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The 2007 Nationals Come Home to Island Heights

The Nationals can never be sailed enough at Island Heights Yacht Club! A walk in the clubhouse points to the great sailing history on the East Coast. Over its 100+ years the club attracted a host of one designs, including the Jet 14—THE CLASS to sail in the 1950s and 60s. Just a stone's throw away Howard Sindle and others came up with the Jet 14's design on a napkin at his ice cream parlor.

This year, Island Heights will welcome two historic Jet 14s to Barnegat Bay. Doug Brown has done a fantastic job restoring hull #747--a great number for any Jet. I have unearthed hull #7, (originally Thunderbird sailed by Tim Thomas). The boat is restored and rigged to win races. But if the boats we sail don't hearken back memories of the 1950s and 60s Seaside Heights' boardwalk and amusement park surely will. Make plans early to ensure a memorable regatta. I hope to see you there.
President Dave Michos, #7, 217

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Jet Promotion Report

— Getting More Jets, New and Old on the Water

If you're not using your boat consider selling it. Check our spot on the Sail1design website. Site administrators are posting a Jet page for free. They offer reasonable classified rates, as little as \$25 to list a Jet until it sells. If you have a boat to sell I encourage you to post on this site and our class site. <http://www.sail1design.com/8.html?m10:cat=%2FJet%2014>

Spinnsheet Highlights Jet Sailing on the Chesapeake. The magazine will publish a Jet 14 article late July. Contributor Dan Phelps finished an article along with photos from the Parramore. *Spinnsheet* reaches a wide audience and will hopefully bring some good prospects.

New Jet Brochures Coming to Promote Your Fleet! I am preparing a template Fleet Brochure to distribute to fleet captains. The template is based on Cliff Peshek's who has successfully grown Cleveland Fleet 60. Just add your own local photos and some contact info.

Orders Await for New Allen Boat Company Jet 14s. After completion of three Vermillion Fiberglass boats this month the molds will be moving to Allen Boat Company, the top Lightning builder in the world. A few minor modifications will be made to correct measurement deficiencies. The molds will be put back into service pending a 3-boat order. Class President Dave Michos has stepped up once again to place the first order. We need two more orders to get the production process initiated. Please contact Dave Michos or me with any questions.

Ted Reshetiloff, First Vice President #1149



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Welcome to the 55th Jet 14 National Championships!

I am pleased to invite the class to join us at Island Heights Yacht Club, August 8 – 11 for the 55th edition of the class championships. The venue is set, trophies have been ordered, the RC is in place; all we need now are the competitors. In 2002, 40 boats participated in the 50th Anniversary Regatta also held at Island Heights. Let's make the 55th even bigger!

As you know there are actually three regattas during this event: The Women's Championship, The Junior Championship and The Open Championship. The Women's and Junior Regattas will be held the afternoon of August 8th. Following the event, please plan to attend the **Welcome Cookout** at IHYC where we will celebrate and present awards to the day's winners. The three days of the Open Regatta will follow with Continental Breakfast each morning, refreshments each afternoon, a catered dinner and raffle on Friday evening culminating with the awards ceremony on Saturday. We'll throw in some great racing on Barnegat Bay and Toms River as well.

There is a lot that goes into coordinating a regatta of this size. From staffing the registration desk, measurement posts, designing and ordering T-Shirts, confirming numbers for the catered events, arranging for on and off-the-course volunteers and of course, having a sufficient supply of cold beverages on hand!

EARLY REGISTRATION IS THE KEY TO SUCCESS. Take note of the July 13th registration deadline, but please don't wait until then! The Jersey Shore in August is a busy place, so make your housing arrangements now and mail in your registration form! The more we know and the sooner we know it, the smoother the event will run.

The Full Schedule, NOR, Measurement and Registration Forms are included in this issue of Jet Blasts and on the class web site. Housing Information is available on the class web site or through your local Fleet Captain or District Representative. Take a minute to send in your registration today. **Let's make this the best championship event yet!**

If you have any questions, or I can be of any assistance, please drop me a note at Jet14Nationals@comcast.net

See you at Island Heights!

