



# CHUBB U.S. JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

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Peninsula Youth Sailing Foundation  
Redwood City, CA



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## 2019 Chubb U.S. Junior Championships

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## Welcome from the President of US Sailing

Dear U.S. Junior Championship Sailors,

Welcome to 2019 U.S. Chubb Junior Championship. We are very pleased to have Peninsula Youth Sailing Foundation and The Club at Westpoint as this year's hosts and they have planned a great event.

Hosting of a US Sailing championship is a big undertaking. Molly O'Bryan Vandermoer, regatta chair, has spent many hours working on the many details for this event with her committees. US Sailing is grateful for the year-long effort by all those involved. We also thank our sponsors Chubb and Zim Sailing whose generous support makes this premier racing event possible.

Competing in a US Sailing Championship may be a new racing experience for you. Each time it is a different group of sailors and an opportunity to make new friends and reconnect with others. The novelty of the event and the boats will surely make this memorable and challenging for you. Perhaps you will set a new personal record of achievement in sailing. Or, maybe sailing a less-familiar boat will bring you new insights about sailing your usual boat. Most of all, I hope you will simply have fun sailing and making new friendships anchored in your passion for sailing.

Sail fast, compete fairly and enjoy this unique experience. We are glad you are joining us,

Cory Sertl  
President, US Sailing



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August, 2019

### Dear Junior National Championship Qualifiers:

On behalf of the Peninsula Youth Sailing Foundation (PYSF), I would like to welcome you to Redwood City, the Silicon Valley and the San Francisco Bay Area generally. You should be so proud of your achievement qualifying for this junior national championship and competing for the prestigious Bemis, Smythe or Sears trophy. We hope that you have a great time sailing here, making friends, and enjoying your time in California!

PYSF is a community-run sailing program that has accelerated its growth significantly since our director, Molly Vandemoer, took over in 2012. Our goal, as expressed in our mission statement, is to instill the values of **community, character and competitiveness** in our program while embracing a lifelong stewardship of our oceans, waterways and the environment in general. We hope that you feel this expressed through our volunteer hosts and the event itself.

We would like to thank all of our sponsors and volunteers for making this event possible and particularly the Club at Westpoint for joining us as a co-host. Now it's time for you, the sailors, to honor the historical significance of these trophies by sailing competitively, fairly and enthusiastically. Have fun and let the racing begin!!!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stephanie M. Ashworth".

**Stephanie M. Ashworth**  
PYSF Board President



# The Club at Westpoint

July 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019

## **2019 CHUBB US JUNIOR NATIONAL SAILING CHAMPIONSHIP**

Dear Participants and Families,

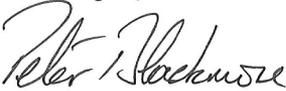
It is my honor to welcome you to this Championship at the Westpoint Harbor hosted by the Peninsula Youth Sailing Foundation and The Club at Westpoint. We are very excited to host such a prestigious event.

WestPoint Harbor was awarded the 2018 Marina of the Year award by Marina Dock Magazine. It is a fitting location to showcase this Championship. The Club at Westpoint is establishing itself as the premier watersport and social Club on the South Bay.

As a sailor myself with two sons I can appreciate how much sailing can offer to young people to cultivate their self-determination and confidence and to learn lifelong skills and friendships. We are very proud of the work done by the Peninsula Youth Sailing Foundation who have built a great program that is nationally recognized.

Congratulations on qualifying for the 2019 Junior National Championships. We wish all participants every success and most important please enjoy the opportunity to compete in this event with so many fine people in such a great environment.

With Best Regards,



Peter Blackmore

President

The Club at WestPoint



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## Schedule of Events

### Wednesday, August 7

1200-1700  
1300-1700  
1800-1930

Arrivals into SFO Airport  
Registration  
Welcome Dinner

### Thursday, August 8

0830-0930  
0930-1000  
1000-1430  
1500  
1800-2030

Breakfast  
Competitors' Meeting  
Clinic with US Sailing Coaches  
Practice Race  
Dinner & Speaker: Helene Scutt, 2016  
Olympian

### Friday, August 9

0830-0930  
0930-1000  
1100  
1230  
1800  
1900-2030

Breakfast  
Competitors' Meeting  
Harbor Start  
Warning Signal for First Race  
No Warning Signal After This Time  
Dinner & Speaker: Hawkeye King,  
Software Engineer at Saildrone, Inc.

### Saturday, August 10

0830-0930  
0930-1000  
1100  
1230  
1800  
1900-2100

Breakfast  
Competitors' Meeting  
Harbor Start  
Warning Signal for First Race  
No Warning Signal after  
Dinner and Speaker

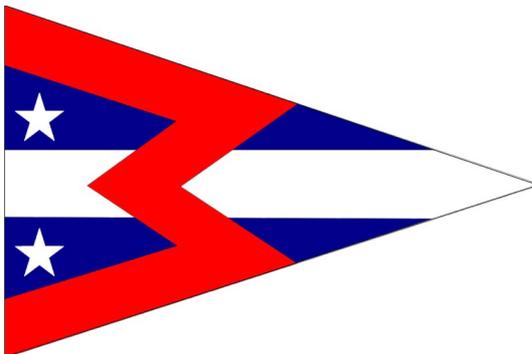
### Sunday, August 11

0830-0930  
0930-1000  
1030  
1200  
1330  
1430  
ASAP  
1630

Breakfast  
Competitor's Meeting  
Harbor Start  
Warning Signal for First Race  
No Warning Signal After This Time  
Boat Pack Up  
Awards Ceremony  
Departure to San Francisco Intl  
Airport (SFO)



