

California District Championship  
Mission Bay Yacht Club – Fleet 194  
San Diego, California  
July 21, 2013

Pos	Sail#	HelmName	R1	R2	R3	R4	Total	Nett
1	15302	Bob Martin	3.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	6.0	6.0
2	15330	Scott Finkboner	1.0	3.0	3.0	2.0	9.0	9.0
3	14095	Kirk Johnson	2.0	5.0	2.0	3.0	12.0	12.0
4	13742	Larry Schmidt	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	16.0	16.0
5	15282	Steve Ross	5.0	2.0	5.0	7.0/DNC	19.0	19.0
6	15283	Dan Gravatt	6.0	6.0	6.0	7.0/DNC	25.0	25.0

The California Lightning District Championship was sailed in the ocean outside of Mission Bay on July 21. Monsoon weather conditions brought light air from the south and kelp everywhere. In fact, a kelp paddy about the size of a basketball court parked itself at the finish line during the last race, making it very tricky to finish. But since "there's nothing . . . absolutely nothing . . . half so much worth doing as simply messing around in boats", it didn't matter. It was a great day on the water!

This year's Districts featured regatta t-shirts designed by our own Marlena Ross and a dinner organized by Donna Collins. Nice work! The fleet owes a special thanks to Doc and Andrea Caroe, Brian Anderson and Edna Johnson for conducting a well-run regatta.

Bob Martin



California Champions: (Left to right) Bob Martin, Scott Hoffmann, Scott Finkboner, Jim Whitcraft, Kirk Johnson, Merlin Green, Chris Keefe, Jennifer Lyons