

It is with sadness that I write this report about our Mirror Provincials at Sterkfontein this past weekend. Sadly, we lost our newest and youngest Mirror sailor in a tragic vehicle accident while we were sailing.

Eric Wertheim-Aymes had just started sailing their new Mirror with his dad, David. The mother and sister team, Chandré and Helen had also recently begun campaigning in their Mirror. David and Eric were set to compete in the Mirror World Championships next year, they had come 10th in their first provincials at Saldanha over Easter and 3rd at Stilbaai two weeks back.



The picture, taken at the Northvaal Provincials is of Eric and David collecting their medals and prizes for third place.

Having witnessed the closeness of this family at recent Mirror events, one can only imagine the enormity of the vacuum that Eric's untimely death will leave in this family unit.

Our thoughts and prayers are with Chandré, David, Julian, Helen and Ingrid.