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The Club at Westpoint



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Special thanks to the following people  
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Peter Blackmore  
John & LuAnne Graves  
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July 31, 2019

Anne Wright  
Regatta Co-Chair  
2019 Chubb U.S. Junior National Sailing Championship

Dear Ms. Wright,

On behalf of the Board of Port Commissioners, we welcome the U.S. Sailing Junior National Championship Regatta to the Port of Redwood City on August 7-11, 2019! We are honored that you have chosen our Port to host this event. The Redwood Channel is a popular sailing location for south San Francisco Bay, particularly to the Sequoia Yacht Club's regular racing schedule and the very popular Yacht Racing Association's Westpoint Regatta. The Port is home to the Peninsula Youth Sailing Foundation, and we are a proud sponsor of PYSF.

We hope that the participating sailors have a safe and successful regatta, while enjoying the renowned weather of Redwood City. If there is time for social events and exploration, we encourage your group to head to downtown Redwood City for our exciting assortment of restaurant and entertainment venues. You can check out the attractions at <http://www.downtownredwoodcity.org>. The San Mateo County History Museum, located downtown in Courthouse Square in the historic domed old courthouse building is worth a visit as well at <https://historysmc.org>.

While you are at the Port of Redwood City, you will have access to more than a mile of public waterfront, lawn area, and ample parking. Our strategic location supports commercial shipping and maritime activities of the Silicon Valley region. The Port is pleased to support youth sailing and we wish all of the sailors, parents, regatta officials, and other participants the best of luck and fair winds.

Welcome to Redwood City!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Lorianna Kastrop".

Lorianna Kastrop  
Chairperson  
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July 17, 2019

### 2019 Chubb U.S. Junior National Sailing Championship

Dear participants and families,

On behalf of the City of Redwood City, it is my honor to welcome you to our city and the San Francisco Bay Area in honor of the 2019 Junior National Championship Regatta. We are delighted that Peninsula Youth Sailing Foundation and The Club at Westpoint have been chosen to host such an exciting event.

Westpoint Harbor is San Francisco Bay's newest marina, and was awarded the 2018 "Marina of the Year" award by Marina Dock Age magazine. We are proud to showcase this beautiful harbor and the splendor of summer sailing in the San Francisco Bay.

Sailing offers youth a unique opportunity to cultivate interdependence and self-confidence, while building lifelong skills, such as teamwork, accountability, and perseverance. We are proud to support the efforts of the Peninsula Youth Sailing Foundation as they empower youth in our community to build these skills through their youth sailing programs.

Congratulations on qualifying for the 2019 Junior National Championship Regatta and I wish you the best of luck as you compete in this prestigious competition. I encourage you to do your best, but most importantly have fun and enjoy the experience and your time in Redwood City.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ian Bain".

Ian Bain, Mayor  
City of Redwood City

## Smythe Competitors

Area	Skipper	Yacht Club
A	Jacob Macdonald	Mendums Seacoast Sailing Team
A	Niall Kearney	Eastern Yacht Club
B	Leyton Borcharding	Belle Haven Yacht Club
B	Matthew Wallace	American Yacht Club
C	Ryan Ehnot	Spray Beach Yacht Club
C	Teddy Martin	Toms River Yacht Club
D	Daniel Escudero	Atlanta Yacht Club/Lauderdale Yacht Club
D	Benjamin Smith	Carolina Yacht Club/
E	Spencer Barnes	Cleveland Yacht Club
E	Will Carroll	Cleveland Yacht Club
F	Emma McInnis	Corpus Christi Yacht Club
F	Dax Thompson	Corpus Christi Yacht Club
G	Caleb Yoslov	San Francisco Yacht Club
G	Will Foon	San Francisco Yacht Club
H	Maxwell Roth	Waikiki Yacht Club
J	Erik Hou	Newport Harbor Yacht Club
J	Liam Andresen	Santa Barbara Yacht Club
K	Henry Scholz	Lake Forest Sailing
K	Lawson Levine	Lake Forest Sailing
L	Hannah Beaver	The Sailing Foundation

## Bemis Competitors

Area	Skipper/Crew	Yacht Club
A	Hayden Earl Isabel Alex	Stage Harbor Yacht Club
A	Hamilton Barclay Ella Beauregard	Southport Yacht Club
B	Eli Gleason Hazel Nystrom	Mystic River Mudhead Sailing Association
B	Charlotte Costikyan Hannah Nightingale	Noroton Yacht Club
C	Bradley Whiteway Sam Eshelman	Mid-Atlantic Yacht Racing Association
C	John Whelan Gavin Kelly	Mantoloking Yacht Club
D	J.J. Smith Will Murray	Saratota Youth Sailing
D	Nathan Bowen Michael Bowen	Augusta Sailing Club/SAYRA
E	Jack Vanderhorst Daniel VanHeeckeren	Edgewater Yacht Club
E	Michael Kirkman Zach Rockwell	Grosse Pointe Yacht Club
F	James Brock Nathan Gantala	Austin Yacht Club
F	Lucy Brock Julius Heitkoetter	Austin Yacht Club
G	Tommy Ashworth Max Saparov	Peninsula Youth Sailing Foundation



