gary Joyce. Cox, J. Collins. Phil Dudson, Jess Wood, Trevor Burt, Mark Vale. Steve Chapman, Colin Pearce, Kevin Day, Stan Holloway-Moger. Gary Letori, J Whale, C Bond, Russell Brammens. John Brooks, Johnny McIntosh, Mick Phillips, Richard Hill. John Little, Chris Howells, Kevin Bromell, Kevin Drew.	Cox, D. Robinson. Cox, A. Cox. Cox, J. Bater.
JUNIOR FOURS ; Winners ; 2nd 3rd 4th 5th 6th	(Dudley Ward Cup) Herne Bay. Southampton Coalporters. Christchurch. Dartmouth. Shoreham. Bideford A.R.C..	won by 1/2 length. Russell Mount, James Kerr, Matthew Kerr, Dave Marman. Cox, Ty Jemmett. Alan Booth, Martin Stubbs, Paul Field, Andrew Williams. N Hack, D Hutton, M Herd, A Head. Cox, J. Erwin. T Cole, S Hawke, M Strudwick, S Wallace. Dave Gumbrell, Ken Boiling, Martin Batstone, Mervin Rees. Ashley Carreras, David Johnstone, Will Lloyd, Shaun Quick.	Cox, P. Sawyer. Cox, P. Dichowski. Cox, M. Cole.
LADIES FOURS ; Winners ; 2nd 3rd 4th 5th 6th	(Anglia Building Society Cup) Brighton. Shoreham. Bideford A.R.C. Christchurch. Poole. No WEARA Rep	won by 1/2 cvs. Mary-Anne Burt, Beverly Featherstone, Diane Spencer, Olive Spurway. Julie Winter, Marj Upton, Francis Avery, Clare Stemp. Sarah Little, Sarah Giddy, Tina Cox, Sally Spry. L Dickson, J Barnes, E Larkin, C Pead. Lynn Diffey, J Cobb, J Murphy, A .Legg.	Cox, Matthew Drake. Cox, M. Manley. Cox, T. Turner. Cox, J. Northern.

OPEN EVENTS ;

SENIOR ; Winners ;	(Charles Matthews Cup) Folkestone.	won by Nick Hill, Simon Appleby, Danny Marsh, Tim Moore.	
JUNIOR-SENIOR ; Winners ;	(Clarice & Dennis Crunden Cup) Christchurch.	won by Raymond Goff, Peter Keynes, Kevin Ayles, Tim Woodford.	Cox, A. Foy.
JUNIOR ; Winners ;	(Ginger Le Breton Cup) B.T.C. Southampton.	won by Brent Mould, Mike Weaver, Nick Cahill, Mike Lewis.	Cox, D. Weaver.
NOVICE ; Winners ;	(McLoughlin Memorial Cup) Southampton.	won by Paul Christian, Mick Rolley, Trevor Gay, Nicky Cole.	Cox, P. Neale.
LADIES ; Winners ;	(Harold Percy Cup) Worthing.	won by Jane Bryant, Isobel Brooks, Catherine Symons, Jill McLean.	Cox, M. Wakeham.

RACING OFFICIALS ;

Starters ;	Phil Challen. (CARA)	Ted Shergold. (Hants & Dorset)	Tony Way. (WEARA)
Umpires ;	Kelland Bowden. (CARA)	Arthur Chatfield. (Hants & Dorset)	John Uren. (WEARA)
Judges ;	Richard Avery. (CARA)	Graham Short. (Hants & Dorset)	Bob Kelly. (WEARA)



left: 1983 Senior Champions ... Herne Bay A.R.C.
Roger Plowman, Andy Nichols, Paul Iddenden, Mark Ormiston
Coxswain; Tony Dalton



right: 1983 Junior Champions ... Herne Bay A.R.C.
Dave Marman, Matthew Kerr, James Kerr, Russell Moun
Coxswain; Ty Jemmett

1984 ... Venue ; DARTMOUTH held on Saturday 15th September, starting at 10.00 a.m. Programme 25p

This was the 28th South Coast Championship Regatta, the third here at Dartmouth having last been here in 1969. The regatta started on time in slightly overcast conditions. In the Junior Championship the double Coast Champions from Southsea representing the Hants & Dorset set the standard, proving that they are an excellent crew by winning in fine style from the ever improving crew from Herne Bay. The Junior-Senior Championship gave us another race to remember with Ryde and Herne Bay showing their superiority on the water, from the gun Herne Bay had a slight lead over their main rivals who had inflicted their only two defeats of the season, Herne Bay continued to row strongly to win in fine style. Yet another Christchurch crew won the Bideford Bowl, showing true grit and determination to overcome a determined Greenbank crew. Southsea Ladies representing the Coast had a close race with Paignton pulling clear in the final stages to win. In the Open Junior Fours we saw 7 heats to show that our sport is on the increase.

Championship Events ;

SENIOR FOURS ;	(Bideford Bowl)	won by	
Winners ;	Christchurch.	Chris Bourke, Steve Aldridge, Mark Heard, John Ellis.	Cox, J. Erwin.
2nd.	Greenbank Falmouth.	Colin Blackmore, M Smith, Dave Allen, Steve Allen.	Cox, I. McCabe.
3rd	Folkestone.	Mal Watts, Tim Moore, Danny Marsh, Robert Solomon.	
4th	Herne Bay.	Paul Iddenden, Mark Ormiston, Andy Nichols, Roger Plowman.	
5th	B.T.C. Southampton.	Dave Wyatt, Colin Brockman, Mike Hume, Colin Harrison.	Cox, D. Weaver.
6th	Bideford A.A.C.	Rodney Daniel, Colin Pennington, Ian Mulholland, Kelvin Tanton.	Cox, P. Staddon.
JUNIOR-SENIOR FOURS ;	(Dandridge Cup)	won by	
Winners ;	Herne Bay.	Russell Mount, James Kerr, Matthew Kerr, Dave Marman.	Cox, Ty Jemmett.
2nd	Ryde.	Graham Smythe, John Pike, Richard Gawn, Russell Page.	Cox, W. Godfrey.
3rd	Dartmouth.	M. Strudwick, G. Mason, S. Gillespie, S. Wallace.	Cox, A. Robertson.
4th	Shoreham.	David Gumbrell, Ken Boiling, Martin Bastone, Mervin Rees.	
5th	B.T.C. Southampton.	Steve Proudley, Mike Lewis, Chris Foad, Clive Robinson.	Cox, D. Weaver.
6th	Paignton.	Ian Wilson, Dave Lewis, John Cresser, John Grievson.	Cox, P. Ekers.
JUNIOR FOURS ;	(Dudley Ward Cup)	won by	
Winners ;	Southsea.	Peter Mahoney, Gary Cooper, Bernie Thompson, Andy Larwood.	Cox, E. Yeomans.
2nd	Herne Bay.	John Cox, Guy Campbell, Ian Ingram, Brian Moody-Smith.	
3rd	Poole.	R. Bridwell, R. Gibbs, Wayne Callaghan, R. Lewis.	
4th	Plymouth.	A. Dowers, P. Daw, R. Kingdom, D. Gulyer.	Cox, C. Knapman.
5th	Hastings.	Paul Knight, Ian Smith, Richard Vidler, Joe Apps.	
6th	Exeter..	Andy Elworthy, Kevin Johnson, Jim Gait, Brian O`Dea.	Cox, E. Bartlett.
LADIES SENIOR ;	(Anglia Building Society Cup)	won by	
Winners ;	Southsea.	Louise Clark, Katie Hounam, Helen Hawdon, Kay Bunney.	Cox, T. Lewis.
2nd	Paignton.	Jackie Ekers, Debbie Hamilton, Jane Hallett, Sally Lewis.	Cox, Wendy Shiner.
3rd	Christchurch.	M. Schuter, J. Hudson, S. Phillips, C. Pead.	
4th	Shoreham.	Ruth Bedding, Marj Upton, Julie Winter, Sarah Bedding.	
5th	Dartmouth..	S. Dunn, Kate Distin, Shelley Brown, J. Williams.	Cox, A. Leonard.
6th	Southampton Coalporters.	Bev Lawrence, Amanda Baxter, Dawn Ray, Jacqueline Warland.	Cox, J. McGregor.
OPEN EVENTS ;			
SENIOR ;	(Charles Matthews Cup)	won by	
Winners ;	Southsea.	Lance Yeomans, Andy Bunney, Jeff Watling, John Ewart.	Cox, E. Yeomans.
JUNIOR-SENIOR ;	(Clarice & Dennis Crunden Cup)	won by	
Winners ;	Eastbourne.	Steve Walshaw, Andy Joy, Brian Sparkes, Glenn Payne.	Cox, B. Walshaw.
JUNIOR ;	(Ginger Le Breton Cup)	won by	
Winners ;	Shoreham.	Gary Brown, Jerome Leary, John Winter, Dave Bryant.	Cox, G. Boiling.
NOVICE ;	(McLoughlin Memorial Cup)	won by	
Winners ;	Westover.	P. Bliss, E. Saunders, D. Jones, K. Bellman.	Cox, J. Powers.
LADIES ;	(Harold Percy Cup)	won by	
Winners ;	Christchurch.	Emma Wright, Jacqui Chandler, Jacky Stafford, Josie Doman.	Cox, A. Cox.

