



ANNUAL CRUISE
July 31 -August 7, 2004
Preliminary Information

Cruise entry packets will be mailed in mid June to those members who have requested the information. Please contact the Sailing Office by email, sailingoffice@nyyc.org, and include your mailing address or register on line through the NYYC website: www.nyyc.org.

- Sailing Instructions and port information will be mailed to members who have submitted an entry beginning in mid July. The entry deadline is July 16th.
- Racing will be offered for the following divisions: AMERICAP Racing, AMERICAP Non- Spinnaker and NYYC CR on all days.

Friday, July 30NYYC Harbour Court

Captains' Meeting and reception. Moorings are available from NYYC or Newport Harbor. The Captains' Meeting will be held at Harbour Court and will be followed by cocktails and dinner.

Saturday, July 31Narragansett Bay – Queen's Cup Day

Racing for the Queen's, Una and Corsair Cups and non cup classes will be held on Narragansett Bay off Newport, RI. Evening activities are planned for Harbour Court. Fleet to anchor at will in Newport Harbor.

Sunday, August 1Newport to Padanarum

Squadron Run. Fleet will anchor at will. Dinghies are suggested to go ashore. There are no scheduled cruise activities.

Monday, August 2.....Padanarum to Nantucket

Fleet will proceed in company through Woods Hole. Squadron Run from Vineyard Sound to Nantucket. **Dock service** only may be arranged with Nantucket Boat Basin, call 508-228-1333 for reservations. Note a two night stay is required. **Moorings** may be reserved starting in April from Nantucket Moorings by calling 508-228-4472. Launch service will be available through Nantucket Boat Basin on VHF 68. There are no scheduled cruise activities.

Tuesday, August 3.....Nantucket – Astor Cup Day

Racing for the Astor Cup and non cup classes will be on Nantucket Sound. Flag Officer's Cocktail party will be at Nantucket Yacht Club. Reservations will be suggested.

Wednesday, August 4Nantucket to Hadley Harbor

Squadron Run to Hadley Harbor. Fleet to anchor at will in Hadley Harbor. There will be launch service from Hadley Harbor to Woods Hole. There are no scheduled cruise activities.

Thursday, August 5Lay Day – Woods Hole

Lay Day. Early afternoon reception/exhibit at Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution (WHOI) Iselin pier. NYYC members and guests are invited to come ashore from 1:30 – 3:30pm to meet scientists, engineers, and see WHOI-designed state of the art oceanographic equipment. The Iselin pier is located behind Bigelow Building on Water Street, in Woods Hole, MA. Suggested ways to come ashore: The NYYC launch can bring you to the east side of Dyers Dock. For those arriving by dingy, there are two possibilities: The small beach area just east of NOAA (see stone jetty and American flag) or in Eel Pond where there is a small dock on the right after you pass under the drawbridge.

Evening Lobster Bake will be at The Woods Hole Research Center. Launch service will be provided between Hadley Harbor and Woods Hole, and a bus service will be available for transportation to/from the evening festivities at The Woods Hole Research Center. Dress will be sailing attire. Reservations will be required.

Friday, August 6.....Woods Hole to Sakonnet River

Squadron Run to Sakonnet River. Fleet will anchor at will. Dinghies are suggested to go ashore. There are no scheduled cruise activities.

Saturday, August 7 Rhode Island Sound

Squadron Run in Rhode Island Sound off Newport, finish at Fort Adams. Fleet disbands.