

## New South Wales International Optimist Dinghy Association Inc.

24th April 2012

Att/n The Commodore Middle Harbour Yacht Club Mosman NSW 2088

Dear Julie,

Re: Thank you from NSWIODA

On behalf of NSWIODA and all Optimist Sailors in NSW, I would like to extend our most sincere thanks to the MHYC staff, committee members and volunteers for their efforts in hosting the recent 2012 NSW Optimist State Championships.

As one of the largest and fastest growing classes in Australia our regatta entries continue to grow and MHYC has set a new record for entries for this event (just short of 120 boats). Running a junior regatta such as this requires a lot of organisation and effort both on and off the water and the MHYC team achieved a great result despite lack of wind that weekend.

During and prior to the event we had numerous meetings and correspondence with your staff and volunteers and found them to be very capable and accommodating of our needs.

Carl, Alister, and Locky all did a great job, as did the very numerous club volunteers lead by the very committed MHYC Junior sailing parents Adrian Fisk and Graham Griffin.

We have received very positive feedback from both the NSW and interstate sailors that attended and look forward to working with MHYC again in the near future on other Optimist events.

Would you please pass on these sentiments to all those involved (especially the volunteers)

Kindest regards,

Hugh Brodie
NSWIODA President
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