

# KISS & SW Championship

October 2-3, 1999  
Fleet 32 Windycrest SC, Oklahoma

Report from Bill Jacobi

It was a rather breezy day with wins averaging 11 mph in the first race, down to 8 mph in race two and back up to 18 for the last one on Saturday. There were numerous capsize in the third race but everyone came through without damage. Many wore shorts but foul weather gear felt mighty good aboard the RC Boat.

A special award went to Jim Stinson for his

lengthy MC Scow rescue. A special thanks went to the rescue teams for they were very busy. Darline Hobock and re RC crew did an outstanding job.

Saturday evening's "cook your own steak and chicken" dinner proved to be a big success.

Pl	Skipper	Div	Club	Boat	Races					Pts
					1	2	3	4	5	
1	Kenny Baggett		WSC/OK	611	3	1	5*	1	1	6
2	Harvey Baker	M	WSC/OK	1268	1	2	4	2	4*	9
3	Greg Gearing		AYC/TX	1947	2	4*	3	3	2	10
4	John Kerr	M	WSC/OK	1285	7	7	1	7*	3	18
5	Bob McGinnis		WSC/OK	285	5	6	2	10*	6	19
6	Justin Adams	J	WSC/OK	832	6	3	7*	6	5	20
7	Danny Ziegler		WSC/OK	1321	4	5	6	5	8*	20
8	Jim Stinson	GM	WSC/OK	1304	8	9	13*	4	9	30
9	Rob Stout		WSC/OK	1445	9	10*	9	8	7	33
10	Bob LaFortune		WSC/OK	586	10	8	8	13	13*	39
11	Scott Butler		AYC/TX	490	11	11	10	12*	11	43
12	Bill Jacobi	M	WSC/OK	1675	13	13	13*	9	10	45
13	Kevin Harper		AYC/TX	590	12	12	12	11	12*	47

\* One throwout

## MC Fleet Chartered at Okoboji Yacht Club, Iowa

I gleaned the following in a phone interview with Brad Farrar, MC Fleet 64 Captain and General Manager of Okoboji Yacht Club.

Several years ago Brad and several other M-16 sailors began to get interested in the MC. Brad was one of the first to purchase an MC on Okoboji Lake. They now number seven boats actively racing and fully expect another four or five to join the fun this summer.

The Okoboji Yacht Club rents the brand new facilities of the Okoboji Sailing School. Besides a club house the club has 300 feet of lake frontage, docks, boat ramp and hoisting crane.

The Sailing School is a highly successful and well attended service in the community.

In August of 1999, Okoboji Yacht Club played host to the Inland Lake Yachting Association Championship Regatta.

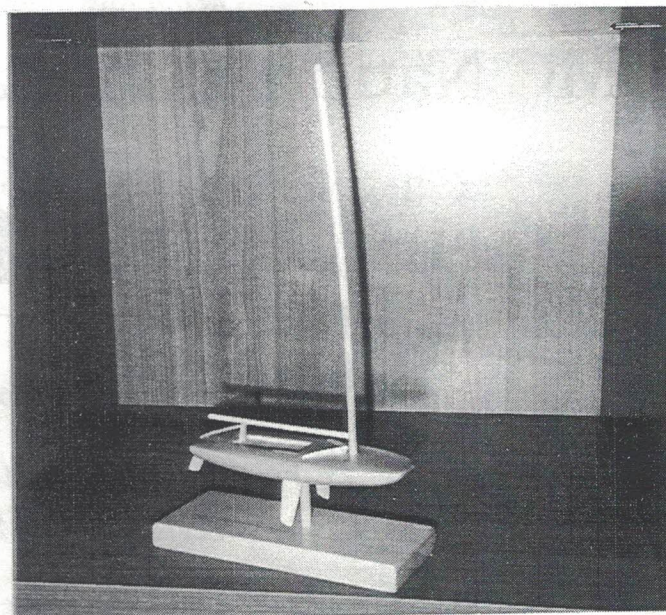
Okoboji is close to the Minnesota border in the northwestern one-third of Iowa. It appears to be about 100 miles west of Clear Lake where we will be going for the MC National Championship this year.

X boats, Optimists, MCs, Cs, Yinglings, and three E-boats make up the Okoboji sailing fleet. Regular racing is scheduled at 10 AM on Saturdays and Sundays throughout the summer. On the Fourth of July and Labor they have special three-race club regattas.

The social calendar includes a special events during June, July and August. The lake has

been mainly inhabited by seasonal cottagers but is becoming a more year-round residential community.

We are looking forward to meeting some or all of the Okoboji sailors at the upcoming Nationals at Clear Lake, Iowa.



MC model by Curt Bradley