Charlie

Charles Smith
Regatta Chairman

NOTICE of RACE

2007 JET 14 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

OPEN, WOMEN & JUNIOR REGATTAS

1. **ORGANIZING AUTHORITY:** The organizing authority is the Jet 14 Class Association in conjunction with Island Heights Yacht Club (IHYC).
2. **RULES:** The races will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing, 2005-2008 Edition (RRS); the prescriptions of the United States Sailing Association; the Jet 14 Class Association Constitution and By-Laws; except as any of these are changed by this notice of race, the Sailing Instructions and any amendments hereafter. The races are designated Category "A" in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20. Sailing instructions for each event will be available at IHYC no later than the designated registration closing times.
3. **ELIGIBILITY:** All skippers must be 2007 members in good standing of the Jet 14 Class. Co-helming is allowed provided both skippers are paid 2007 Jet 14 Class members. For the Junior Regatta, skipper and crew shall not reach their 20th birthday before January 1, 2008.
4. **REGISTRATION, FEES & MEASUREMENT:** Registration, in person at IHYC or by mail, must be done using the event-appropriate form, together with all fees and measurement documents by the deadline specified. Registration forms will be mailed to paid Jet 14 Class members by the Class Secretary and will also be available at IHYC during registration and on the Jet 14 Class website. All boats are required to display the 2007 Class membership decal.

Open Regatta: \$185 per boat includes Continental Breakfast each morning, after-race snacks/beverages, Wednesday Cookout, Friday Dinner, and 2 T-Shirts if **POSTMARKED PRIOR TO JULY 13, 2007**. Entries received after that date will be \$185, but will not include T-Shirts. Registration closes at 6 PM Wednesday, August 8, 2007. Measurement will take place Tuesday, August 7, 1 – 7 PM and Wednesday, August 8, 9 AM – 6 PM.

Women & Junior Regattas: No entry fee. No meals or T-Shirts included. Registration closes at 11 AM Wednesday, August 8, 2007. Measurement will take place Tuesday, August 7, 1 – 7 PM and Wednesday, August 8, 9 – 11 AM.

At registration each competitor will be required to sign a waiver for loss, damage or injury to persons or property incurred in connection with this event or on the property of IHYC and to release IHYC, the Jet 14 Class, any sponsors of the event and their members, officers, governors, employees, agents and sponsors from any liability for any such loss, damage or injury. All competitors under the age of 18 shall have parental permission. Also, each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party insurance sufficient to cover liability for loss, damage, personal injury or death.

5. **SCHEDULE:** All times noted herein are approximate and are subject to change. Check the Official Notice Board and Sailing Instructions for actual times.

Wednesday, August 8, 2007 – Women & Junior Regattas

Competitors' Meeting at IHYC at 12 N

First Warning Signal at 1 PM

More News and Information Available at Jet14.com

Welcome Cookout and Awards at 5:45 PM

Thursday, August 9, 2007 – National Championship

Competitors' Meeting at IHYC at 9 AM

First Warning Signal at 10:30 AM

Snacks and beverages after racing

Dinner on your own

Friday, August 10, 2007

First Warning Signal at 10 AM

Snacks and beverages after racing

Class Meeting at 6 PM

Dinner at 7 PM at IHYC with raffle

Saturday, August 11, 2007

First Warning Signal at 9:30 AM

No Race Starting after 1 PM

Awards and Refreshments after racing

6. **VENUE:** The waters of Toms River and Barnegat Bay approximately 1 mile off IHYC.
7. **COURSES:** Courses will be as described in the Sailing Instructions.
8. **SCORING:** The scoring system will be the Low Point system of RRS, Appendix A.
 - a. 8 races are planned for the Open Regatta. 3 races must be sailed and completed to award the National Championship. After 6 races, one throw-out will be included.
 - b. The Women's & Junior Regattas will be up to 5 races with no throw-outs. One sailed, completed and scored race will qualify for the awarding of the Women's and Junior National Championships.
9. **AWARDS:**
 - a. Open National Championship (trophies for Skipper & Crew)
 - i. Chevron Fleet 1st – 10th place
 - ii. Presidents Fleet 1st – 5th place
 - b. Women's National Championship (trophies for Skipper & Crew)
 - i. 1st – 3rd place
 - c. Junior National Championship (trophies for Skipper & Crew)
 - i. 1st – 3rd place
 - d. Class Perpetual Awards

10. **BOAT STORAGE & LAUNCHING:** Boats may be stored and launched from designated areas beginning August 7th. Further information will be available.