RACING OFFICIALS ;

Starters ;	Bob Hudson. (CARA)	John Bryant. (Hants & Dorset)	Bob Kelly. (WEARA)
Umpires ;	Cyril Crouch. (CARA)	Arthur Shergold. (Hants & Dorset)	Tony Way. (WEARA)
Judges ;	Roger Smith. (CARA)	Graham Short. (Hants & Dorset)	John Pascoe. (WEARA)



1984 Senior Champions ... Christchurch R.C.
Mark Heard, Chris Bourke, Steve Aldridge, John Ellis
Coxswain; J. Erwin



1984 Junior-Senior Champions ... Herne Bay A.R.C.
Matthew Kerr, Dave Marman, Russell Mount, James Kerr
Coxswain; Ty Jemmett

Enjoying the Championships

The Championships hold fond and happy memories for most of the Oarsmen and Oarswomen that have competed in either the Championship events or Open events.

The magnificent `Bideford Bowl` for the Mens Senior Fours is the most sort after trophy in an oarsmans career .. the utimote accolade is representing your Association & Club and also receiving a winners medal. To all those who have achieved this, please accept the acclaim from us all .. To those who have come so close and to all the loyal supporters, we say a big thank you for being there.

Over the 50 years of these the South Coast Rowing Championships, we have visited 20 different venues, some more than once, all with its own unique attraction, from Herne Bay in the East to Appledore in the West. Every venue has seen excellent and exciting racing with many a long night of celebration after.

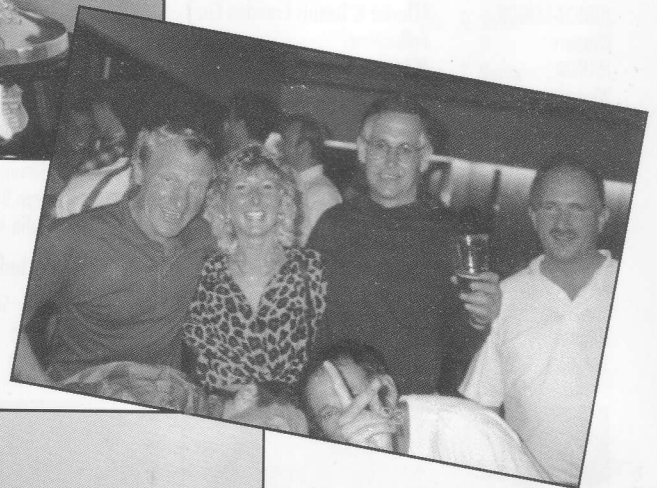
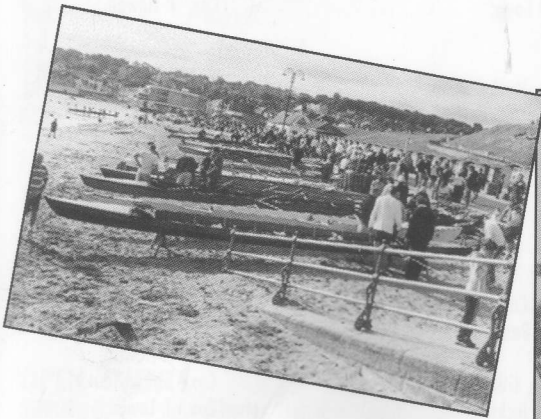
Our trips to the various venues have been wide and varied ;

Poole Harbour.
Deal
Dartmouth
Southampton
Bideford
Mayflower Park

Plymouth
Bournemouth
Southsea
Hove
Shanklin

Ryde
Folkestone
Herne Bay
Torbay
Studland Bay

Bexhill
Falmouth
Swanage
Appledore & Instow
Southampton



1985 ... Venue ; HERNE BAY held on Saturday 14th September, starting at 10.00 a.m. Programme 25p

This was the 29th South Coast Championship Regatta and the first time at Herne Bay. It was a cold and overcast day, but brightened by a terrific Bideford Bowl race won by Ryde over Herne Bay. Southsea had a commanding win in the Junior-Senior Championship, while home success came in the Junior Fours Championship for Herne Bay with a 21/2 lengths win. Folkestone won the Ladies Championship with a fine 31/2 lengths win over Shoreham. In the Open events Ryde completed a very successful day winning both the Junior and Novice, while B.T.C. took the Senior Open

Championship Events ;

SENIOR FOURS ; (Bideford Bowl)

Winners ; Ryde.
2nd. Herne Bay.
3rd Christchurch.
4th Dartmouth.
5th Greenbank Falmouth.
6th Folkestone.

won by 1/2 cvs

Russell Page, Mark Singleton, Nike Pike, John Pike.
Matthew Kerr, James Kerr, Andy Nichols, Mark Ormiston.
R. Johnson, John Ellis, Steve Aldridge, Mark Heard.
M. Strudwick, S. Wallace, S. Gillespie, A. Anderson.
Colin Blackmore, Dave Allen, M. Smith, Steve Allen.
Mal Watts, Tim Moore, Danny Marsh, Robert Solomon.

7mins 21sec

Cox, Nicky Catton.
Cox, Karl Blunden.
Cox, C. Pead.
Cox, A. Robertson.
Cox, I. McCabe.
Cox, S. Valli.

JUNIOR-SENIOR FOURS ; (Dandridge Cup)

Winners ; Southsea.
2nd Herne Bay.
3rd Lymington.
4th Shoreham.
5th Castledore.
6th Bideford A.R.C.

won by 1 1/2 lengths.

Peter Mahoney, Bernie Thompson, Warwick Wilkins, Andy Larwood.
Ian Ingram, Guy Campbell, Nick Cahill, Brian Moody-Smith.
A. Cooper, K. Street, B. Stafford, B. Carpenter.
David Gumbrell, Ken Boiling, Martin Bastone, Mervin Rees.
Paul Logan, Robin King, Jeremy Renwick, Paul Evans.
Dave Powe, Colin Eastman, John Little, David Copp.

8min 10sec

Cox, R. Marshall.
Cox, Ty Jemmett.
Cox, P. Jepson.

Cox, T. Woodward.
Cox, P. Howell.

JUNIOR FOURS ; (Dudley Ward Cup)

Winners ; Herne Bay.
2nd Southsea.
3rd Shoreham.
4th Southampton Coalporters.
5th No WEARA Rep
6th No WEARA Rep

won by 2 1/2 lengths.

James Campbell, Mark Pollard, Darren White, Mark Jeffries.
Simon Harper, Jason Crouch, David Tomlin, Tim Smith.
Michael Boiling, Jerome Leary, John Winter, Giles Hundleby.
Shawn Allen, Robbie Williams, Alan Parsons, Trevor Warland.

Cox, Karl Blunden.
Cox, R. Marshall.

Cox, P. Sawyer.

LADIES SENIOR ; (Anglia Building Society Cup)

Winners ; Folkestone.
2nd Shoreham.
3rd Dartmouth.
4th Southsea.
5th Paignton.
6th Christchurch.

won by 3 1/2 lengths.

Cheryl Cruttenden, Jane Button, Carol Button, Coleen O'Connor.
Sue Clark, Marj Upton, Francis Boiling, Sarah Bedding.
S. Dunn, J. Park, M. Brown, Kate Distin.
Emma Yeomans, Lucy Thomson, Fiona Winson, Gillian Stewart.
Marie Lewis, Jane Hallett, Debbie Hamilton, Jackie Ekers.
C. Wright, J. Chandler, J. Doman, J. Stafford.

