2017 Class Report
International B14 Class Association
Q1: Please enter your World Sailing Class Association name

B14

Q2: Class Website URL

www.b14.org

Q3: Contact details for President (name, address, telephone, email)

Adrian Beswick,
24 Grove street Ulverstone Tasmania 7315 Australia
adrianbeswick@gmail.com

Q4: Contact details for Secretary (name, address, telephone, email)

WORLD SECRETARY:
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Q5: Contact details for Chief Measurer (name, address, telephone, email)

CHIEF MEASURER:
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Q6: Primary Contact (to be used in the yearbook)

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Q7: Average price of complete new boat without sails (pounds sterling). The average price is based on the prices quoted by your major three builders, in their national currency, which is then converted to Pounds Sterlings.

GB£14,000 (ex sails)
Q8: Name three builders (preferably one per continent) and quoted price (Ex VAT) for 2015/2016 (in Pounds Sterlings)
(1) BUILDER NAME: Seavolution Ltd
(1) Price: Europe – GBR£14,000 (ex sails)
(1) Website URL: barnsieb14768@tiscali.co.uk
(2) BUILDER NAME: J L Sly
(2) Price: Australia AUS$20,000 (ex sails)
(2) Website URL: jlsly@bigpond.com

Q9: Name all National Class Associations that paid in 2016
Europe (Combined to cover UK and Europe)
Asia/Oceania (Australasia combined)

Q10: Name Countries & number of boats that represent the World Sailing minimum criteria (see Regulation 10.2.1(d))
Country 1: Name Australia
Country 1: Number of boats 46
Country 2: Name United Kingdom
Country 2: Number of boats 73
Country 3: Name France
Country 3: Number of boats 13
Country 4: Name Japan
Country 4: Number of boats 20
Country 5: Name Hong Kong
Country 5: Number of boats 3

Q11: How many new boats were built in 2016? 2

Q12: How many boats were built over the past 5 years? GBR 14 AUS 9

Q13: Approximately how many boats exist Worldwide? 485

Q14: Number of World Championship titles awarded for the following groups (see World Sailing Regulation 25.2)
OPEN one
**Q15: Event Details 1 (just one World Championship - please complete all the fields)**

- **Event Title:** B14 World Championships
- **Venue:** Circolo Vela Torbole (Lago di Garda)
- **Event Website:** http://circolovelatorbole.com
- **Number of boats participating:** 35
- **Countries represented:** United Kingdom, Germany, France, Australia
- **Continents represented:** Two
- **Number of races held:** 10
- **Were any boats supplied and by who:** None
- **Name and nationality of world champion(s):** Rick Plain (AUS) and Mike Vincent (AUS)
- **Names and nationality of World Sailing International Judges present:** Unknown, Need to check with Circolo Vela Torbole
- **Names and nationality of non World Sailing Jury members:** Unknown, Need to check with Circolo Vela Torbole
- **Name of event Chief of Equipment Inspectors:** Richie Reynolds
- **Organisation quality:** Excellent
- **Venue good and bad points (1) ashore and (2) afloat:** Superb venue. Fantastic shoreside team and facilities. Easy launching and recovery. Afloat the race organisation was first class with superb courses and race management.

Please state any recommendations for future World Championships at (1) the same venue and (2) generally in terms of logistic of running a World Championship (not venue specific points)

None. CVT is a professional organisation that are experienced in world class events.

**Q16: Event Details 2 (just one World Championship - please complete all the fields)**

*Respondent skipped this question*

**Q17: Event Details 3 (just one World Championship - please complete all the fields)**

*Respondent skipped this question*

**Q18: Event Details 4 (just one World Championship - please complete all the fields)**

*Respondent skipped this question*