11. **INFORMATION:** Charles Smith, Regatta Chairman

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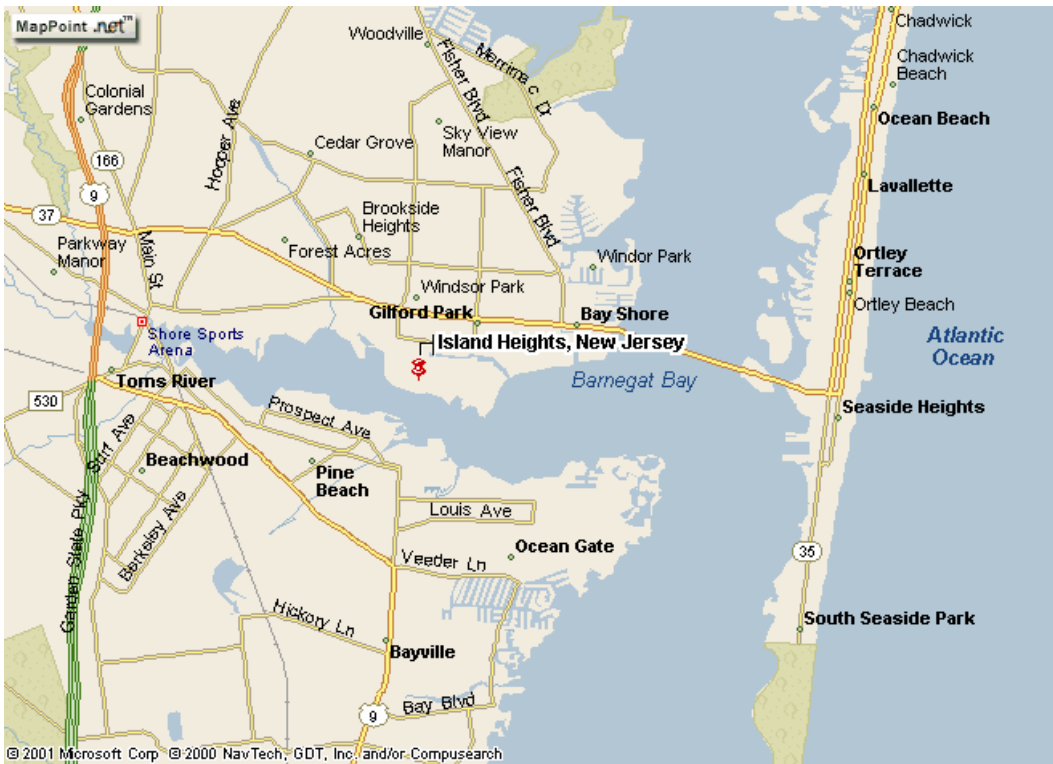
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Jet 14 Nationals Accommodations

Island Heights Yacht Club, PO Box 721, River Avenue, Island Heights, NJ 08732 www.ihyc.com

There may be some possibilities for sailors to stay with Island Heights Yacht Club members. If you are interested in that option, please let us know right away. Since we cannot confirm availability now, it may be wise to make other reservations just in case. **Please make your plans for accommodations now because August is a busy season at the Jersey Shore.** This information is provided for planning purposes only. These realtors, hotels, motels, B+B's and campgrounds are not endorsed or guaranteed by the Jet 14 Class Association or Fleet 51. Island Heights is about 30 miles north of Surf City and 60 miles north of Atlantic City.

Charles & Joanna Smith 201-435-3694 Jet14Nationals@comcast.net



Campgrounds

There are three campgrounds near Island Heights, only one of which will take reservations now. **Call Maxine or Linda right away at Surf and Stream if you want to confirm now.** The other two open after April 15th.