## Bemis Competitors Continued

<b>Area</b>	<b>Skipper/Crew</b>	<b>Yacht Club</b>
G	Andrew Fisher Sebastian Natale	The San Francisco Yacht Club
H	Malia Johnson Morgan Vodzak	Kaneohe Yacht Club
J	Jack Egan Jack Plavin	San Diego Yacht Club
J	Morgan Pinkney Nathan Sih	Newport Harbor Yacht Club
K	Rachel Bartel Tyra Pranger	Wayzata Yacht Club
K	Wyatt Harley Frances Depke	Columbia Yacht Club
L	Peter Schnell Piper Easton	Willamette Sailing Club

## Sears Competitors

Area	Skipper/Crew	Yacht Club
A	Coleman Schofield Timothy Hibben Nat Edmonds	Wianno Yacht Club
B	Michelle Lahrkamp Clara Kruijtzter Amelia Jessop	American Yacht Club
D	Scott Sonnier Mallory Edwards Peter McGriff	Gulf Yachting Association
E	Chad Schaffner Jonathan Mack Will Thornton	Cleveland Yacht Club
F	Alexander Wise Grace Bates Jakob Sutton	Lakewood Yacht Club
G	Owen Lahr Connell Phillipps Wesley Seifers	Richmond Yacht Club
H	Kawika Tumilowicz Caroline Oyster Nalu Ho	Kaneohe Yacht Club
J	David Wood Daniel Pegg Kenny Sherb	Balboa Yacht Club
K	Emmett Nevel Jack Baldwin Chapman Petersen	Chicago Yacht Club
L	Casey Pickett Kieran Banyard Megan Waller	Willamette Sailing Club
L	Axel Stordahl Ripley Morris Dayne Hall	Tacoma Yacht Club



## Host Leadership



### Peninsula Youth Sailing Foundation

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### The Club at Westpoint

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Directors

Peter Blackmore  
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Mark Sanders  
Eric Stang

## Event Committee Chairs

Event Chair (PYSF)	Molly O'Bryan Vandemoer
Event Co-Chairs	Shannon Amerman Anne Wright
National Championship Committee Chair	Matt Dubois
Fundraising & Sponsorships	Amy Gee, Kira Sasaki
Marketing	Brian Bounds
Housing & Transportation	Arlene Gurskis
Catering	Roberta Ayres Pamela Stang
VIP Liason	Kevin Parker
Grounds & Facilities	John Vandemoer
Race Committee Support	Bill Blosen
Power Boat Fleet	Christian Kasper
Open 5.70 Owner Representative	Andrew Rist
Green Team	Tim Murphy, Kevin Parker
Medical & Safety	Lori Fong
Treasurer	Cathy Yu
Insurance	Tim Murphy

## Race Committee & Coaches

PROs	Jay Kehoe (C420, Radial) Mike Gross (Open 5.70)
Chief Judge	Betty Sue Sherman
Judges	Grant Baldwin John Christman Greg Meagher Bryan McDonald
Head Coach	Richard Feeny (c420)
Coaches	Adam Corpuz-Lahne (Radial) Hannah Tuson-Turner (Radial) Kevin Burnham (c420) Mike Scott (Open 5.70)

## 2019 Junior Championships Committee

Frank Pizzo, Area A

Robert Whittredge, Area B

Susan Proko, Area C

Daniel Machowski, Area D

Jamie Jones, Area E

Jeff Brock, Area F

Justine O'Connor, Area G

Kainani Andrade, Area H

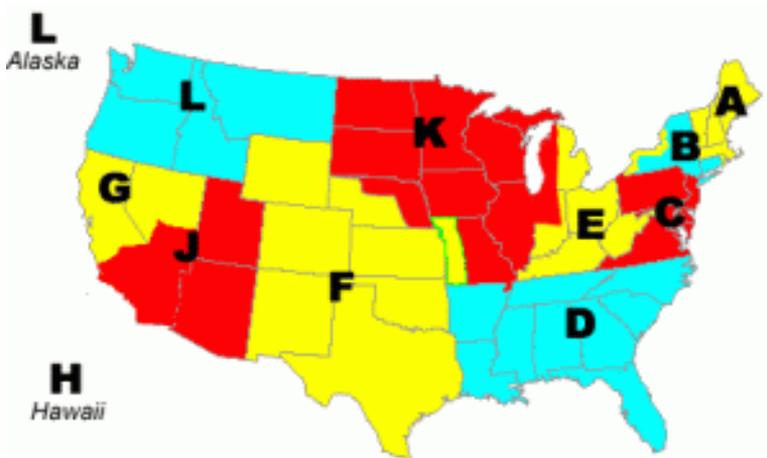
Aaron Feves, Area J

Cappy Capper, Area K

Andrew Nelson, Area L

Matthew Dubois, Junior Championships Chair

John Pearce, US Sailing Youth Director





## Letter from the Green Team

To All Sailors,

This year Peninsula Youth Sailing Foundation and The Club at Westpoint are hosting the Chubb US Junior Championship Regatta. Together they have joined the race to restore ocean health with Sailors for the Sea's Clean Regattas Program. Leading up to, during, and following this year's regatta, organizers will be working with Sailors for the Sea to minimize the impact the event will have on our shores and the seas. This will include everything from keeping the site clear of debris and using designated pump out stations, to minimizing or eliminating the use of plastic items, and recycling and composting.

We are off to a great start, but we need your help. As a sailor in this event, your actions will be important as we work to reduce our environmental impact. Your choices will make a difference. Here are a few ways you can help during the event:

- Properly sort all recyclable and compostable items so we can minimize the amount of waste headed to the landfill.
- Bring a reusable water bottle, we will have refill stations for you on land and on water.
- Do not dispose of any trash into the water (Rule 55).
- Do not use straws.
- Pick up trash.
- Respect wildlife and habitat.
- Read the information here about how to protect yourself from the sun, and how to choose a sunscreen that does not contain ingredients that are harmful to you and to marine ecosystems.

