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Daubeny doubles at Oceanman

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Carolyn Daubeny repeated as women's champion yesterday of Vancouver's Jericho Oceanman.

She swam one kilometre, kayaked 6 km and ran 8 km around Jericho Beach in one hour, 57 minutes and 40 seconds. Bob Woodman was the top solo finisher in the seventh annual beachside adventure race in 1:43:27.

Harmony Airways was the fastest team (1:38:30) while 14-year-old Angus Straight was the youngest solo competitor (2:09:41).

The 150 competitors were greeted with windy conditions and choppy seas at the start. They also tested their skills in mystery challenges, such as paddling an inflatable mattress and inflatable dinghy during the water segments and a croquet circuit during the run.