WATER BOTTLE HOLDER

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The must have Nationals tip, the water bottle holder solution. I have stolen this idea from a Supernova multi-national champion, I am sure this is the tip that gives him the edge so please don't tell him that it was me that posted it. This is a real simple solution to securing your water bottle in an out of way position that is easy to reach when you need it!



All you need is a length of 4mm bungee, or any other thickness you have lying spare in your tool box, tie one end to one of the rear toe strap anchor D-rings, make a loop and pass the end through both anchor D-rings, form another loop and then tie the end to the D-ring, see the pictures on the follow pages which hopefully gives you a better idea of how it works.

In terms of the bottle you choose to use.....word of advice.....don't use a sports drink bottle with the flip off lid, if you accidently kick it the lid will come off and you will lose all your water, other than that it really does work well and does not get in the way at all. I have even added a second slightly longer bungee loop which allows me to store 2 water bottles when needed.

Happy sailing and good luck, look forward to seeing you all at the nationals.



Tie bunge through the toe strap fitting to prove 2 loops, through which you can push your water bottle through to secure it out of the way.





Close up of the bungee attached to the toe strap D-Ring