8min 14sec

Cox, Rupert Hodge.

Cox, P. Hewitt.
Cox, Simon Tout.
Cox, T. Lewis.

OPEN EVENTS ;

SENIOR ; (Charles Matthews Cup)

Winners ; B.T.C. Southampton.

won by 2 lengths.

Dave Wyatt, Mike Lewis, Chris Foad, Colin Harrison.

7min 46sec

JUNIOR-SENIOR ; (Clarice & Dennis Crunden Cup)

Winners ; Folkestone.

won by 1 length.

Tim Cruttenden, John Allard, Graham Parker, Tim Wilson.

8min 14sec

JUNIOR ; (Ginger Le Breton Cup)

Winners ; Ryde.

won by 1 length.

Steve Wort, Tony Bradford, Quinton Lloyd, Mike Jenner.

NOVICE ; (McLoughlin Memorial Cup)

10min 39sec

Winners ; Ryde.

won by Easily

(after D/Heat with Westover)

LADIES ; (Harold Percy Cup)

Winners ; Southampton Coalporters.

Simon Wall, Steve Titmus, Malcolm Woon, Steve Dear.

won by 2 1/2 lengths.

10min 26sec

Julia McGregor, Jackie Raymond, Andy Witt, Dawn Ray.

Cox, P. Fisher.

RACING OFFICIALS ;

Starters ; Terry Pilcher. (CARA)
Umpires ; Trevor Brown. (CARA)
Judges ; Roger Plowman. (CARA)

Ted Shergold. (Hants & Dorset)
Mike Green. (Hants & Dorset)
Keith Warland. (Hants & Dorset)

Colin Myrone. (WEARA)
Bob Kelly. (WEARA)
Tony Way. (WEARA)



1985 Junior Champions ... Herne Bay A.R.C.
James Campbell, Mark Pollard, Darren White, Mark Jeffries
Coxswain; Karl Blunden



1985 Senior Champions ... Ryde R.C.
Mark Singleton, Nike Pike, John Pike, Russell Page
Coxswain; Nicky Catton



1985 Ladies Senior Champions
Jane Button, Cheryl Cruttenden, Coleen O'Connor, Carol Button
Coxswain; Rupert Hodge

1986 ... Venue ; PLYMOUTH held on Saturday 27th September. Starting at 10.45 am Programme cost 30p
 This was the 30th South Coast Championship Regatta and hosted by the West for the fourth time here at Plymouth. Ryde were the Club of the Championships winning Mens and Ladies Senior Championships and the Junior Open.

Championship Events ;

SENIOR FOURS ; (Bideford Bowl)
 Winners ; Ryde. won by Russell Page, John Pike, Nick Pike, Mark Singleton. Cox, Lee Rayment.
 2nd. Christchurch. Steve Aldridge, John Ellis, Nigel Green, Mark Heard Cox, A. Clark.
 3rd Herne Bay. Matthew Kerr, James Kerr, Andy Nichols, Mark Ormiston.
 4th Dartmouth. M. Strudwick, A. Anderson, S. Gillespie, S. Wallace. Cox, S. Taylor.
 5th Bideford A.A.C. Simon Davis, Rodney Daniel, Ian Mulholland, Nigel Cann. Cox, M. Eborworthy.
 6th Herne Bay. Sean Cox, Brian Moody-Smith, Paul Iddenden, Richard Lowe.

JUNIOR-SENIOR FOURS ; (Dandridge Cup)
 Winners ; Southsea. won by Steve Hill, Mark Reynolds, Andrew Stearne, Robert Stearne.
 2nd Shoreham. John Winter, Ken Boiling, Philip Remedios, Mervin Rees.
 3rd Southampton Coalporters. Shawn Allen, Robbie Williams, Alan Parsons, Trevor Warland. Cox, P. Fisher.
 4th Eastbourne. Robert Noakes, Andy Joy, Brian Sparks, Andy Quinnell.
 5th Dart-Totnes. John Western, Steve Pedrick, Phil Trant, Ian Piercy. Cox, C. Clark.
 6th Greenbank Falmouth. G. Amer, S. Lewis, N. Wills, S. Savill. Cox, M. Kent.

JUNIOR FOURS ; (Dudley Ward Cup)
 Winners ; Christchurch. won by Howard Pavey, Anthony Rosewarn, Craig Parkins, Steve Wiseman. Cox, Wendy Shiner.
 2nd Bexhill. Eric Powell, Paul Dawes, Clive Bingham, Robert Logan. Cox, Adam Hird.
 3rd Southampton. Richard Emerson, Eric Stone, Ian Tidmarsh, Nicky Cole.
 4th Hastings. Paul Turner, Vic Solomon, Robert Salmon, Kevin Smith.
 5th Dartmouth. M. Rendell, J. Hart, S. Atkins, S. Graham. Cox, D. Squires.
 6th Bideford A.R.C. Glen Wilkins, Mike Prance, S. Betts, S. Hutchings.

LADIES FOURS ; (Anglia Building Society Cup)
 Winners ; Ryde. won by Olivia Wheeler, Tanzie Page, Louise Bridle, Pip Hersey. Cox, Lee Rayment.
 2nd Dartmouth. S. Dunn, M. Emsley, Shelley Brown, Kate Distin. Cox, P. Hewitt.
 3rd Christchurch. J. Domain, E. Wright, M. Slater, C. Davey.
 4th Herne Bay. Gretchen Smart, Julie Winter, Elizabeth Mills, Susan Spratt.
 5th Bideford A.R.C. Joanne Hodge, Diane Elston, Tina Cox, Debbie Hancock. Cox, A. Mitchell.
 6th Folkestone. Cheryl Cruttenden, Jane Button, Carol Button, Coleen O` Connor.

OPEN EVENTS ;

SENIOR ; (Charles Matthews Cup) won by Brian Edwards, Mike Lewis, Mike Hume, Andy Stewart. Cox, Graham Bailey.
 Winners ; B.T.C. Southampton.
JUNIOR-SENIOR ; (Clarice & Dennis Crunden Cup) won by Paul Johnston, Norman Hack, Simon Clements, Howard Larkin. Cox, R. Lane.
 Winners ; Christchurch.
JUNIOR ; (Ginger Le Breton Cup) won by Steve Wort, Paul Hawker, Mike Merritt, Tony Hayles. Cox, Lee Rayment.
 Winners ; Ryde.
NOVICE ; (McLoughlin Memorial Cup) won by Simon Foster, Edward Turner, Colin Clifford, James Erwin. Cox, R. Lane.
 Winners ; Christchurch.
LADIES ; (Harold Percy Cup) won by A. Young, Jane Hallett, Debbie Hamilton, T. Wordsworth. Cox, J. Norman.
 Winners ; Paignton.

RACING OFFICIALS ;

Starters ; Brian Smith. (CARA) Ted Shergold. (Hants & Dorset) Bob Kelly. (WEARA)
 Umpires ; Richard Goldfinch. (CARA) Mike Green. (Hants & Dorset) John Pascoe. (WEARA)
 Judges ; Cyril Crouch. (CARA) Pat Sherwin. (Hants & Dorset) Hilary Bastone. (WEARA)

My Memories of Plymouth 1986 ... by Ted Shergold A Starter`s Woe! ... Brian Smith (Coast) Bob Kelly (West) and Myself.

Three starters in Club blazers
 Plus one boatman and a small boat
 Proceeded towards the start line
 Lets hope we stay afloat.
 Long before we got there
 We`d run a ground not once but twice
 This was not part of the programme
 To reach the start line would be nice.
 Now alongside the road to Plymouth
 Is a wooden boat so derelict
 The locals have a name for it
 This boat she`s called `the wreck`
 We waited for the tide to rise
 Then move up river we did try
 But for the third time we were grounded
 And left again quite high and dry.
 This time we`d been marooned
 Opposite that derelict old boat
 I`d been told this was the start line
 By now I`d lost all hope.

Bob says `Ted start the regatta`
 `Have we a gun?` I ask
 The boatman says he has it
 But to fire it is his task.
 So I told him the procedure
 The crews would be in line
 That`s when I`d call `are you ready`
 And this would be his sign.
 The first race came to the line
 But my heart sank very low
 As I called `ARE YOU READY`
 He fired the gun `too slow`
 This regatta was not going well
 I ask the boatman for the gun
 But he says to me `No way Ted`
 Its mine ... `I`m having fun`
 At the completion of the programme
 We were still stuck high and dry
 With the tide receding fast
 To radio for help we would try.