Surf and Stream Campground
State Highway 571, Toms River, NJ 08753 / (732) 349-8919

Distance to IHYC: 2.3 Miles
\$30-\$40/night

Cedar Creek Campground
1052 Atlantic City Boulevard (Rte 9), Bayville, NJ 08721 / (732) 269-1413
Distance to IHYC: 5.0 Miles

Website: www.cedarcreeknj.com
Email: creekrunr9@aol.com

Albocondo Campground
1480 Whitesville Road
Toms River, NJ 08755
(732) 349-4079
Distance to IHYC: 6.8 Miles

House Rentals

If you are interested in renting a house, make plans now.

Norm Smith Realty, Inc., 114 Atlantic City Blvd
Beachwood, NJ / (732) 349-2867

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Miles to IHC	Name	Address	Phone	Information
ISLAND HEIGHTS (08732)				
0.5	The Studio of John F. Peto (B&B)	102 Cedar Ave	(732) 270-6058	In 2002, Charlie Engler arranged for a special rate of \$65/night for Jet 14s. They have not returned our calls this year.
0.5	The Cottage on the River	PO Box 628 10 Ocean Road	(732) 270-8123	\$145-\$155/night
TOMS RIVER (08755)				
1.6	Comfort Inn	2016 Route 37 West	(732) 657-7100	\$130/night, AARP discount
1.6	Shore Motel	2202 Route 37 East	(732) 270-1600	Has not returned calls
2.5	Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge	955 Hooper Ave	(732) 244-1000, (800) 446-4656	\$159-\$179/night, AARP discount continental breakfast,, fridge in rooms
2.5	Pier One Motel	3430 Route 37 East	(732) 270-0914	Has not returned calls
2.5	Quality Inn	815 Route 37 West	(732) 341-2400	\$149-\$189/night, AARP discount
3.1	Holiday Inn Toms River	290 Route 37 East	(732) 244-4000	15 rooms on hold until July 6. \$169/night for Jet 14 group. Reportedly renovated
3.1	Best Western	2-5 West Water Street	(732) 341-6700	\$129-139/night Renovated 2 years ago
5.0	Ramada Inn & Suites of Toms River	2373 Route 9	(732) 905-2626 (800) 272-6232	\$189-\$195/night
ORTLEY BEACH (08751)				
5.0	Jersey Shore Courts	1810 Route 35 North	(732) 793-6068	
5.6	Starlight Motel	1963 Route 35 North	(732) 793-4321	
LAVALLETTE (08735)				
5.6	Candlelight Motel	2304 Grand Central Ave	(732) 793-5050	
6.2	Bayberry Motel	1005 Grand Central Ave	(732) 830-4442	
SEASIDE HEIGHTS (08751)				
4.3	Bay Breeze Motel	230 Sumner Ave	(732) 830-4555	
4.3	Buoy 16 Motel	711 Ocean Terrace	(732) 830-4829	
4.3	Cranbury Inn	201 Hering Avenue	(732) 793-5117 (800) 498-4233	
4.3	Franklin Terrace Motel & Apartments	50 Franklin Ave.	(732) 793-1177	
5.0	Atlantic Motel	1000 Central Ave	(732) 793-0200	
5.0	Aztec Ocean Resort	901 Boardwalk	(732) 793-3000 (888) 976-9277	
5.0	Belmont Motel	120 Sheridan Ave	(732) 793-8519	

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5.0	Coral Sands Motel	1010 Boulevard	(732) 793-8711 (866) 896-5798	
5.0	Dry Dock Motel	50 Lincoln Ave	(732) 793-6200	
5.2	Villa Armondo	215 Sumner Ave	(732) 793-1715	
5.2	Village Inn Hospitality	314 Bay Blvd	(732) 830-6777	
5.4	Offshore Motel	108 Boulevard	(732) 793-1522	
5.4	Sand Castle Motel	124 Hamilton Ave	(732) 830-5100	
5.4	Seaside Hotel & Apartments	Sumner Ave & Central	(732) 793-1630	

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