

Ten Minute interviews....,

Scarlett Anderson who finished her distinguished Cadet career last year has been hard at work. Whilst studying hard for her A levels, she has also taken and passed her dinghy instructors course and is now coaching with the Corinthian Otters at Burnham!

Her aim is a place at Portsmouth University to study Sports Science. We wish her all the best of luck for the future.

When did you start sailing?

"I started sailing in 2008 on "the Pond" in Southminster, its where all the Otters start out in Optimists, the boats name was Scallywag"

What is your best Cadet moment?

"Crewing for Katie Barr we were 5th in the Cadet Worlds in Poland, 1st GBR boat, and 1st girls. Helming, my best moment was 2 bullets in the Weymouth Cadet Worlds Promo fleet 2014 and finishing 6th overall"

What was your first boats name?

"Scallywag (an Optimist)" came from Father Christmas 2010; she was outside the front of the house with sticky notes leading all the way to her"

What animal are you when you sail?

"I'm quite shy but I like to shout when I know the rules! So... a cheeky monkey. I'll shout the rules but be innocent when people are nice to me"

Who is your inspiration?

"Pippa Wilson, Katie Barr and my Dad"

What is your top sailing tip?

"Always be prepared"

Where is your favourite sailing venue, UK and abroad?

"Hobart Tasmania and my home club at Burnham on Crouch"

What is your perfect dry bag lunch?

"A breakaway bar, some orange squash and a cheese and cucumber sandwich on brown"

What is your dream boat?

"ooh a Moth, I think everyone wants to fly! And when I'm older a Dragon"

Thank you to.....

"the whole Cadet Class, all my coaches, Mike Mac, and my Dad and Grandad for getting me into sailing in the first place"