We invite you to learn more about Sailors for the Sea by visiting their website [www.sailorsforthesea.org](http://www.sailorsforthesea.org).

Thank you for helping protect our local waters!

Tim Murphy and Kevin Parker  
Green Team Chairs

## Sunscreen 101

- Sailing is high risk activity for excessive sun exposure
- Skin and tissue damage/cancer is major risk of sun exposure
  - Sunburn
  - Malignant melanoma (most severe form of skin cancer)
  - Basal cell cancer and squamous cell cancer
  - Eye damage- cataracts
  - Premature aging of skin
- Shade/avoiding sun > protective clothing > sun block
  - Attempt to cover skin as much as possible with clothing: Buff, UV protective clothing, leggings/tights, gloves, footwear
  - Hat
  - Sunglasses with UVA/UVB filtering lenses
- Two main wavelengths of sun- UVA and UVB
  - UVA- stronger energy, penetrates deeper, responsible for cellular/DNA changes and causative in malignant melanoma (most severe form of skin cancer). Penetrates glass, clouds and ever present during daylight, seldom causes sunburn
  - UVB- less powerful than UVA, more superficial, main cause of sunburn, causative in skin cancer
- SPF
  - Measure of protection from UVB, NOT UVA (the more dangerous type)
  - Laboratory derived number for how long you can stay in the sun and not get burned. Typically someone burns after 15-20 minutes of unprotected exposure. SPF number provides 20 times the protection in terms of time. So spf 30 gives  $30 \times 20$  minutes (unprotected time to burn)= 600 minutes in theory, not reality
  - No implied protection from UVA from SPF value.
  - SPF values are on a logarithmic curve, not linear (SPF 30 DOES NOT provide two times protection of SPF 15). SPF > 15 are all on "flat" upper part of curve- SPF 15 blocks 93% UVB, SPF 30- 97%, SPF 60- 98%
  - High SPF offers marginally more theoretical protection against only UVB, at more cost and no proven benefit.
  - SPF 30 routinely recommended by dermatologists as appropriate
- Mineral based sunblock
  - Zinc (UVA and UVB)- best
  - Titanium dioxide (UVB > UVA)- best
  - Best UV blocking and safest ingredients
  - "White" looking zinc provides best barrier
  - Nanoparticles or microparticles considered effective. These help to improve application of sunblock and decrease the white/chalkiness of many products

## Sunscreen 101 Continued

- Choosing a sunblock
  - Look for “Broad Spectrum” on label- this means it has protection against UVB and UVA
  - SPF >30 ideal
  - “Water resistant” provides approximately 40 minutes of protection when swimming or sweating
  - “Very resistant” can protect up to 80 minutes
  - “Waterproof”- does not exist
  - Zinc (UVA and UVB) and Titanium Dioxide (UVB>UVA) provide the best UVA/UVB protection
  - Many sunblock chemicals are potentially harmful. Evidence of causing hormonal alterations in humans as they’re absorbed into the blood through skin. Other effects are unknown.
  - Oxybenzone, Octinoxate, Paraben Preservatives, Retinyl Palmitate are associated with higher health concerns
  - Look for reef safe formulations
  - Avoid spray on sunblock
    - Much is wasted and unsure of how much is actually applied as it blows away
    - Inhaled components enter bloodstream and not suitable for consumption. There’s a reason these sprays say “do not apply on face”
- Sunblock for watersports
  - Broad spectrum, zinc and titanium dioxide containing, SPF 30+, free of harmful chemicals, reef safe
  - Apply liberally- users often don’t apply enough
  - Reapply frequently- every 2 hours
- Useful links for further information
  - Strongly encourage you to read through these links
  - Several links below are from The Environmental Working Group (EWG)
  - EWG Active Ingredient Toxicity: <https://www.ewg.org/sunscreen/report/the-trouble-with-sunscreen-chemicals/>
  - This is an incredibly informative analysis of all things sunblock related. Describes all aspects of sunblock/protection including what to look for in terms of ingredients: <https://www.ewg.org/sunscreen/>
  - Sunscreen rating based on protection and degree of harmful chemicals: [https://www.apsltd.com/aps-advisor/choose-the-best-sunscreen-watersports/?utm\\_source=Advisor06-15-18&utm\\_medium=Email&utm\\_content=Image&utm\\_campaign=06-15-18sunscreen](https://www.apsltd.com/aps-advisor/choose-the-best-sunscreen-watersports/?utm_source=Advisor06-15-18&utm_medium=Email&utm_content=Image&utm_campaign=06-15-18sunscreen) --Great summary of what you need to know- must read for every sailor!



