## Result of RC Laser National / Victorian Championship 2010

Held at Waterways Lakes on 17<sup>th</sup> ~ 18<sup>th</sup> April 2010

The event started slowly on the Saturday morning, deciding which location to sail from and a light breeze, sailing commenced at 10:15 am with a fleet of 18 including skippers from WA (2), SA (1), Tas (1), NSW (4) and Vic (10).

By the luncheon break 5 races had been completed with 4 different skippers with a first place (Paul Derwent (NSW), Scott Fleming (Vic), David Pruden (WA), and Grant Gillespie (Vic)) other good performers were Simon Dubbin (Vic), Graham Brown (NSW) and Rodney Popham (WA). The afternoon saw an improvement in the wind strength and a further 9 races with "B" and "C" rigs appearing at times, again 4 different skippers with wins (Paul Derwent (NSW) 2, Scott Fleming (Vic) 4, Simon Dubbin (Vic) 2 and Brendan Lee (Vic) 1. At the end of day one Scott Fleming (Vic) lead the way with Graham Brown (NSW), David Pruden (WA), Grant Gillespie (Vic), Paul Derwent (NSW), Simon Dubbin (Vic) and Brendan Lee (Vic) within striking distance, other good performers were Rodney Popham (WA), Steven Anderson (Vic), Jurgen Luther (SA) and Paul Martin (NSW).

Day two started repeating day one, with little to no breeze and by the luncheon break a further 5 races had been completed with wins to Peter Lee (Vic) 1, Scott Fleming (Vic) 2 and Graham Brown (NSW) 2, other good performances by Paul Derwent (NSW), Steven Anderson (Vic) and Jurgen Luther (SA). Again the afternoon saw an improvement to the strength and direction of the breeze and a further 9 races were completed with wins to Scott Fleming (Vic) 4, David Pruden (WA) 4 and Paul Martin (NSW) 1, other good performances by Graham Brown (NSW), Paul Derwent (NSW), Steven Anderson (Vic) and Brendan Lee (Vic).

The two days produced some close competitive racing with good sportspersonship with the overall results shared between worthy skippers, a total of 28 races were completed with 4 discards.

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Skipper Name	State	Sail #	Total	Discards	Final	Placing
Scott Fleming	Vic	38	93	35	58	1
Graham Brown	NSW	87	130	50	80	2
David Pruden	WA	39	144	45	99	3
Paul Derwent	NSW	21	182	70	112	4
Grant Gillespie	Vic	49	197	54	143	5
Brendan Lee	Vic	95	231	69	162	6
Rodney Popham	WA	42	217	48	169	7
Steven Anderson	Vic	93	243	65	178	8
Paul Martin	NSW	158	273	60	213	9
Jurgen Luther	SA	127	283	66	217	10
Ted Stevens	Vic	45	286	66	220	11
Peter Lee	Vic	82	303	70	233	12
Alan Fleming	Vic	64	334	67	267	13
Jayne Fleming	Vic	86	331	62	269	14
Chris Madziara	Tas	51	362	68	294	15
Simon Dubbin	Vic	91	350	30	320	16
Janet Lee	Vic	84	452	72	380	17
Cliff Bromley	NSW	01	427	34	393	18













