



## 2024 AGM report – Development

Since being elected in June 2023 my focus has been mainly spent on the following areas.

### Strategic Plan

Understanding and contributing towards the development of the strategic plan for the OK fleet, specifically understanding its impact on fleet development.

### OK Fleet Development

Fleet development while most simply measured in numbers of sailors participating is also about the strength and engagement of individual sailors, i.e. being a member of the association and turning up to a worlds is great, however a more important goal is to ensure sailors race competitively as often as possible in local events.

### Document Management

OKDIA creates, manages, and collaborates on a significant number of documents both internally as a committee and with external parties. The management of all these documents and collaborators has become cumbersome.

A review of current working practices was completed and a recommendation for the adoption of cloud file storage has been made and will be implemented for the committee post the Worlds in Brisbane, in close consultation with the class secretary. In the near future this will be expanded on to how we collaborate with all parties external to the committee such as event organisers, suppliers and sponsors.

This will also improve our security of these documents.

I am thoroughly enjoying the time spent with my other OKDIA Committee members and remain in awe of the time commitment spent on OKDIA matters. I look forward to the coming year with some significant events including the Europeans in Palma, Mallorca one of my favourite places in the world.

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