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vintage yacht (Victoria)

by jacko



17th Jul 2018

vintage yacht (Victoria)

restoring a vintage free sail yacht have named this as there is no name on the yacht after removing 4 colour layers of paint from the hull and 2 days sanding I repainted with 5 layers of paint rubbing down with 2000 grade between each coat



2nd Mar 2019

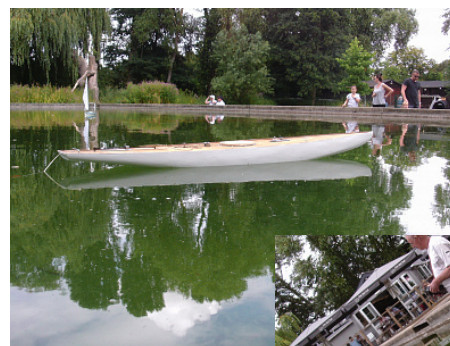
thinking

can the spinnaker be used to operate the braine gear or do i suck it and see if it works

18th Jul 2018

test float

today test sailing on Woodbridge boat pond sailed like a dream

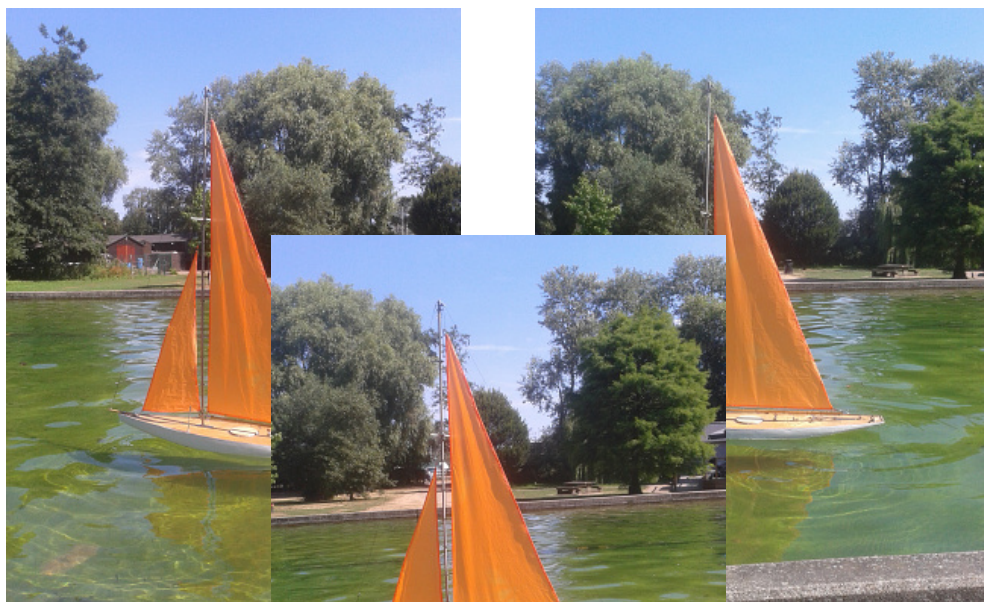


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22nd Jul 2018

temp sails

made up a set of temp sails in ripstop nylon photos to follow



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28th Feb 2019

spinnaker sail

when talking to other members of my club it was said that nobody can remember a spinnaker sail being used on the pond so challenge accepted worked well



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4th Jan 2019

2nd channel

2nd servo fitted and copper pipe through round hatch all i need to do now is make the control arms to to operate main and for sails (photos to follow)

26th Jul 2018

sailing

over the next week will be trying to get used to setting sails in the wind if we get any and thinking if i need to add a pin rack ???

29th Jul 2018

pin rack

just found out that i do not need a pin rack as i have a slider on the back of the yacht

15th Nov 2018

new sails

the other half has been a busy bee with her sewing machine so today i set about fully rigging her



6th Nov 2018

sails

due to the loss of mother in law no progress on sail making at this time still lots time left before next years sailing



4th Aug 2018

hull

well thats 3 coats of dark green below water line and 3 coats gloss white above
photos to follow

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16th Aug 2018

new sails

new sails in the making ordered 1 Egyptian cotton 400 thread count sheet ?
vintage style no modern fabric for me ?

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7th Oct 2018

waiting for the other half

while the other half is sewing sails ! me doing a new deck for a 123 class yacht



13th Sep 2018

sails

added a bit more to sail's (1st set of cotton) details off on hols for a week and when we return looks like the Egyptian will be started ?



24th Aug 2018

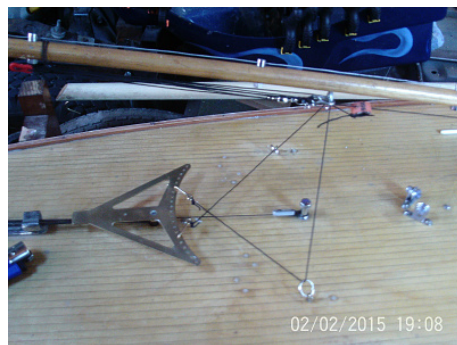
single rc channel

with the braine gear installed the next job is to try to get single channel for rudder only and keep the braine gear installed photos to follow when i work it out ??? anybody help me out please

25th Aug 2018

single channel

came up this and it works fine best of both worlds free and rc !!!?



5th Sep 2018

1st new sail

my first attempt at sewing a cotton sail ? needs a good ironing when i get better will do the Egyptian cotton sails ?

