



# OFF SOUNDINGS CLUB

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Report of the Race Secretary

1. 2008-2009 Schedules

The 2008 schedule approved at last October's Board Meeting has been revised to correct some minor date errors, include a missing event and provide for changing to a single annual Notice of Races mailing. Included is the proposed 2009 schedule for review and approval.

2. Perpetual Trophies

The mailing of the final Fall Series scores included the Perpetual Trophy results. James Sanders (TEAM TONIC) questioned the standings of Class C-2, the Byron N. Durfee Trophy. A review of the records shows that James registered TEAM TONIC as a guest for the Spring Series. Further review of membership letters shows that his membership became final after registering but before the Spring Series was sailed qualifying him for a season trophy. As a result, TEAM TONIC will displace SONGLINES from 2<sup>nd</sup> place into 3<sup>rd</sup> and WOLVERINE will not qualify for a trophy. A corrected listing of Perpetual Trophy winners along with this explanation will go to the membership in the next mailing. The corrected results are on the web site and I notified the membership via e-mail.

3. Nonsuch Class:

18 boats registered for the Spring Series.  
9 boats registered for the Fall Series.

4. Scoring

We used the Low Point scoring system this year for all race calculations and the Annual Perpetual Trophies. As in the past, two-year Perpetual Trophies scoring is based on the Low Point system.

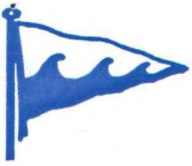
The Perpetual Trophies descriptions in the yearbook require modification to show use of the Low Point scoring system vice corrected time.

5. Race and Guest Participation

Attached for review are data and graphics analyzing race and guest participation from 2004 - 2007.

Sincerely,

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Race Secretary



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## 2008 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS (revised)

### January

18: Board of Governors meeting

*updates*

### March

29: Deadline for Winter Shore Party reservations

### April

3: Early decision Guest invitation cutoff

5: Board Of Governors meeting, Annual Meeting and Shore Party

18: Season Notice of Races & Spring Series Final Notice posted to web site/mailed

### May

8: Late Guest invitation cutoff

22: Spring Series closing date & deadline for new Measurement Certificates

28: Classification of entries complete

### June

6: Spring Series Entry List posted to web site /mailed (to entrants only)

13-14: Spring Series races: Watch Hill – Block Island

### July

11: Spring Series Final Results and Fall Series Final Notice posted to web site /mailed

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### August

7: Fall Series late Guest invitation cutoff

21: Fall Series closing date & deadline for new Measurement Certificates

27: Classification of entries complete

### September

5: Fall Series Entry List posted to web site /mailed (to entrants only)

12-13: Fall Series races: New London – Gardiners Bay

### October

10: Fall Series Final Results and Perpetual Trophy Results posted to web site/mailed

25: Board of Governors meeting

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Race Entry Data

2004 -- 2007

Class	S04			F04			S05			F05			S06			F06			S07			F07		
	Net	Entries	DNC	Net	Entries	DNC	Net	Entries	DNC	Net	Entries	DNC	Net	Entries	DNC	Net	Entries	DNC	Net	Entries	DNC	Net	Entries	DNC
A/B	10	14	1	13	13		13	11		11	9		9	10		10	7	1	6	9		1	8	
C-1	17	13		13	15	2	13	16		16	13		13	12		12	8		8	7		1	6	
C-2	13	14	2	12	12	1	11	12	2	10	10		10	13	1	12	12	1	11	13			13	
C-3	6	7		7	9		9	10	1	9	8	1	7	6	1	5	8		8	8		1	7	
C-4	12	11	1	10	9		9	8		8	12		12	12		12	10	1	9	8			8	
C-5	13	13	1	12	14	1	13	11	1	10	12		12	10		10	13		13	12			12	
C-6	10	9	1	8	10	1	9	12	1	11	12		12	9		9	8		8	10		2	8	
D	5	7		7	4	1	3	6	4	2	8		8	3	3	0	4	1	3	5			5	
J	8	7		7	7		7			0			0			0			0				0	
M	0			0	5		5			0			0			0			0				0	
NONS																	18	7	11	9			9	
NS-1	14	11	2	9	12	2	10	8	2	6	11		11	9		9	9	1	8	8		1	7	
NS-2	15	17	1	16	12	2	10	16	1	15	13		13	17		17	11	2	9	12		1	11	
NS-3	12	14		14	12		12	10		10	13		13	11		11	11	2	9	12			12	
Total	135	137	9	128	134	10	124	120	12	108	121	1	120	112	5	107	119	16	103	113	7		106	
Spinnaker	94	95	6	89	98	6	92	86	9	77	84	1	83	75	5	70	70	4	66	72	5		67	
NS	41	42	3	39	36	4	32	34	3	31	37	0	37	37	0	37	49	12	37	41	2		39	
NS%	30			30			26			29			31			35			36				37	
Guests/S	14			15			8			9			7			12			8				14	
Guests/NS	5			7			6			4			2			6			17				9	
D2				3			1			2			4			4			1				2	
NONS																		15					7	
Total Guests	19			22			14			13			9			18			25				23	
Guest%	14			17			11			12			8			17			24				22	

DNCs are adjusted out of the entry numbers as those entries were essentially withdrawn.

Class D & NONS guests are included in the NS Guests total & listed separately for information only.

Class J and Class M participation is moved into Classes C-2 and C-1 respectively as that is where the remnants have ended up.



Guest Participation  
2004 - 2007

