

Results for the Whitrod Classic for International One Metre
Sailed at the Patawalonga, South Australia, on Sunday 20th April 2008.

Name	Sail No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Total	Discard	Nett	POS
J. Gratton	177	3	7	1	3	1	1	4	1	1	2	1	1	1	5	1	1	34	12	22	1
B. Osborn	63	2	Dns	Dns	4	4	2	1	3	8	1	5	2	2	1	6	3	66	22	44	2
J. Wight	67	5	5	2	1	9	4	2	2	3	4	2	4	4	2	4	7	60	16	44	3
J. Luther	37	1	3	3	2	2	3	3	4	2	3	3	5	5	7	5	5	56	12	44	4
J. Johnson	86	6	2	7	5	7	8	8	5	5	5	6	3	3	3	2	2	77	16	61	5
G. Ingerson	41	4	1	8	10	5	7	7	7	6	6	4	6	6	4	3	4	88	18	70	6
I. Whitrod	95	10	4	5	8	3	9	5	6	4	10	Dnf	Dnf	Dns	6	Dnf	Dns	125	22	103	7
I. Dowsett	87	9	8	6	6	9	6	9	10	9	9	7	7	7	8	8	6	124	19	105	8
J. Amber	99	8	6	4	7	6	5	6	8	7	7	Dnf	Dnf	Dns	Dns	Dns	Dns	130	22	108	9
J. Inverarity	80	7	9	9	9	10	10	10	9	10	8	8	8	8	8	7	8	138	20	118	10

The weather ranged from light to medium throughout the day, and PRO Rob Guyatt was constantly tested to set a course where there was a beat for one leg at least. However what with the wind changes it was not always possible, leading to frustration among most of the competitors for some of the day. However it was generally considered to be a testing day and as the results show, the best sailors triumphed in the end.

John Gratton sailed a consistent day, generally finishing in first position – just goes to show that regardless of the wind, a good sailor still manages to come out on top. Congratulations John for a well sailed day!

There were ongoing battles during the day for the next 3 positions which were finally settled by count back to arrive at the placings. Brett Osborn overcame winch difficulties finishing second, followed by Jeff Wight and then Jurgen Luther.

The middle field was contested closely by John Johnson and Graham Ingerson with 9 points separating John from Graham.

Then the four remaining sailors were having their own contest at the rear of the field separated by 15 points.

All in all, it was a good day, with challenging courses set under varying wind conditions of both strength and direction.