At last we spied our rescue craft
 And could not believe our luck
 With room on board for only two
 They`d sent a tiny rubber duck!
 So Brian and the boatman (with his gun)
 Off to dry land they did go
 The boat could not return for us
 The water now was far too low.
 Bob Kelly says `that mud looks hard enough`
 Lets try and walk it to the road
 So with trousers rolled up quickly
 We both gathered up our load.
 We jumped off the boat so gingerly
 Our aim to reach the bank
 But when we stepped into a gully
 Up to our knees we sank.
 We waded back towards our boat
 To await the incoming tide
 The only way to get ashore
 In that rubber duck we`d have to ride.
 When we finally got to the shore
 There were murmurings and chatter
 People asked `where have you been`
 `IT WAS SUCH A GOOD REGATTA`

1987 Venue ; SHANKLIN held on Saturday 12th September , starting at Programme 30p

This was the 31st South Coast Championship Regatta but due to the rough weather the Championship Events were held at Ryde on the Saturday with the Open Events being held on the Sunday at Shanklin. First up were the Ladies Championship with hosts Ryde showing the rest of the field a clean pair of heels, winning by 3 lengths over Bideford (Reds). The Jun-Senior Championship saw Ryde and Christchurch locked neck and neck but in the final run in, Christchurch pulled away to win an exciting race. The Senior Championship saw a controversial finish with BTC, Dover and Ryde crossing the finishing line as a supporter walked across with their umbrella obscuring the judges vision, so a dead heat verdict was given, in the re-row Ryde dominated to win by 2 lengths. In the Junior Championship we saw Westover win in fine style by 1/2 length over Folkestone. In the open races we saw wins for Southsea (Senior), Bexhill (J/Senior), Christchurch (Junior) and Shanklin winning both Ladies and Novices. All these Open races were held on the original course at Shanklin on the Sunday.

Championship Events ;

SENIOR FOURS ; (Bideford Bowl)
 Winners ; Ryde. won by 2 lengths. after dead heat
 Russell Page, John Pike, Nick Pike, Mark Singleton. Cox, Lee Rayment.
 2nd B.T.C. Southampton. Steve Proudley, Wayne Sivier, Chris Foad, Mike Lewis.
 3rd Dartmouth. M. Pendle, J. Hart, J. Gillespie, S. Wallace. Cox, D. Savire.
 4th Dover. Steve Duncan, Richard Twyman, Jeremy Holmes, Keith Allen.
 5th Folkestone. Mal Watts, John Allard, Danny Marsh, Robert Solomon.
 6th Bideford A.R.C. Glen Wilkins, Mike Prance, Martin Bromell, Steve Hutchings. Cox, N. Hutchings.

JUNIOR-SENIOR FOURS ; (Dandridge Cup)
 Winners ; Christchurch. won by 1/2 length.
 Howard Pavey, Craig Parkins, Simon Clements, Paul Johnston.
 2nd Ryde. Malcolm Woon, Mike Jenner, Neil Lacey, Steve Titmus.
 3rd Hastings. Paul Knight, Ian Smith, Richard Vidler, Joe Apps.
 4th Deal. Simon Amos, Julian Card, Steve Wood, Jack Snape.
 5th Bideford A.R.C. Kevin Drew, David Copp, John Little, David Powe. Cox, D. Skene-Smith.
 6th Torquay. Mike Cresser, Rus Bammens, Gary Letori, Brian Cudmore. Cox, B. Bellaway.

JUNIOR FOURS ; (Dudley Ward Cup)
 Winners ; Westover. won by 1/2 length.
 C. MacArthur, Andy Pullen, R. MacArthur, Stuart Powney.
 2nd Folkestone. Andrew West, Martin Appleby, Jason Mason, Kevin O` Connor.
 3rd Southampton. Nicky Cole, Eric Stone, Ian Tidmarsh, Paul Hatcher. Cox, M. Wilson.
 4th Hastings. Paul Turner, Vic Solomon, Robert Salmon, Kevin Smith.
 5th Exeter. Richard Salmon, Dave Alpen, Brian Waycott, Tim Spencer. Cox, K. Sampson.
 6th Torquay. M. Dunn, N. Pugson, A. Tucker, A. Nillis. Cox, L. Doddie.

LADIES FOURS ; (Anglia Building Society Cup)
 Winners ; Ryde. won by 3 lengths.
 Wendy Richardson, Alison White, Louise Bridle, Tanzie Page. Cox, Lee Rayment.
 2nd Bideford A.R.C. Michelle Kersey, Joanne Hodge, Diane Elston, Tina Cox. Cox, D. Rossiter.
 3rd Herne Bay. Gretchen Smart, Angie Cade, Elizabeth Mills, Susan Spratt.
 4th Exeter. R. Tucker, H. Clarke, G. Watkins, Maggie Aggett. Cox, D. Hellier.
 5th Christchurch.. A. Sclater-Ayles, V. Cole, E. Wright, C. Davey. Cox, J. Northern.
 6th Folkestone. Carol Button, Sharron Smith, Cheryl Cruttenden, Coleen O` Connor.

OPEN EVENTS ;

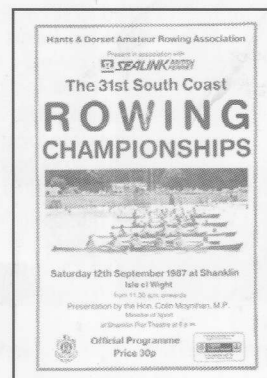
SENIOR ; (Charles Matthews Cup) won by 1 1/2 lengths.
 Peter Mahoney, Gary Cooper, Jeff Watling, Andy Larwood.
JUNIOR-SENIOR ; (Clarice & Dennis Crunden Cup) won by 1 1/2 lengths.
 Robert Balchin, Clive Bingham, Paul Dawes, Eric Powell. Cox, Simon Wilson.
JUNIOR ; (Ginger Le Breton Cup) won by 2 lengths (after re-row)
 Chris Burleigh, Andy Loweless, Peter Baker, C. Bell.
NOVICE ; (McLoughlin Memorial Cup) won by
 Andy Gaches, Derek Rolls, Chris Stroud, Tim Glover. Cox, D. Hutchins.
LADIES ; (Harold Percy Cup) won by 4 lengths.
 Roo Gaches, Jenny Keenor, Jan Raphael, Jane Bailey. Cox, S. Gaiger.
Winners ; Shanklin.

RACING OFFICIALS ;

Starters ; Mac Lowrie. (CARA) Ted Shergold. (Hants & Dorset) Tony Way. (WEARA)
 Umpires ; Tony Plank. (CARA) Mike Green. (Hants & Dorset) Hilary Bastone. (WEARA)
 Judges ; Phil Challen. (CARA) Brent Hartland. (Hants & Dorset) Bob Kelly. (WEARA)



1987 Junior-Senior Open Winners ... Bexhill A.R.C.
 Clive Bingham, Robert Balchin, Paul Dawes, Eric Powell
 Coxswain; Simon Wilson



1988 Venue ; BIDEFORD held on Saturday 10th September, starting at 4.00 p.m. Programme 50p

This was the 32nd South Coast Championship Regatta and the sixth time here at Bideford. Front loaders were allowed but unfortunately we saw controversy in the Senior Championship with Eastbourne being disqualified for impeding BTC, Christchurch went on to take the title. The Junior Championship saw Exeter win an exciting race over BTC, while Bideford (Reds) Ladies took the Anglia Building Society Cup. Southsea proved superior in the Junior-Senior Championship holding off a late challenge by Coalporters. In the Open races, we saw Bideford take the Senior, J/Senior and Ladies Senior races, while Lymington Ladies beat their second crew to take the Junior race.

Championship Events ;

SENIOR FOURS ; (Bideford Bowl)
 Winners ; Christchurch.
 2nd. B.T.C. Southampton.
 3rd Bideford A.R.C.
 4th Dover.
 5th Bideford A.A.C.
 6th Disq Eastbourne.

won by
 Howard Pavey, Quinten Allen, Craig Parkins, William Shaw
 Steve Proudley, Wayne Sivier, Chris Foad, Mike Lewis.
 Steve Hutchings, Martin Bromell, Mike Prance, Glen Wilkins.
 Steve Duncan, Richard Twyman, Jeremy Holmes, Nick Bailey.
 Colin Pennington, Ian Mulholland, Nigel Cann, Clive Bright.
 Steve Hopkins, Colin Guppy, Keith Rockingham, Glenn Payne.

