

## FAMBRIDGE YACHT HAVENS 2016 WINTER SERIES

Presentation Dinner at “The West Wick Yacht Club” Fambridge Yacht Havens Marina

The end of series dinner took place on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> February at the “Yacht Club” restaurant with Tony and staff providing an excellent 3 course dinner for 55 skippers, crew and guests.

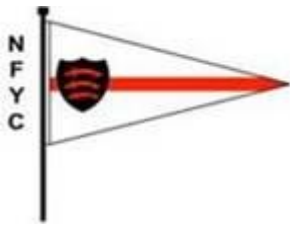
The 2016 winter series being seen as a resounding success with 25 boats signed up, and up to 18 taking the start line for the 6 race series.

With the predominately light winds throughout the series, it was not surprising that the overall winners were 1<sup>st</sup> Pickpocket Robber 3E , 2<sup>nd</sup> Eau De Vie Limbo 6.6 , 3<sup>rd</sup> Taxman Robber 3E, Ngahue II, Halberg 37 & Holly Nicholson 32 leading the 30ft + fleet home in 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> place respectively.

### Full list of Prize Winners 2016

Series Winner 1st Place	Frank Curtis	Pickpocket
Series 2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	Ernie/Cheryl	Eau De Vie
Series 3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	Mike Bradley	Taxman
Best improved Boat	Chris/Tim	Lunan
Perseverance Trophy	Jason Stockley	Burglar
Gaffer Trophy	Roy Hart	Greensleeves 11
Best Robber Trophy	Frank Curtis	Pickpocket
Captain Friend Trophy	Gary Pollington	Outlaw
Special Mention Prize	Elizabeth Pollington	Photographer
Race Officer Special Mention	Cimrap	Steve Cox

Race Officer Mike Saward commented on the general good behaviour of the competitors during the race starts this series, making the workload for Mike and his team on the start boat very enjoyable.



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The joint organising committee from NFYC & WWYC would like to thank our sponsors for their continuing support helping to make this another very enjoyable and keenly contested winter race series.

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Skee Tex, Roy Hart, Battlesbridge.

To all those taking part in 2016 we look forward to seeing you again for the 2017 series. Race information will be available from July 2017.

Nick Parsons  
Fambridge Yacht Haven Winter Series Committee



Paul Wiggins FYH presents Roy Hart, Greensleeves II With the "Gaffer" trophy.



WWYC Commodore John Gladman presents Frank Curtis, Pickpocket with the DRS rigging trophy For winning the winter series.