HalSail FAQ

What happens if the normal helm or crew are absent and somebody else is in the boat?

You can add guest helms and guest crews to results. You do this as you enter the result itself, by entering their names in the Guest Helm and/or Guest Crew boxes.

The guest names will appear in the result for that boat in that race, in place of the normal helm and crew names which are derived from the Boat Register.

Note that the normal names from the Boat Register will always appear in the overall results of the series. The guest names only appear in the results of individual races unless all the races have the same guest names, or specifically ask for a particular guest name to appear in the overall results.

Adding guest helms or crews does not alter the way a series is scored. By default series are scored by boat, in other words the performance of each boat in the various races in the series is used to calculate the overall series scores. However you may wish to see how each helm has done, whatever boat they happened to sail. You can do this using score by helm.

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