

**Royal Southampton Yacht Club**  
**2023 Racing Practice Day**  
**Saturday 15 April 2023**

In champagne sailing conditions ~ sunshine, fairly steady winds in terms of both wind speed and direction ~ the RSYC's Beaulieu Race Management Team delivered an intense practice programme.

The racing ground was in the area 3N - Royal Cork and 3S - TackGybeSet, between Lepe and Calshot.

Starting was in two groups, 8 Contessa 32s and 3 other lovely boats.

The programme was:

3 Practice Starts.

2 Windward/Leeward Races; and

A Round-the- Cans Race, which had a downwind Start into the tide.

This was therefore 12 Starts for the RMT of Guy & Zoë Darby.

In the CO 32 Group, Andaxi won the 3 Races with good performances from Jemima of Farley, Blanco and Corafin.

In Group 2 the standout performance was by Sailfish.

The competitors thoroughly enjoyed themselves. A great way to prepare for the Racing Season.