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## PRESS RELEASE

### **Brad Gibson is the World Radio Marblehead Champion for 2012**

The first World Radio Marblehead Championship under the IRSA banner was held at Club Nautique, Ploermel in the Lac au Duc region of France between 11th and 20th October 2012.

An excellent weeks racing resulted in a splendid one two three for GBR skippers. Our congratulations go to the winner Brad Gibson who really dominated the event by taking 8 first places out of the 20 races. Graham Bantock came second with 2 firsts and Martin Roberts third with 4 firsts. Their finishing scores were 37, 82 and 87 respectively.

Skippers from 11 countries took part showing how widely our sport is represented throughout the world. After the weeks racing the top 20 places were taken by 8 skippers from France, 5 from Great Britain, 2 each from Netherlands and Italy, and 1 each from Australia, Czech Republic and Germany.

IRSA wish to thank all the 67 competitors for making this event so successful and to congratulate the organisers for an enjoyable and successful World Championship.

Robert Hobbs, Publicity officer IRSA, 26th October 2012

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