Cox, R. Swinburn..
 Cox, J. Foad.
 Cox, N. Hutchings.
 Cox, C. Pennington.
 Cox, A. Payne.

JUNIOR-SENIOR FOURS ; (Dandridge Cup)
 Winners ; Southsea.
 2nd Southampton Coalporters.
 3rd Dart-Totnes.
 4th Deal.
 5th Shoreham.
 6th Bideford A.A.C.

won by
 Simon Tout, Jerome Coulton, Paul Hollis, Mike Peregrine.
 Adam Bradford, Dave Gallagher, Phil Webb, Nick Chmarny.
 Steve Pedrick, M. Pedrick, A. Ryder, T. Hodge.
 Jonathan Holmes, Julian Card, Jamie Stenhouse, Jack Snape.
 Ron Tulley, Jim Dixon, Peter Cracknell, Garry Saunders.
 Neil Pennington, Geoffrey White, Heath Pettifer, Steve Pennington.

Cox, A. Gisborne.
 Cox, K. Squires.
 Cox, R. Darner.
 Cox, P. Bentley.
 Cox, Matthew Elliott.
 Cox, R. Walters.

JUNIOR FOURS ; (Dudley Ward Cup)
 Winners ; Exeter.
 2nd B.T.C. Southampton.
 3rd Dartmouth.
 4th Falkestone.
 5th Southampton Coalporters.
 6th Worthing.

won by
 Neil Hitt, Andy Hopgood, Steve Aplis, Steve Midcalf.
 Andrew Stewart, Chris Lewis, Alan Bland, Neil Cairns.
 Matthew Atkins, Philip Pichowski, Vaughan Bowden, David Hart.
 Mark Simmonds, David Cloake, Steve Tupper, Mark Saville.
 Graham Pask, Tony Davis, Mark Clements, Steve Hobbs.
 Alistair Johnson, Martin Clift, Steve Christie, Joleyn Mackew.

Cox, J. Burrows.
 Cox, C. Bailey.
 Cox, D. Rogers.
 Cox, Paul Kemp.
 Cox, G. Farrew.

LADIES SENIOR ; (Anglia Building Society Cup)
 Winners ; Bideford A.R.C.
 2nd Exeter.
 3RD Christchurch.
 4th Deal.
 5th Shanklin.
 6th Folkestone.

won by
 Tina Cox, Diane Elston,, Joanne Hodge, Michelle Kersey.
 Maggie Aggett, Karen Williams, Sarah Tucker, Rachel Tucker.
 C. Tabor, M. Slater-Millar, G. Cole, V. Cole.
 Sarah Petts, Samantha Harnden, Wendy Goldfinch, Sharron Card.
 Jan Raphael, Lynn Corlett, Jenny Keenor, Jane Bailey.
 Coleen O` Connor, Elizabeth Hill, Catherine Coyne, Claire Calgey.

Cox, K. Harrison.
 Cox, J. Burrows.
 Cox, A. Greenwood.
 Cox, D. Twyman.
 Cox, Daniel Hutchings.
 Cox, C. Calgey.

OPEN EVENTS ;

SENIOR ; (Charles Matthews Cup)
 Winners ; Bideford A.R.C.
JUNIOR-SENIOR ; (Clarice & Dennis Crunden Cup)
 Winners ; Bideford A.R.C.
JUNIOR ; (Ginger Le Breton Cup)
 Winners ; Eastbourne.
NOVICE ; (McLoughlin Memorial Cup)
 Winners ; Poole.
LADIES SENIOR ; (Harold Percy Cup)
 Winners ; Bideford A.R.C.
LADIES JUNIOR ; (Mayor of Bideford Cup)
 Winners ; Lymington.

won by
 Colin Blackmore, Richard Spink, Ron Coote, John Hutchings.

Cox, N. Hutchings.

won by
 Patrick Penny, Chris Howells, Richard Spink, David Copp.

Cox, D. Sheke-Smith.

won by
 Adam Bates, Neil West, Alan Baker, Nick Norwood.

won by
 M. Bell, R. Taylor, T. Ford, E. Dipple.

Cox, S. Smith.

won by
 Anita Couch, Joanne Lavington, Susanne Hutchings, Rebecca Pridham.

Cox, M. Hutchings.

won by
 R. Saunders, J. Lamb, C. Bartlett, K. Colverson.

RACING OFFICIALS ;

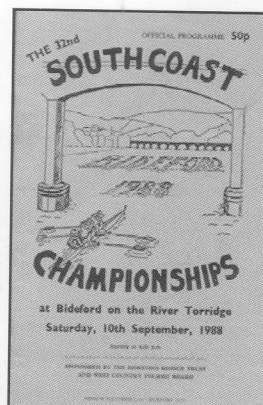
Starters ; Roger Smith. (CARA)
 Umpires ; Dave Barnett (CARA)
 Judges ; Cyril Crouch. (CARA)

Ted Shergold. (Hants & Dorset)
 Mike Green. (Hants & Dorset)
 Brent Hartland. (Hants & Dorset)

Hilary Bastone. (WEARA)
 Bob Kelly. (WEARA)
 Tony Way. (WEARA)



1988 Senior Champions ... Christchurch R.C.
 Howard Pavey, Quentin Allen, Craig Parkin, William Shaw, Coxswain;
 R. Swinburn



1989 .. Venue ; DEAL held on Saturday 16th September, starting at 10.30 a.m. Programme Now cost 50p

This was the 33rd South Coast Championship Regatta, and the sixth time here at Deal. After being well received at the pre-regatta reception, we all looked forward to a good days racing and we were not disappointed. We saw Greenbank Falmouth hold off a late challenge by Ryde to win an exciting Senior Championship by 2ft. BTC won the J/Senior Championship beat the Coast pair of Hasting and Bexhill. Shanklin took the Ladies title over Brighton, while in an all Coast affair Shoreham beat Folkestone for the Junior Championship. At prize giving we saw the ever popular Harry Carpenter present the medals to the winning crews..

Championship Events ;

SENIOR FOURS ; (Bideford Bowl)
 Winners ; Greenbank Falmouth.
 2nd. Ryde..
 3rd Herne Bay.
 4th Bideford A.A.C.
 5th B.T.C. Southampton.
 6th Dover.

won by ½ length.

Ron Coote, Martin Bromell, Colin Blackmore, James Kerr.
 Steve Titmus, John Pike, Nick Pike, Neil Lacey.
 Matthew Kerr, Roger Plowman, Stuart Webb, Brian Moody-Smith.
 Colin Pennington, Ian Mulholland, Nigel Cann, Clive Bright.
 Steve Proudley, Wayne Sivier, Chris Foad, Mike Lewis.
 Steve Duncan, Richard Twyman, Jeremy Holmes, Keith Allen.

Cox, P. Bentley.
 Cox, N. Terry.
 Cox, A. Harvey.
 Cox, S. Walters.
 Cox, J. Foad.
 Cox, H. Vowles.

JUNIOR-SENIOR FOURS ; (Dandridge Cup)
 Winners ; B.T.C. Southampton.
 2nd Hastings.
 3rd Bexhill.
 4th Exeter.
 5th Christchurch.
 6th Exeter..

won by

Ian Smith, Neil Cairns, Andrew Stewart, Robin Matthews.
 Paul Turner, Vic Solomon, Robert Salmon, Kevin Smith.
 Robert Balchin, Eric Powell, Clive Bingham, Paul Dawes.
 Steve Alpin, Steve Midcalf, Andy Hopgood, Neil Hitt.
 N. Hack, Howard Larkin, D. Leaworth, J. Erwin.
 Tim Spencer, Brian Waycott, Dave Alpin, Dave Connington.

Cox, Graham Bailey.
 Cox, Scott Willett.
 Cox, J. Burrows.
 Cox, D. Carroll.
 Cox, S. Andrews.

