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**Bristol Channel
Old Gaffers Association**

**Photographic
Competition
2024**

Categories

- Sailing Gaffers – Photographs of gaffers in any situation: at work, rest or in repair. The photograph can be one or many boats and can be the whole boat or of any detail. The photo should convey something of the special quality that goes with sailing gaffers
- Life at Sea – Photographs focussing on the human story, situation or atmosphere. The best or the worst; peace excitement or misery!
- Judge – Roselle Marie – a UK based photographer, who has previously had photographs published in magazines including Nightingale & Sparrow, FERAL, and Acropolis Journal. She enjoys capturing the world. Instagram @rosellemarie_photos.

Sailing Gaffers

Dusk in the Bay

‘Ludwen’ Crabber 24 sailing in Cardiff Bay late on an afternoon in September

Charlie Harris



Judge's comments – Lovely photo with the play of light on the waves

Ben, fit me with foils!

**‘Hetty Pegler’ Crabber 24 at Cardiff Bay Yacht Club
Ready for a new season!**

Andrew Kelland



**Judge's comments – Interesting symmetry and reflections on the hull
Good clarify**

Home on the horizon

Koren Williams



Judge's comments – Lovely light on the beautiful calm sea
Great definition

Jolie Brise

1913 world famous pilot cutter

Viv Head



**Judge's comments – Good movement with well set sails
Interested capture of light!**

White Gloves Required!

**'Hetty Pegler' Crabber 24 Cardiff Bay Yacht Club
Tiller with 9 coats of Sikksens!**

Andrew Kelland



Judge's comments – oh so shiny! Excellent contrasts

Sunset on the River Ant Norfolk

David Botterill



Judge's comments – great reflections on the water and interesting sunset in the distance

An orderly foredeck and pin rail

'Chloe' Sou'wester 18 - the forebeck and pin rail

Charlie Harris



**Judge's comments – Nice perspective and forward clarify
with bokeh effect in the background**

Life at Sea

Day cruise in the Bristol Channel

**Drascombe Longboat 'Pooh Bear' heading for the Holms Island
taken through to rigging of 'Chloe' in September, 2024**

Charlie Harris



**Judge's comments – Lovely backdrop of the islands
and definition of bow of the vessel**

Fine Company

Koren Williams



Judge's comments – great well composed photo with lovely contrasts between sea, sky and sails

Fainted after seeing the sun!!

Viv Head



Judge's comments – a hot lazy day well captured

Early start around Lands End

Koren Williams



Judge's comments – early sunrise well captured and focus on the stern on the vessel

First base!

Koren Williams



Judge's comments – great colour contrasts and intensity

Highly Commended

Sunset on the River Ant, Norwich

by David Botterill

An orderly foredeck and pin rail

by Charlie Harris

The winner is

**First Base! by
Koren Williams**



**Thank you
to all those
that took part**