



Effort Made Easy

For anyone who has ever thought of bringing a race boat and team to Martha's Vineyard, Edgartown Yacht Club has good news for you. [Edgartown Race Weekend](#), June 20-22, is on the "shoulder" season, so booking rooms and dining out is easier than in the high season. It also helps that there are plenty of gatherings at the Yacht Club for crew and families, including a Welcome Party hosted by Mount Gay Rum on Friday night. And where to put your boat? Free moorings are still available on Friday and Saturday to *paid* registrants for the 'Round-the-Island Race and on Thursday and Friday for the 'Round-the-Sound Races.

David Schwartz (Bristol, R.I.), owner of the Lyman-Morse 40 *Mischief*, puts it in first-hand perspective: "The *Mischief* team likes to do about 20 weekend days of racing a season. Doing Edgartown often comes up for discussion, but the logistics put me off. So, this year I polled the crew, and in three days, more people committed to doing the event than we had room for! In a few more days, the group had rented a house and secured ferry reservations for cars! The entry process and logistics turned out to be a piece of cake and we are all psyched for racing and socializing."



So, what are you waiting for? Races are open to PHRF-NE (including Spinnaker, Non-Spinnaker, and Doublehanded), and Multi-Hulls. See who's entered: <https://bit.ly/ERWEntries>. And check out the Competitor's Guide (see, they *do* make it easy!) <https://bit.ly/49ulCv7>