



### **VICTORIAN INTERNATIONAL CADET TEAM**

#### **46<sup>th</sup> International Cadet Australian Championship Geelong Yacht Club 27 Dec 07 – 05 Jan 08**

With 92 boats competing, this was the biggest fleet of Cadets seen for many years which is a good sign for the class. There was quite a lot of sanding of centre boards & rudders on the measuring days in order for the boats to pass measurement. The Invitation race started with about 15-20 knots with the wind shifting to 180 degrees half way through the race, seeing a first group of boats carry their spinnakers to the bottom mark and keeping it up to head for the top mark. The rest of the regatta saw quite varied wind conditions from 4 to 25 knots and temperatures getting up to 42 degrees. The last race finishing with about 5 knots in 38 degree temperature with most of the kids taking a well earned swim and a bit of fun at the end of the race.

The first seven boats qualify for two World championships which will be held in Holland -- July 2008 and Argentina -- January 2009. Some great Results for SYC are:

6<sup>th</sup> Place ODYSSEY -- Joel Aulich & Jarad Cavanagh (qualified for both Worlds)

13<sup>th</sup> Place INSAYNE -- Isabella Say & Simone Tribe (qualified Emergency for the Argentina Worlds)

18<sup>th</sup> Place UNFINISHED BUSINESS -- Rebecca Tuma & Alice Endersbee (qualified Emergency for the Argentina Worlds)

Full results can be found at:

[http://www.rgyc.com.au/results/cadet\\_nationals/index.htm](http://www.rgyc.com.au/results/cadet_nationals/index.htm)

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