HalSail FAQ

Can I display my results on a screen in the club bar?

You can show your latest results on a big screen. To set this up go to the *Results* menu *Public links* page. Under *General links* there is one to allow you to set up the sequence of pages.

Clicking that link takes you to a screen where you can preview the pages to be shown and add any extra ones. Initially it shows the results of the races on the last day for which your account contains any results. So first thing in the morning it would show the previous day's results, both individual races and overall series results. As soon as any new results are put in it shows the current day's results.

There is a button on the preview page to allow you to add extra pages. These might be more results from your account, or they might be pages from your club website. You could show the weather forecast, for instance, or a page showing social events. Note that some popular commercial websites frown on this sort of display and do their best to stop it working. Links to Facebook or Google will result in blank pages when the sequence is launched, for instance.

The aim is to display results in the bar, or some place where competitors and other interested people are likely to congregate. The easiest way to set up the hardware is to use a laptop and duplicate its screen to a large TV or projector. It pays to go to full screen mode in the browser (usually F11) before launching the sequence.

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