# EUBC NEWS

### MET Regatta | AGM and Summer Dinner | Henley Prep

#### **Breakdown of results**

#### **DAY 1:**

Womens Champ 4x 2nd in A final

Mens Tier 2 4+ 4th in A Final

Mens Tier 3 4+ 4th in A Final

Women's Tier 2 8+ 4th and 6th in A Final

Women's Champ 1x 4th in Heat

Women's Champ 4-6th in Heat

Mens Tier 38+5th in Heat

#### **DAY 2:**

Womens Champ 2x 1st in Final

Mens Challenge 8+ 4th in Final

Women's Challenge 8+ 2nd and 4th in Final

Mens Champ 4+ 5th in Heat



Women's Champ 1x 4th in Heat

Women's Champ 4-4th in Heat

Mens 8+ boating for MET regatta

W2x collecting their medal from Luke Dylan, Exeter Alumnus



# **MET Regatta**

MET Regatta is a very exciting regatta for lots of Boat Clubs as it is a great opportunity to test new boat combinations for Henley Women's Regatta and Henley Royal Regatta. EUBC had a total of 8 boats entered on the first day, and 7 boats entered on the second day with everyone doubling up in 2 events.

There were lots of really close races over the course of the weekend with some of crews just missing out on a place in the A final. The women doubled up on both days in the 8s to secure a 4th and 6th place in the same final. This result was then improved on the next day as they came 2nd and 4th respectively. Susannah and Danielle raced the Women's Championship double on the Sunday which resulted in the a win of 8 seconds over the next crew. This means they have secured themselves seats for the U23 World Championships this summer in Poznan. The mens coxed 4 experienced some technical difficulty with the failure of 2 cox boxes but overcame this with a strong finish, challenging an Irish crew all the way down the course to come 4th, 3 seconds off 3rd. Each crew took what they learnt from one race onto the other which has helped with the step onto the rest of the summer season.

#### AGM and Summer Dinner

In other news, EUBC's Annual General Meeting was held last week where current members voted to elect the committee for the upcoming year. After 3 hours of

## **Henley Prep**

After the success of MET, we are keen to develop crews for the world renowned Henley Women's and Henley Royal Regatta. Intensity of racing is increasing with erg tests, seat racing and long sessions on the water to find speed with less than a month to go.

With Marlow just around the corner, the men are busy seat racing in order to try and qualify for the Temple Challenge Cup, the Prince Albert Challenge Cup and The Prince of Wales Challenge Club with Thames Rowing Club composite.

The women are currently seat racing for HWR with entries varying from eights to fours to singles to doubles. This is a great opportunity to race the novices with the seniors in order to develop their skills and experience intense side by side racing like no other.

speeches, and rather intense questioning, the club elected the brand new committee:

President - Seun Olusanya

Vice President - Rhys Powell

Club Secretary - Abby Pape

**Publicity Secretary - Danielle Semple** 

Treasurer - Cam Boyle

Senior Men's Captain - Matt Bladen

Senior Women's Captain - Rosie Little

Novice Men's Captains - Alex Mahoney and Michael Watts

Novice Women Captains - Emma Arrindell and Anya George

Coxes Captain - Tom Goodwin

**Stash Secretary -** Edward Pountney

**Social Secretaries -** Sophie Figueiredo and Rebecca Quarterman

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The Summer Dinner followed the AGM where we enjoyed great food and heartwarming speeches from current captains saying a final goodbye to squads and celebrating what a successful year the club has had. Along with the speeches, captains chose their rower of the year: Henry Stevens for senior men's squad for his hard work, determination and constant positive attitude for every single session; Abby Pape for senior women's squad for showing great progress throughout the year and really dedicating herself to the new programme in learning how to sweep; Josh Farnham for novice men's squad as he has showed his enthusiasm for the sport in learning both how to sweep and scull, smashing some ergs and challenging some senior men for a seat in the first 8 at BUCS; and, finally, Mulberry Watkins for the novice women's squad for turning up to every session and not complaining when training got tough and showing real potential in entering the senior programme.

Overall it has been a great month for EUBC members with rowing success as individuals and a club.