



Connecticut Maritime Association Fourth Annual 12 Meter Regatta Featuring Nine America's Cup Classic 12 Meters

“This yachting event will have to go down as probably the most memorable event in shipping at least in my recollection in the USA. You guys keep out-doing yourselves on each and every event, but I don't know how you can top this.”

Gerard T. Desmond
Louis-Dreyfus Corporation

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

On **Friday, September 26th, 2008** the Connecticut Maritime Association will hold its fourth Annual Regatta. The CMA has chartered nine America's Cup Twelve Meter Yachts for the 2008 Regatta. *Weatherly* built 1958, *Columbia* built 1958, *Easterner* built 1958, *Nefertiti* built 1962, *American Eagle* built 1964, *Intrepid* built 1967, *Heritage* built 1970, *America II (US 42)* built 1984 and *America II (US 46)* built 1984.

Crew spaces on the yachts are available to CMA Members and are priced at \$350 each. Each crew spot includes lunch on board, regatta hat, racing, post-racing cocktails, dinner and prize-giving at Indian Harbor Yacht Club. Crew spots are now sold out and we have moved to a waiting list. Let us know if you want to be added to the waiting list.

We have also chartered the 117' luxury spectator yacht "Cayah Michele", where a smorgasbord lunch and cocktails will be served, as we go out to watch the racing. The spectator yacht will be departing from Fjord Catering & Charters, 143 River Road, Cos Cob promptly at 12 Noon and will return around 4:00 pm. There is plenty of parking at "Port Fjord" and nautical dress is encouraged (blue blazers, white slacks, binoculars and nautical hats for the men, hats for the ladies!). Otherwise, smart casual will be fine! On Board racing commentary will be provided by Norm Webster "the voice of the CMA". Visit <http://www.fjordcatering.com> for Directions.

Tickets for this event are \$110 per person. Please call Lorraine at +1.203.406.0109 Ext 3717 to reserve and arrange payment or email: conferences@cmaconnect.com

Immediately following the racing, the Captains' Cocktails and Dinner will commence at the Indian Harbor Yacht Club, 710 Steamboat Road, Greenwich, CT. Cocktails will be followed by a seated dinner and the trophy presentations. Cocktails commence at 5:30 pm. Tickets for this event are \$160 per person and again, space is limited and selling fast, so please call Lorraine to reserve. Tickets for the Captains' Cocktails only are also available at \$60 per person. Dress code is smart casual. Visit <http://www.indianharboryc.com> for Directions.

We look forward to seeing you at one or all of the events and wish the yacht crews the best of luck. Call today to secure your space, as these events will all be sold-out!

Will "Intrepid" triumph again? Will Genmar/Genco's "Nefertiti" retain the cumulative trophy? All will be answered on September 26th

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