

OFF SOUNDINGS CLUB
Office of the Secretary
Southworth Company
West Springfield, Mass

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Tenth Annual Spring Cruise & Races starting from New London
June 13th and 14th 1947

We enclose herewith entry blank for the June races. Also a copy of our measurement rule, with full instructions. Please note carefully the instructions as to the foretriangle and the note on spinnakers.

If you were entered in 1946 Off Soundings races and there has been no change in your rig or hull dimensions just sign the entry blank with name of your boat. ENTRIES ARE LIMITED TO BOATS 60 FEET OVERALL LENGTH OR UNDER.

The closing date for entries is June 4th. Please give the Committee a BREAK and MAIL YOUR ENTRY NOW.

The division of classes will be announced later. Boats which in the opinion of the Committee should be placed in the class for racing boats will be classified. Stars, 210's, 110's and certain others, at the discretion of the Race Committee will not be eligible to enter.

Donations to help defray the "liquidating expenses" will be greatly appreciated by the Entertainment Committee. As usual there is no entrance fee.

Newcomers to our Races will find that we run them in an informal manner. All right of way rules are strictly enforced.

We are continuing the practice of adding an additional handicap of 10% to former first prize winners, 5% to former second prize winners, and 3% to former third prize winners, limited to winners for a two year period, maximum 25%.

The Montauk Yacht Club and the Shelter Island Yacht Club have very kindly opened their club houses Friday and Saturday to all members of the fleet.

The courses and distances are approximately as follows:
1st Day June 13th 1947

Long Course

Starting between Sarah's Ledge Buoy and the Committee Boat.

3.6 miles	SSE	Leaving Red N2 off Race Point to port
6.6 "	ExS	Leaving Mid-Channel Whistle Buoy to starboard
5.0 "	S $\frac{1}{2}$ E	Leaving Whistle Buoy "A" to starboard
4.2 "	WxN $\frac{1}{4}$ N	Leaving Cerberus Whistle Buoy to port
5.3 "	S $\frac{1}{2}$ W	Finishing between Bell Buoy off Montauk Harbor and Committee Boat
<u>24.7</u>		

Short Course

Starting between Sarah's Ledge Buoy and the Committee Boat.

5.3 miles	SSW $\frac{1}{4}$ S	Leaving Can Buoy #1 off Little Gull to starboard
2.1 "	SSW $\frac{1}{4}$ W	Leaving Constellation Rock Nun Buoy #2 to port
9.4 "	SE $\frac{1}{4}$ S	Finishing between Bell Buoy off Montauk Harbor and Committee Boat.
<u>16.8</u>		

Rendezvous at Montauk Yacht Club, Montauk Harbor.

2nd Day June 14th 1947

Long Course

Starting between Bell Buoy off Montauk Harbor and the Committee Boat.

5.3 miles	N $\frac{1}{2}$ E	Leaving Cerberus gas & whistle buoy to port
8.9 "	W $\frac{1}{4}$ N	Leaving Ruins gas & bell buoys to port
6.7 "	SW $\frac{1}{2}$ W	Leaving Nun buoy #2 off Sag Harbor to starboard
4.0 "	NWbyN	Finishing between Bell #2 off Long Beach Point and Committee Boat.
<u>24.9</u>		

Short Course

Starting between bell buoy off Montauk Harbor and Committee Boat.

10.2 Miles	NWxW	Leaving Ruins gas & bell buoys to port
7.4 "	W3/4S	Finishing between Bell #2 off Long Beach Point and the Committee Boat.
<u>17.6</u>		

Rendezvous at the Shelter Island Yacht Club, Dering Harbor.

RACE COMMITTEE