JUNIOR FOURS ; (Dudley Ward Cup)
 Winners ; Shoreham.
 2nd Folkestone.
 3rd Ryde.
 4th Exeter..
 5th Christchurch.
 6th Plymouth..

won by

Nick Cracknell, Adrian Tate, Paul Mercer, Neil Lees.
 Martin Appleby, Allan West, David Parr, Nick Keller.
 Tim Ash, Simon Saunders, Brian Ingle, Steve Wort.
 John Galt, Alan Pike, Clive Ponsford, John Walker.
 J. Sutherby, G. Lane, H. Brown, C. Arnell.
 R. Gilbert, T. Ley, S. Reid, T. Walsh.

Cox, Matthew Elliott.
 Cox, D. Foad.
 Cox, T. Wort.
 Cox, S. Overall.
 Cox, R. Erwin.
 Cox, S. Reeby.

LADIES SENIOR ; (Anglia Building Society Cup)
 Winners ; Shanklin.
 2nd Brighton.
 3rd Deal.
 4th Christchurch.
 5th Bideford A.R.C.
 6th Exeter.

won by

Nicky Wilson, Lesley Cumming, Jenny Keenor, Jane Bailey.
 Beverley Fisher, Julie Ince, Rachel Garrett, Ruth Bedding.
 Sarah Petts, Samantha Harnden, Trudy Snape, Sharron Card.
 M. Huisman, D. Ford, V. Cole, H. Burleigh.
 Joanne Hodge, Suzanne Hutchings, Rebecca Pridham, Tina Cox.
 Rachel Tucker, Sarah Tucker, Karen Williams, Maggie Aggett.

Cox, Daniel Hutchins.
 Cox, M. Hayes.
 Cox, D. Twyman.
 Cox, C. Tabor.
 Cox, K. Harrison.
 Cox, G. Brown.

OPEN EVENTS ;

SENIOR ; (Charles Matthews Cup)
 Winners ; Southsea.
JUNIOR-SENIOR ; (Clarice & Dennis Crunden Cup)
 Winners ; Folkestone.
JUNIOR ; (Ginger Le Breton Cup)
 Winners ; Worthing.
NOVICE ; (McLoughlin Memorial Cup)
 Winners ; Ryde.
LADIES SENIOR ; (Harold Percy Cup)
 Winners ; Worthing.
LADIES JUNIOR ; (Mayor of Bideford Cup)
 Winners ; Deal.

won by

Andrew Stearne, Robert Stearne, Peter Mahoney, Jeff Watling. Cox, Sarah Barnes-Walker.

won by

Martin Fakley, Paul Hoveman, Steve Edgar, Mark Hicken.

Cox, C. Calgey.

won by

Philip Cresswell, Nick Taylor, Robert McLaughlin, Martyn Taylor.

won by

Lee Lacey, Graham Oakley, Ian Godfrey, Matt Beaton.

Cox, A. Durrell.

won by

Mandi Gibbins, Lesley Sproat, Dawn Johnson, Jill Western.

Cox, A. Collins.

won by

Celia Doran, Pamela McCormack, Marie Card, Lisa Hambrook.

Cox, P. Bentley.

RACING OFFICIALS ;

Starters ; Phil Thornton. (CARA)
 Umpires ; Phil Challen. (CARA)
 Judges ; Cyril Crouch. (CARA)

Ken Poole. (Hants & Dorset)
 Pat Sherwin. (Hants & Dorset)
 Keith Warland. (Hants & Dorset)

Hilary Bastone. (WEARA)
 Bob Kelly. (WEARA)
 Tony Way. (WEARA)



1989 Junior-Senior Champions ... BTC Southampton A.R.C.
 Ian Smith, Nail Cairns, Andrew Stewart, Robin Matthews
 Coxswain; Graham Bailey



1989 Ladies Senior Champions ... Shanklin R.C.
 Lesley Cumming, Jenny Keenor, Nicky Wilson, Jane Bailey
 Coxswain; Daniel Hutchins

1990 Venue ; PLYMOUTH held on Saturday 15th September, starting at 2.30 p.m. Programme 50p

This was the 34th South Coast Championship Regatta, and the fifth time here at Plymouth. Greenbank won the Bideford Bowl for the second year running, while Poole took their first ever Championship winning the J/Senior. Bideford Ladies showed a clean pair of heels to the rest of the field in the Ladies Championship. Exeter won both the Open Senior and Open J/Senior.

A river venue would not have been Poole's first choice, but Christchurch kindly loaned them a boat and having rented a house at Plymouth for the week they settled down to training. With excellent hospitality from the host Club, training went very well and the Championship day dawned, saw them in good spirits. The draw left the crew with some shallow water for the first 300 metres, but they stayed level with the rest of the crews and then slowly edged ahead. By halfway they had forged into a 1 length lead, but could not extend the lead any further, the boat not seeming to run as well as it had in training. As the finish came closer Poole fought desperately to hold off a late challenge from Bideford 'Blues' and hung on by 1/2 length to claim the Junior-Senior Championship, a first ever Championship for the Club. It was many hours later before bowman Andy Sothcott admitted that his rigger pin had come loose early in the race 'this was probably the cause for the slight reduction in power'

Championship Events ;

SENIOR FOURS ; (Bideford Bowl)
 Winners ; Greenbank Falmouth.
 2nd. Christchurch.
 3rd Bideford A.R.C.
 4th B.T.C. Southampton.
 5th Dover.
 6th Shoreham.

JUNIOR-SENIOR FOURS ; (Dandridge Cup)
 Winners ; Poole.
 2nd Bideford A.A.C.
 3rd Dartmouth.
 4th Folkestone.
 5th Ryde.
 6th Folkestone.

JUNIOR FOURS ; (Dudley Ward Cup)
 Winners ; Worthing.
 2nd Lymington.
 3rd Bideford A.R.C.
 4th Southsea.
 5th Bexhill.
 6th Bideford A.A.C.

LADIES FOURS ; (Anglia Building Society Cup)
 Winners ; Bideford A.R.C.
 2nd Exeter.
 3rd Christchurch.
 4th Deal.
 5th Shanklin.
 6th Folkestone.

OPEN EVENTS ;

SENIOR ; (Charles Matthews Cup)
 Winners ; Exeter.
JUNIOR-SENIOR ; (Clarice & Dennis Crunden Cup)
 Winners ; Exeter..
JUNIOR ; (Ginger Le Breton Cup)
 Winners ; Ryde.
NOVICE ; (McLoughlin Memorial Cup)
 Winners ; Dartmouth.
LADIES SENIOR ; (Harold Percy Cup)
 Winners ; Southampton Univ.
LADIES JUNIOR ; (Mayor of Bideford Cup)
 Winners ; B.T.C. Southampton.

RACING OFFICIALS ;

Starters ; Mac Lowrie. (CARA)
 Umpires ; Phil Challen. (CARA)
 Judges ; Cyril Crouch. (CARA)

won by
 Ron Coote, Colin Blackmore, Mark Smith, James Kerr.
 C. Arnell, A. Brown, John Ellis, William Shaw.
 Steve Hutchings, Mike Prance, Dave Nickoll, Glen Wilkins.
 Mike Lewis, Chris Foad, Malcolm Proudley, Steve Proudley.
 Steve Duncan, Richard Twyman, Reg Kent, Keith Allen.
 Nick Cracknell, Adrian Tate, Paul Mercer, Garry Saunders.

Cox, T. Hutchinson.
 Cox, R. Erwin.
 Cox, Oliver Skene-Smith.
 Cox, J. Foad.

won by 1/2 length..
 Andy Sothcott, Wayne Callaghan, Paul Drane, Peter Jacobs.
 Andrew White, Neil Pennington, Colin Pennington, Heath Pettifer.
 David Hart, Vaughan Bowden, Matthew Atkins, J. Hart.
 Martin Appleby, Paul Hoveman, Steve Edgar, Mark Simmonds.
 Steve Wort, Brian Ingle, Simon Saunders, Tim Ash.
 Martin Fakley, Nick Kellar, David Parr, Mark Hicken.