## Previous Winners

### Smythe

- 2018 Balboa Yacht Club - David Wood
- 2017 Stamford Yacht Club - James Paul
- 2016 Newport Harbor Yacht Club- Joseph Hou
- 2015 St. Thomas Yacht Club - Sam Morrell
- 2014 FAST Sailing Foundation – Henry Marshall
- 2013 St. Petersburg Yacht Club – Nic Baird
- 2012 St. Petersburg Yacht Club – Addison Hackstaff
- 2011 Wet Pants Sailing Association – Nick Valente
- 2010 San Diego Yacht Club – Nevin Snow
- 2009 Mission Bay Yacht Club – Kevin Laube
- 2008 Sarnia Yacht Club – E.J. O'Mara
- 2007 Lake Geneva Yacht Club – Clifford Porter
- 2006 Newport Harbor Yacht Club – Charlie Buckingham
- 2005 American Yacht Club – Cameron Cullman
- 2004 Riverton Yacht Club – Patrick Curran
- 2003 Brant Beach Yacht Club – Kyle Kovacs
- 2002 Rochester, NY - Mike Wilde
- 2001 Toms River Yacht Club – Clay Johnson
- 2000 San Diego Yacht Club – Andrew Campbell
- 1999 Honolulu, HI – Andrew Lewis
- 1998 Carpinteria, CA – John Diskant
- 1997 Mission Bay Yacht Club – Steven Hochart
- 1996 Mission Bay Yacht Club – Steven Hochart
- 1995 Seattle Yacht Club – Dalton Bergan
- 1994 San Diego Yacht Club – Jon Baker
- 1993 Lakewood Yacht Club – Bruce Mahoney
- 1992 Coral Reef Yacht Club – Evan Zinn
- 1991 Corpus Christi Yacht Club – Elizabeth Kratzig
- 1990 Coronado Yacht Club – David Houser
- 1989 Lakewood Yacht Club – Marc Schneider
- 1988 Tiverton Yacht Club – Stephen Majkut
- 1987 Coconut Grove Sailing Club – Peter Dreyfuss
- 1986 Ventura Yacht Club – Kevin Hall
- 1985 Pacific Corinthian Yacht Club – Kevin Hall
- 1984 U.S. Optimist Dinghy Association. – Rob Vanderkreeke
- 1983 Winnetonka Yacht Club – Scott Kyle
- 1982 Alamitos Bay Yacht Club – Mike Sentovitch
- 1981 Coconut Grove Sailing Club – Louis Verloop
- 1980 San Diego Yacht Club – Brian Ledbetter
- 1979 Coconut Grove Sailing Club – Baird Lobree
- 1978 St. Petersburg Yacht Club – Richard Merriman
- 1977 Stockton Yacht Club – Paul Yost
- 1976 White Rock Boat Club – Scott Young
- 1975 Ocean Gate Yacht Club – Shawn Kempton
- 1974 Huron-Portage Yacht Club – Richard Lyons



## Previous Winners Continued

### Bennet Sportsmanship

2018 Henrik Rolander  
2017 Alexander Hankins  
2016 Lucas Pierce  
2015 Jack Bitney  
2014 Aaron Helmly  
2013 Christopher Weis  
2012 Lola Bushnell  
2011 Gary Prieto  
2010 Ian Beihl  
2009 Stephen Nelson  
2008 Ben Leibowitz  
2007 Michael Shalka  
2006 Cameron Cullman  
2005 Sean Kelly  
2004 Matt Sterett

### Bemis

2018 Severn Sailing Association - Trevor Davis, Rider Odom  
2017 Annapolis Yacht Club - Maddie Hawkins, Kimmie Leonard  
2016 San Francisco Yacht Club- Nicholas Marwell, J. Noble Reynoso  
2015 Southwestern Yacht Club - Jack McGraw, Dot Obel  
2014 Del Rey Yacht Club – Cassie Obel, Annika Garrett  
2013 San Francisco Yacht Club – Kristopher Swanson, Alexander Ron  
2012 Richmond Yacht Club – Christopher Ford, Daniel Ron  
2011 Sail Newport – Pearson Potts, Tristan Sess  
2010 Alamitos Bay Yacht Club – Jack Jorgensen, Samantha Gebb  
2009 Balboa Yacht Club – Kieran Chung, Ryan Davidson  
2008 Long Beach Yacht Club – Korbin Kirk, Haley Kirk  
2007 Pequot Yacht Club – Brendan Kopp, Michael Costello  
2006 Portland Yacht Club – Alan Palmer, Katherine Gullick  
2005 Newport Harbor Yacht Club- Cole Hatton, Blair Belling  
2004 Coral Reef Yacht Club- Brian Kamilar, Simon Sanders  
2003 San Diego Yacht Club – Frank Tybor, Mandi Markee  
2002 Northport Bay Sailing Association – Erik Storck, Zach Goldman  
2001 Brant Beach Yacht Club – Kyle Kovacs, Eric Reitingner  
2000 San Diego Yacht Club – Michael Anderson-Mitterling, Tyler McKay  
1999 Columbia Yacht Club – Evan Thompson, Pat Hitchins  
1998 Newport Beach, CA – Scott Hogan, Amy Halvorsen  
1997 Portland Yacht Club – Peter Levesque, Nichol Ernest  
1996 Seattle Yacht Club – Adam Koch, Anthony Boscolo  
1995 US Sailing Center, Miami, FL – Chris Gaffney, Matt Mulock  
1994 Bayview Yacht Club – Mike Uznis, Adam Hollerbach  
1992 Coconut Grove Sailing Center – David Ames, P.J. Buhler



