

A tricky sail, obviously, for those of us who use the brainaid site a lot. The race served as a reminder of what a splendid contribution Eddie still makes to the SailOnline community through his extremely helpful website.

Lacking some of that WX data, it was time for some SOTP sailing, research into alternative grib sources, and general mayhem. This was of course multiplied by a factor of 10 by the quirky polar in combination with a good dose of blue goo at the finish. Those who kept north of it seemed to do better in the end, and a little ride on rumskib's wake (where I often am) squeezed me ahead of Dikke by 10 seconds or so to sneak onto the podium.

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