Cox, Johnathon Best.
 Cox, L. Roberts.
 Cox, A. Redcliff.
 Cox, Paul Kemp.
 Cox, T. Wort.

won by
 John Collins, Martyn Taylor, Robert McLaughlin, Nick Taylor .
 K. Chalk, M. Howsham, N. Fagan, B. Goodall.
 Chris Pascoe, Mark Fishleigh, Andrew Barke, Toby Poetach.
 Tim Donovan, Ken Knight, Mike Osbourne, Colin Stace.
 Darren Mitchell, Gareth Martin, Steve Dennis, Andrew Bickers.
 Andrew Curtis, Steve Clements, David Mitchell, Mark Fisher,

Cox, K. Ella.
 Cox, M. Jewell.
 Cox, S. Barnes-Walker.
 Cox, Darren Finch.
 Cox, S. Curtis.

won by
 Tina Cox, Rebecca Pridham, Suzanne Hutchings, Joanne Hodge.
 Sarah Hoppood, Sarah Tucker, Maggie Aggett, Rachel Tucker.
 V. Cole, E. Larkin, Emma Wright, J. Marchant.
 Trudy Snape, Samantha Harnden, Sarah Petts, Sharron Card.
 Jane Bailey, Jenny Kennor, Lesley Cumming, Nicky Wilson.
 Carol Boughton, Maria Dixon, Lynne Johnson, Cheryl Cruttenden.

Cox, K. Harrison-Howells.
 Cox, M. Hurved.
 Cox, R. Erwin.

Cox, Daniel Hutchins.

won by
 R. Manley. Neil Hitt, Dave Connington, Andy Pengelly.
 won by
 Paul Fitzhenry, Neil Fitzhenry, Dave King, Colin Casseldon.
 won by
 Matt Leal, Miles Tetlow, Steve Dear, Tony Hayles.

Cox, J. Burrows.

Cox, S. Pike.

Cox, M. Davies.

won by
 Peter Hart, Daniel Pyne, Nigel Bolton, Adrian Langman.
 won by
 R. Ganderton, N. Ashcroft, S. Riley, E. Vermenlen.

Cox, J. Foad.

won by
 Helen Olden, Kaye Hume, Elaine Weaver, Liz Besant.

Cox, Graham Bailey.

Ted Shergold. (Hants & Dorset)
 Pat Sherwin. (Hants & Dorset)
 Mike Green. (Hants & Dorset)

Tony Way. (WEARA)
 Hilary Bastone. (WEARA)
 Bob Kelly. (WEARA)



1990 Junior-Senior Champions ... Poole A.R.C.
 Andy Sothcott, Wayne Callaghan, Paul Drane, Peter Jacobs
 Coxswain; Johnathon Best

34th SOUTH COAST
 ROWING
 CHAMPIONSHIP REGATTA
 PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

Saturday 15th September 1990
 commencing 2.30 p.m.
 To be held at :-
 PLYMOUTH. DEVON.
 Price 50p

1991 .. Venue ; SOUTHAMPTON held on Saturday 28th September at Weston Shore. Programme 50p

This was the 35th South Coast Championship Regatta and the fifth here at Southampton. The regatta was suspended halfway through due to rough weather and the starters platform being washed away with the starters still on it, the remaining events were held on the Sunday.

My 1991 memories by Garry Saunders, We arrived at Weston Shore being Coast Senior Fours Champions, unbeaten, the weather was rough, pouring with rain and conditions very rough. We sat around all day waiting for our race, Paul was busy telling the opposition that they had come along way for a shower! he expected to win. Finally the race was due to start, we dropped back off the line, after a couple of minutes the race was abandoned due to the starting platform being washed away, racing would be continued on the Sunday. When we came ashore we noticed that our bow canvas was split, we would have sunk for sure. The next day the weather had improved, making conditions good, we had a long wait as the Bowl race was the last race. Just before going afloat Gus noticed that his seat was jamming and swapped it over with Paul's, so without knowing we paddled up to the start. What a surprise, the race started first time and we tore off into a 2 lengths lead looking for a crushing victory, "Stop! My seats off" shouted Paul. When at last we finally got going, we were last, but coming back with every stroke, by halfway we were a length down, with 200 metres to go, it was all level, six boats in a line, we needed more speed and needed it now! Sue our coxswain (certainly the best looking) in one sentence made sure of that. "Come on Mercer lets see how ***** good you are". If ever the correct sentence was spoken at the correct time in a race, that was it. The boat lifted, the power was on, our rate increased, we won by a length over the "Reds", it was a great feeling, with Paul shouting "I told you so", as we paddled back, passing the crowded shore, packed with cheering people, I heard Karen from Bideford shouting "Well done you big heads" no-one could take this away, the Bowl was coming home.



1991 Senior Champions ... Shoreham A.R.C.
Garry Saunders, Graham Gumbrell, Neil Lees, Paul Mercer
Coxswain; Sue Parsons

Championship Events ;

SENIOR FOURS ; (Bideford Bowl)

Winners ;	Shoreham.
2nd.	Bideford A.R.C.
3rd	Southsea.
4th	B.T.C. Southampton.
5th	Deal.
6th	Bideford A.A.C..

won by 1 length

Garry Saunders, Graham Gumbrell, Paul Mercer, Neil Lees.
Glen Wilkins, Steve Hutchings, Mike Prance, Martin Bromell.
Simon Tout, Tim Donovan, Pete Mahoney, Steve Hill.
Malcolm Proudley, Mike Weaver, Adie Stewart, Wayne Sivier.
Steve Duncan, Richard Twyman, John Moon, Keith Allen.
Ian Mulholland, Nigel Cann, Neil Pennington, Colin Pennington.

Cox, Sue Parsons.
Cox, D. Babb.
Cox, S. Surr.
Cox, J. Cox.

JUNIOR-SENIOR FOURS ; (Dandridge Cup)

Winners ;	Southampton.
2nd	Folkestone.
3rd	Bexhill.
4th	Lymington.
5th	Torpoint.
6th	Exeter.

won by

Garry Scott, Pete Burgess, Paul Castleman, Kevin Taylor.
Andrew West, David Cloake, Steve Tupper, Mark Savill.
Scott Blything, Steve Dennis, Gareth Martin, Andrew Bickers.
S. Lane, M. Skaife, M. Howsham, K. Chalk.
N. Skentelbery, D. Jackson, G. Burnett, P. Moore.
Colin Souch, Paul Fitzhenry, Dave King, Neil Fitzhenry.

Cox, J. Davies.
Cox, Paul Lock.
Cox, Darren Finch.
Cox, K. Ella.
Cox, J. Marcol.
Cox, S. Pike.

JUNIOR FOURS ; (Dudley Ward Cup)

Winners ;	Dover.
2nd	B.T.C. Southampton.
3rd	Southampton Coalporters.
4th	Bideford A.A.C.
5th	Dartmouth.
6th D.N.F.	Deal.

won by

Paul Brisely, Andrew Doherty, Dave Doherty, Danny Cookson.
John McAdam, Mark Geary, Rob Mills, Mark Wilson.
Pete White, John Carter, Ian Rand, Mark White.
Adrian Cann, Jonathan Hare, Jeff Parish, Andrew Curtis.
D. Squires, M. Cresswell, A. Pomeroy, P. Hodge.
Robert Hussey, Russell Peace, Justin Dadrill, Darren Foster.

Cox, Kate Snape.
Cox, H. Edwards.
Cox, L. Moore.
Cox, K. Harrison.
Cox, J. Bastone.
Cox, David Twyman.

LADIES FOURS ; (Anglia Building Society Cup)

Winners ;	Shanklin.
2nd	Shoreham.
3rd	Dover.
4th	Christchurch.
5th	Bideford A.R.C.
6th	Greenbank Falmouth.

won by

Lynn Corlett, Lesley Walters, Jenny Keenor, Jane Bailey.
Anitia Bracey, Alice Lister, Sue Page, Jackie Payne.
Trudy Snape, Samantha Harnden, Sarah Petts, Sharron Mullaney.
V. Cole, H. Burleigh, S. Payne, I. Munden.
Michelle White, Joanne Hodge, Susanne Hutchings, Tina Cox.
L. Wills, J. Zimmer, H. Brooks, Julie Winter.

Cox, Sally Maddox.
Cox, Sue Parsons.
Cox, Kate Snape.
Cox, R. Erwin.
Cox, K. Harrison.
Cox, T. Hutchinson.