## Previous Winners Continued

- 1993 Wild Harbor Yacht Club – Tim Fallon, Sarah Adams
- 1991 Bahia Corinthian Yacht Club – Bill Ward, Ryan Millet
- 1990 Mission Bay Yacht Club – Bill Hardesty, Paul Ware
- 1989 Del Rey Yacht Club – Peter Wells, Jason Artof
- 1988 San Diego Yacht Club – Scott Quan, Matt Reynolds
- 1987 St. Petersburg Yacht Club – David Mendelblatt, Caj Flynn
- 1986 Royal Vancouver Yacht Club – Thilo Griese, Trevor Davis
- 1985 Ft. Worth Boat Club – David Heibert, Raymond Marks
- 1984 California Yacht Club – John Sturman, Mark Barnard
- 1983 Mission Bay Yacht Club – Joe Parker, Ralph Silverman
- 1982 Southern Yacht Club – Eldon Harvey, Keith Andrews
- 1981 St. Petersburg Yacht Club – Mike Funsch, Mark Shepard
- 1980 St. Petersburg Yacht Club – Mike Funsch, Mark Shepard
- 1979 Long Beach Yacht Club – John Shadden, Steve Rosenberg
- 1978 Long Beach Yacht Club – John Shadden, Peter Brazier
- 1977 Cohasset Yacht Club – Brian Keane, Stephen Higginson
- 1976 Shrewsbury Sailing & Yacht Club – Chris Lloyd, Mark Perkins
- 1975 White Rock Boat Club – Dan Hathaway, Scott Young

## Bemis Sportsmanship

- 2018 Ian Reimel, Zoe Hactor - North Cape Yacht Club/Hoover Sailing Club
- 2017 Ansgar Jordan, Patrick Mulcahy – Coronado Yacht Club/California Yacht Club
- 2016 Noble Reynoso- San Francisco Yacht Club
- 2015 Dana Haig, Zach Zeelander - Barnegat Light Yacht Club
- 2014 Michael Masterandrea – Rochester Yacht Club
- 2013 Charlie Lomax, Evan Morgan – Annapolis Yacht Club
- 2012 Nathan Allman, Zachary Kaan – Kaneohe Yacht Club
- 2011 William and Abby Godfrey – Beverly Yacht Club
- 2010 James Schaefer, Jason Raymond – Cedar Point Yacht Club
- 2009 Stewart Draheim, Ellie Nielsen – Rockwall, TX
- 2008 Henry Blanchette, Aimee Kelleher (tie) – Marion, MA
- 2007 Brendan Kopp, Michael Costello (tie) – Fairfield, CT
- 2006 Paige Conlin – Bellport, NY
- 2005 Carolyn Prioleau – Houston, TX
- 2004 Nick Thurber, LaSalle – MI
- 2003 Peter Fallon, Falmouth – MA



## Previous Winners Continued

### Sears Cup

- 2018 Sheboygan Youth Sailing Center - Douglas Wake, Ashley English, Noah Bartelt
- 2017 Cabrillo Beach Yacht Club – Cameron Feves, Tristan Richmond, Brock Paquin
- 2016 Annapolis Yacht Club- Porter Kavle, Jack Vickers, Will Comerford
- 2015 Lakewood Yacht Club - Dane Byerly, Howdy Hughes, Collin Scoville, Carson Shields
- 2014 St. Petersburg Yacht Club – Liam McCarthy, Josh Dochoda, Greiner Hobbs
- 2013 San Francisco Yacht Club – Jack Barton, Sammy Shea, Alex Moody, Sam Barton
- 2012 San Francisco Yacht Club – Jack Barton, Sam Barton, Sammy Shea, Corey Lynch
- 2011 Mystic River Mudhead Sailing Association – O.J. O’Connell, Ben Wilkinson, Kyle Seniff
- 2010 Mission Bay Yacht Club – Scott Hoffmann, Evan Hoffmann, Reece Bernet
- 2009 Mission Bay Yacht Club – Scott Hoffmann, Evan Hoffmann, Colleen Hackett
- 2008 Sarasota Youth Sailing Program – Will Stocke, Max Famiglietti, Matt Dowd
- 2007 Mission Bay Yacht Club – Scott Hoffmann, Evan Hoffmann, Eric Alamillo
- 2006 Team FOR – Fred Strammer, Katrina Salk, Zeke Horowitz
- 2005 Annapolis Yacht Club – Ted Hale, Evan Aras, Joe Morris
- 2004 Venice Youth Boating Association – Fred Strammer, Dalton Tebo, Charlotte Sims
- 2003 Southern Yacht Club – Baker Potts, Allan LeBlanc, Edward Levert
- 2002 Santa Barbara Yacht Club – Ted White, Alex Bernal, David Harris, Duncan Shea
- 2001 Malletts Bay Boat Club – Erik Johnson, Karl Johnson, Bretton Gardner
- 2000 St. Petersburg Yacht Club – Rick Korab, Ryan Druyor, Kevin Reali
- 1999 King Harbor Yacht Club – Colin Campbell, Brian Angel, Ryan Houston
- 1998 Bay Waveland Yacht Club – Robert Conrad, Marcus Eagan, Cardwell Potts
- 1997 St. Petersburg, FL – Sean Doyle, Nick Hartney, Andrew Nelson
- 1996 Pass Christian Yacht Club – John F. Dane, Oliver Peneguy, David Taylor
- 1995 Toms River Yacht Club – Allan Terhune, Jr., Coury Yetman, Ronald Vignone
- 1994 Shilshole Bay Yacht Club – Dalton Bergan, Mike Visser, Kevin Oliverio
- 1993 Mystic River Mudhead Sailing Association – Morgan Conner, Graeme Woodworth, Kyle Shattuck
- 1992 Baview Yacht Club – Dean Balcirak, Mike Bianco, Peter Feldman, Adam Lowry
- 1991 Southern Yacht Club – Charles Meade, John Alden Meade, John Moss
- 1990 Houston Yacht Club – Scott Elting, Carter Perring, Sam Pyne, David Thomas
- 1989 Coconut Grove Sailing Club – Patrick Downey, Mark Ingraham, Chris McGrath

