

### **Armitage team take charge at Frostbites in both races**

The forecast indicated fresh gusty winds on Sunday but these came late and provided good racing conditions. With the top sailors engaged in box and safety boat duty an opportunity for others to score was available.

Commodore Sam Archer assisted by Olivia Archer set a downstream course from the start line and in the first race Paul Armitage sailing B60 "Jane" crewed by Karen Armitage made the best of it closely followed by Danny Tyrrell sailing B53 "Twinkle" crewed by Bruce Thompson. The course was shortened to 2½ laps and Armitage won the race after 41 minutes with Tyrrell a minute later. In third place was Bernie Woodcock in B61 "Echo" crewed by Shirley Hagger. On handicap the first two positions remained but Stephen Ellingham in B30 "Willa" crewed by Abigail Stevenson took third.

In windier conditions the second race of three laps saw Ellingham take the win having a close tussle with Armitage who came second. Woodcock was third. On handicap Armitage won pushing Ellingham into second with Woodcock still third.