OPEN EVENTS ;

SENIOR ;	(Charles Matthews Cup)
Winners ;	Lymington.
JUNIOR-SENIOR ;	(Clarice & Dennis Crunden Cup)
Winners ;	Ryde.
JUNIOR ;	(Ginger Le Breton Cup)
Winners ;	Bexhill.
NOVICE ;	(McLoughlin Memorial Cup)
Winners ;	B.T.C. Southampton.
LADIES SENIOR ;	(Harold Percy Cup)
Winners ;	Southampton.
LADIES NOVICE ;	(Exeter Fund Managers Trophy)
Winners ;	B.T.C. Southampton.

won by

Mike Lewis, Chris Foad, Malcolm Proudley, Steve Proudley.

won by

Matt Leal, Miles Tetlow, Jim Murphy, Steve Dear.

won by

Shane Carey, Chris Smith, Mark Mitchell, Matt Mitchell.

won by

Simon Mathieson, Simon Delves, Simon Welstead, James Sherrington.

won by

Kate Scott, Alison Gregory, Sharon Fleet, Wendy Hartland.

won by

E. Denham, E. Hyland, B. New, K. O'Donnell.

Cox, B. Spinks.

Cox, Terri Miller.

Cox, J. Cox.

Cox, J. Davies.

Cox, J. Cox.

RACING OFFICIALS ;

Starters ;	Brian Smith. (CARA)
Umpires ;	Bryan Goodban. (CARA)
Judges ;	Cyril Crouch. (CARA)

Ted Shergold. (Hants & Dorset)

Mike Green. (Hants & Dorset)

Steve Bull. (Hants & Dorset)

Bob Kelly. (WEARA)

Tony Way. (WEARA)

Colin Myrone. (WEARA)

1992 Venue ; APPLIEDORE & INSTOW held on Saturday 19th September. Starting at 10.00 am Programme £ 1 . 00

This was the 36th South Coast Championship Regatta at which we saw Shoreham retain the `Bideford Bowl` and Vospers win both Mens Junior and Ladies Senior Championships. Both Bideford Clubs had success with the `Blues` winning the Open Senior while the `Reds` took the J/Senior Championship and the Ladies Senior and Novice Open. B.T.C. won the first Ladies Junior Championship over Exeter.

Championship Events ;

SENIOR FOURS ; (Bideford Bowl)
 Winners ; Shoreham.
 2nd. B.T.C. Southampton.
 3rd Bideford A.R.C.
 4th Deal.
 5th Southsea.
 6th Dartmouth.

won by
 Nick Cracknell, Graham Gumbrell, Paul Mercer, Neil Lees.
 Malcolm Proudley, Mike Weaver, Adrian Stewart, Brian Edwards.
 Steve Hutchings, Mike Prance, Neil Hitt, James Kerr.
 Steve Duncan, Richard Twyman, John Moon, Nick Hibbert.
 Paul Hollis, Simon Tout, Peter Mahoney, Tim Donovan.

Cox, Sue Parsons.

JUNIOR-SENIOR FOURS ; (Dandridge Cup)
 Winners ; Bideford A.R.C.
 2nd Plymouth.
 3rd B.T.C. Southampton.
 4th Dover.
 5th Deal.
 6th Ryde.

won by
 Chris Pascoe, Mark Fisleigh, Andrew Barke, Dave Tithecott.
 Tom Walsh, Guy Newton, Richard Gilbert, Rob Kingdon.
 John McAdam, Mark Geary, Rob Mills, Mark Wilson.
 Paul Brisley, Andrew Doherty, David Doherty, Danny Cookson.
 Robert Hussey, Russell Peace, Justin Dodrill, Darren Foster.
 Steve Cook, Mike Merritt, Tony Hayles, Jason Grundy.

JUNIOR FOURS ; (Dudley Ward Cup)
 Winners ; Vospers.
 2nd Worthing.
 3rd B.T.C. Southampton.
 4th Bexhill.
 5th Plymouth.
 6th Greenbank Falmouth.

won by
 Andrew Catterall, Mark Collins, Steve Bath, Gerardo Brenner.
 Lee Brown, Clive Houslop, Adam White, Vic Strohacker.
 Dave Crech, Mike Neal, Paul Neal, Pete Crech.
 Shane Carey, Chris Smith, Mark Mitchell, Matt Mitchell.
 P. Hamling, G. Jennings, A. Woods, P. Reeby.
 A. Jones, S. Childs, F. Stevens, E. Toser.

Cox, Kim Stubbs.

Cox, Peter Deeprise.

LADIES SENIOR ; (Anglia Building Society Cup)
 Winners ; Vospers.
 2nd Shoreham.
 3rd Southampton.
 4th Dover.
 5th Paignton.
 6th Bideford A.R.C.

won by
 Kerrie Woodford, Caroline Hobson, Mary-Anne Miller, Paula Kersten.
 Anita Bracey, Alice Lister, Sue Page, Jackie Payne.
 Sharon Fleat, Alison Gregory, Jo Green, Wendy Hartland.
 Trudy Snape, Samantha Harnden, Sarah Petts,, Sharron Mullaney.
 Marie Lewis, Jane Hallett,, Debbie Hamilton, Jackie Smaller.
 Alison Mitchell, Clare Croome, Joanne Godfrey, Alison Evans.

Cox, Judith Foad.

LADIES JUNIOR ; (Dartington Crystal Vase)
 Winners ; B.T.C. Southampton.
 2nd Exeter.
 3rd Torquay.
 4th Southsea..
 5th Deal.
 6th Brighton.

won by
 Elaine Nicholls, Liz Mould, Tricia Sivier, Kaye Hume.
 Kerry Simmonds, Sarah Lester, Annette Wiles, Kate White.
 Evelyn Murray, Julie Howkins, Donna Plumridge, A. Throgmorton.
 Sharon Fry, Isobel Ryder, Louise Trengrove, Gina Sweeting.
 Linda Rubins, Gill Young, Joanna Holmes, Julie Harrison.
 Sarah Mugford, Louise Butterworth, Tina Stoner, Cheryl Young.

Cox, J. Cox.

OPEN EVENTS ;

SENIOR ; (Charles Matthews Cup)
 Winners ; Bideford A.A.C.
JUNIOR-SENIOR ; (Clarice & Dennis Crunden Cup)
 Winners ; Herne Bay.
JUNIOR ; (Ginger Le Breton Cup)
 Winners ; Southampton.
NOVICE ; (McLoughlin Memorial Cup)
 Winners ; Bideford A.R.C.
LADIES SENIOR ; (Harold Percy Cup)
 Winners ; Bideford A.R.C.
LADIES JUNIOR ; (Mayor of Bideford Cup)
 Winners ; Christchurch.
LADIES NOVICE ; (Exeter Fund Managers Trophy)
 Winners ;

won by
 Ian Mulholland, Nigel Cann, Colin Pennington, Neil Pennington.
 won by
 Brian Moody-Smith, Paul Monroe, Darren White, Mark Jeffries.
 won by
 Steve Turner, Paul Seabrook, Neil Purges, Tony Barr.
 won by
 Macpherson, Griffin, Lovell, Ellis.
 won by
 Tina Cox, Rebecca Pridham, Susanne Hutchings, Michelle White.
 won by
 Heather Speight, Rachel Erwin, Anna Hawkins, Sylvia Osborne.
 won by

Cox, David Gander.

Cox, Ryan Hosking.

Cox, K. Harrison.

RACING OFFICIALS ;

Starters ; Mac Lowrie. (CARA)
 Umpires ; Phil Thornton. (CARA)
 Judges ; Cyril Crouch. (CARA)

Keith Warland. (Hants & Dorset)
 Ken Poole. (Hants & Dorset)
 Steve Bull. (Hants & Dorset)

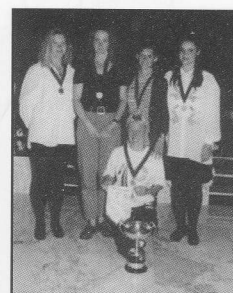
Bob Kelly. (WEARA)
 Colin Myrone. (WEARA)
 Tony Way. (WEARA)



1992 Junior-Senior Open Winners ... Herne Bay A.R.C.
 Mark Jeffries, Brian Moddy-Smith, Darren White, Paul Monroe
 Coxswain; Ryan Hosking



1992 Senior Open Winners ... Bideford A.A.C.
 Ian Mulholland, Nigel Cann, Colin Pennington, Neil Pennington
 Coxswain; David Gander



1992 Ladies Senior Champions ... Vospers A.R.C.
 Kerrie Woodford, Caroline Hobson, Mary-Anne Miller, Paula Kersten
 Coswain; Judith Foad