

International One-Design Class
informal meeting of championship representatives held at the
Royal Bermuda Yacht Club October 10th, 1959.

Present: Allan McIlhenny (NEH) Paul Thompson (NEH) Thomas Rowan (MAR)
Jan Godager (NOR) Corny Shields (LIS) Robert Cookman (BDA)
A.F. Darrell (BDA) Dr. DeSilva (SF) Don King (LIS)
Warner Wilcox (LIS) W.A. Brown (BDA) H. C. Masters (BDA)
Stanhope Joel (BDA) A.H. Hooper (BDA) Neil Putnam (MAR)
Ernest Brown (SF)

Mr. Fenton Trimmingham, RBYC Vice-Commodore took the chair.

1. Jan Godager announced that Bjarne Aas is donating a perpetual trophy for I.C.D. World Championships.
2. H. C. Masters asked for suggestions where the next championship series should be held, and a discussion on the arrangements and ~~rules~~ regulations to be set up for same with some international body in control.
3. C. Shields suggested that the next race be held in Norway as a gesture to Bjarne Aas. Jan Godager wants suggestions reference participants and how they should be selected.
4. Ernest Brown suggested closer liason, keeping fleets in contact.
5. Dr. DeSilva suggested a "mother" body to govern all fleets.
6. W. A. Brown proposes that three winners plus Shields, Masters and Aas, as a committee to start. Suggestion rotation of sailing locations.
7. Warner Wilcox suggested committee be elected from body present and that individual committee be elected tonight.
8. W. A. Brown said his committee was in the nature of a steering committee to get ~~back~~ the organisation started.
9. Corny Shields - Fleets should choose own representatives - much fairer to choose at home locations in their own competitions.
10. Warner Wilcox - proposed that Mr. Shields write the various class fleets laying basic plans.
11. A. F. Darrell - suggested that Mr. Shields be the first Chariman of the International Class World Committee.
12. Mr. Shields accepted the nomination.
13. Warner Wilcox - Should previous champion be ^{be} selected in subsequent years?
14. Corny Shields - Thinks that each man should be chosen every year whether he was the winner the previous year or not.
15. Paul Thompson - suggested that defending champion should be allowed

.....to compete subject to fleet decision - permit continuity.

16. Corny Shields - Mallory Cup deed of gift might be good to follow.
17. Fenton Trimmingham - Don't tie up things too tight as rules should have some flexibility.
18. Warner Wilcox - Suggested that each fleet be responsible for rules and regulations.
19. It was agreed that the 1960 Annual Championships be held in Norway.
Mr. Godager suggested that August would be a good month.
20. Ernest Brown - would like to see basic rule that boats be rotated in Round Robin fashion.
Agreed that Round Robin method should be adopted.
Question of whether owner should sail his own boat or not - recommendation that skipper cannot sail his own boat.
21. Paul Thompson - suggested Secretary of Bermuda IOD Class send a letter to Mr. Aas thanking him for his gift.
22. Warner Wilcox - recommendations of this meeting be sent to Mr. Shields for his consideration.

*These minutes were taken by Kirk Cooper who
kindly consented to do same*

*H. C. Masters
Secretary*