## Previous Winners Continued

- 1988 St. Francis Yacht Club – Morgan Larson, Haley King, Brandon Paine
- 1987 Coconut Grove Sailing Club – Kevin Downey, Greg Enos, Kim Logan
- 1986 Cowan Lake Sailing Association – Jeff Irvine, Bill Barrett, Steve Rittmeyer
- 1985 St. Petersburg Yacht Club – Royce Rarik, Marty Kullman, Michelle Profant, Chris Bardes
- 1984 Houston Yacht Club – Todd Hudgins, Mitch Brindley, David Calverly
- 1983 Alamitos Bay Yacht Club – Ron Rosenberg, Mike Goyan, Mike Kortz
  
- 1982 Alamitos Bay Yacht Club – Ron Rosenberg, Jim McLeod, Rich Palarea, Chris Redman
- 1981 Richmond Yacht Club – John Kostecki, Albert Boyce, Mark Hempstead, Rand Arnold
- 1980 Long Beach Yacht Club – John Shadden, Mike Pinckney, Bobby Frazier
- 1979 American Yacht Club – Bill Lynn, Tom Munding, Bobby Capita
- 1978 Pymatuning Yacht Club – Mark Thompson, Mike Werley, George LeBrun
- 1977 Buckeye Lake Yacht Club – Will Petersilge, Dan Robinson, Dan Dressel
- 1976 Potomac River Sailing Association – Andrew Menkart, Jeff Stamper, Berkeley Shervin, Chris Mason
- 1975 Coconut Grove Sailing Club – Mike Alexander, Reid Hutchinson, Freddy Hutchinson
- 1974 Minnetonka Yacht Club – Tom Burton, Chris Thompson, Fritz Van Nest
- 1973 Houston Yacht Club – Glen F. Brown, Paul Thompson, Paul Wells
- 1972 Houston Yacht Club – Clark Thompson, Jr., Paul Thompson, Glen F. Brown
- 1971 Annapolis Yacht Club – Charlie Scott, Larry Leonard, Eddie Holt
- 1970 Hudson Yacht Club – Dan Williams, Clark Thompson, Jr., Ed McFarlan
- 1969 Noroton Yacht Club – Manton D. Scott, Christopher P. Wilson, Steven B. Heath
- 1968 Galveston Bay Cruising Association. – John Kolius, Jay Williams, Dan Williams
- 1967 Southern Yacht Club – John Dane, III, John Cerise, Mark LeBlanc, Bill Smith
- 1966 Monmouth Boat Club – Robert Held, Robert McCutcheon, David Allen
- 1965 Corinthian Yacht Club – Robert E. Doyle, Robert McCann, Bruce Atkins
- 1964 Corinthian Yacht Club – Robert E. Doyle, Robert McCann, Joan Thayer
- 1963 Milford Yacht Club – Whit Batchelor, John Cordes, Dave Brown
- 1962 Newport Harbor Yacht Club – Henry Sprague, III, George Twist, Bill Symes
- 1961 Pleon Yacht Club – Stephen Wales, Lee Harris, Tex Mason, Rennie Greenlaw
- 1960 Royal Vancouver Yacht Club – David Miller, Colin Park, Kenneth Baxter
- 1959 Hudson Yacht Club – John Welch, Barbara Thomas, Ian Richie
- 1958 Noroton Yacht Club – Kevin Jaffe, Carolyn McCurdy, Peter Wilson
- 1957 Pequot Yacht Club – John Merrifield, Peter Clark, Thomas Munnell

## Previous Winners Continued

- 1956 Seattle Corinthian Yacht Club – Alan Holt, Fred Ray, Stephen Banks
- 1955 Royal Canadian Yacht Club – A.R. Lennox, D. Day, P. Carver
- 1954 Kingston Yacht Club – Harry Jemmett, Hendry Connell, Barrie Gilbert
- 1953 Sandusky Sacht Club – Dave Ortman, Ellen Seaman, Forbes Hotchkiss
- 1952 Indian Harbor Yacht Club – Martin A. Purcell, Constance M. Neher, Carolyn E. Neher
- 1951 Rocky Point Club – George Reichelm, James A. Blattman, William B. Osgood, III
- 1950 Pleon Yacht Club – Stephen M. Smithwick, George Stephenson, Nelson W. Aldrich, Jr.
- 1949 Cohasset Yacht Club – Kingsley Durant, Francis V. Cohouet, Edward C. Burske, Jr.
- 1948 Vineyard Haven Yacht Club – Douglas Cassel, Robert Villings, James Norton
- 1947 The Buzzard Yacht Club – Michael Jackson, Nicholas J. Baker, Allen K. Chase
- 1946 Stage Harbor Yacht Club – William R. Maclay, H.T. Woodland, Jr., Andrew Griscom
- 1941 Eastern Yacht Club – Robert Coulson
- 1940 Eastern Yacht Club – Robert Coulson
- 1939 Annisquam Yacht Club – Richard W. Machem
- 1938 Pequot Yacht Club – Robert E. Gordon
- 1937 Pequot Yacht Club – Charles P. Stetson
- 1936 Vineyard Haven Yacht Club – John H. Ware, Jr.
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- 1934 Vineyard Haven Yacht Club – Frank B. Jewett, Jr.
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- 1932 Eastern Yacht Club – Chandler Hover, Jr.
- 1931 Beverly Yacht Club – Michael M. Cudahy
- 1930 Vineyard Haven Yacht Club – Willaim S. Cox
- 1929 Bar Harbor Yacht Club – Willaim B. Cudahy
- 1928 Beverly Yacht Club – Willaim B. Cudahy
- 1927 Pleasant Bay Yacht Club – Charles Ashley Hardy
- 1926 Duxbury Yacht Club – John S. Wilbor
- 1925 Duxbury Yacht Club – C. Raymond Hunt
- 1924 Pleon Yacht Club – Harry B. Thayer, Jr.
- 1923 Duxbury Yacht Club – C. Raymond Hunt
- 1922 Larchmont Yacht Club – Arthur W. Knapp
- 1921 Pleon Yacht Club – Richard S. Thayer

## Previous Winners Continued

### Cox Sportsmanship Award

- 2018 Lucy Brock, Julius Heitkoetter, Taylor Synder
- 2017 Christopher Lukens, TJ Danilek, Pierce Ornstein
- 2016 Grant Gridley
- 2015 Grant Gridley, Dylan Brady, Alexa Ripple, Connor Chapman
- 2014 Liam Hood, Riley Allsop, Jeffrey Werner
- 2013 Liam McCarthy, Noah Blacker, Nevin Avila, Emily Wright
- 2012 Michael Madigan, Jim Madigan, Jack Thompson, Johannes McElvain
- 2011 Sarah Fuller, Julia Fuller, Cary Anne Kane
- 2010 Dylan Vogel, Casey Brown, Sam Hallowell
- 2009 Scott Hoffman, Evan Hoffman, Colleen Hackett
- 2008 Sam Oldroyd, Matt Stillin, Alexis Aird
- 2007 Fritz Stunzi, Trevor Burd, Callie Naughton
- 2006 John Riddle, Lauren Berk, Charlotte Bauer
- 2005 Peter Bujosa, William Turner, Elliot Womack
- 2004 Ted Hale, Ben Allen, and Emily Bartlett
- 2003 Eric Bradley, Steven Frazier, Ryan Lashaway
- 2002 Eric Bradley, Karl Bradley, Steven Frazier
- 2000 David Parker, Chris Barret
- 1999 John Skinner, Bobby Hamill, Ward Hackett
- 1997 Michael Alexander, Jennifer Celesia & John Alexander
- 1996 Anglea Scheibner
- 1995 Chad Atkins
- 1994 Tom Loughrey, Kristin Loughrey, Craig Stryker
- 1993 Amy Rosenfeld
- 1992 Scott Thomson, Anthony Dekkers
- 1991 William B. Stearns IV
- 1990 Manning Montagnet, Gerard Ballanco, Alan Arnold, Owen Peneguy
- 1989 Forrest Fennell
- 1988 Jon Disch, Justin Corbett

### Shipsape Award

- 2018 Gabriel El Hajji, Adeline Ruiz, Ryan Murray
- 2017 Lucy Brock, Julius Heitkoetter, Taylor Snyder
- 2016 Porter Kavle, Jake Vickers, Will Comerford
- 2015 Sammy Shea, Nolan Van Dine, Chloe Bohannon, Jackson Ritter
- 2014 Zachary Kaan, Aaron Kiyotoki, Leah Ford
- 2013 Colin Mackay, AJ Rush, Sam Rush, Christine Samanich
- 2012 Will Dana, Francesca Dana, Taro Duncan, Nolan Van Dine
- 2011 Zach Kaan, Aaron Kiyotoki, Kai Heitzman
- 2010 Kate Andersen, Nick Dedona, Daniel Rosic

## History of the Championship

In 1921, Commodore Herbert M. Sears of the Eastern Yacht Club at Marblehead, MA placed in competition a Cup bearing his name for competition among juniors of Massachusetts yacht clubs. The next year eligibility broadened to include clubs such as Larchmont and Seawanhaka Corinthian on Long Island Sound and Cedarhurst on the south shore of Long Island, NY. How racing has changed since then is reflected in the fact that boys in those days were required to wear caps, neckties and jackets and girls dresses while sailing.

In 1930, Commodore Sears of the Eastern Yacht Club at Marblehead, confident that NAYRU was here to stay and deeming it desirable that the competition be national in scope, deeded the trophy to NAYRU for triplehanded sailing among juniors over 12 and under 18 whose parents or guardians are members of some Yacht Club in the United States recognized by the Union. Under the deed, the Cup is "for the purpose of promoting the sport of yachting by encouraging proficiency in seamanship and sportsmanlike conduct in sail yacht racing on the part of boys and girls of school age". By the 1950's, NAYRU was inviting the Associations to make selections of teams to compete. Until the US Yacht Racing Union was formed in 1975, teams from Canadian Yacht Clubs also competed.

Spurred by the growing number of sailors in singlehanded boats, led to the addition in 1974 of the U.S. Junior Singlehanded championship for a trophy in honor D. Verner Smythe, a long-time chairman of the Sears Cup Committee. The U.S. Doublehanded Championship is of similar vintage as the U.S. Junior Singlehanded. F. Gregg Bemis was best known for his work on the racing rules which included a long tenure as chairman of the Appeals Committee, but it was his leadership role in judging at junior and intercollegiate regattas that inspired a group of co-judges to donate in 1975 a trophy for doublehanded junior sailing.

The Championships are ladder events in which eliminations are open to the 1000+ yacht clubs and 150+ community sailing programs in the Yacht Racing, or District, Associations that today comprise US Sailing. In 1999 the singlehanded and doublehanded divisions were expanded to include two teams per Area (groupings of Yacht Racing or District Associations) with the exception of Areas H and L, each of whom send one team.