

BOOTHBAY HARBOR RACES: Saturday, June 21

DIRECTIONS:

From points south: Route 1 north to Edgecomb, turn onto Route 27, which will take you right to the waterfront in downtown Boothbay Harbor.

From points north: Route 1 south to Edgecomb, turn onto Route 27, which will take you right to the waterfront in downtown Boothbay Harbor.

ABOUT THE RACES:

The Charlie Begin Memorial Races in Boothbay Harbor are where the season kicks off. Depending on weather and whether winter "project boats" are completed in time, the field of competitors on hand for the season opener can vary from strong to modest.

But regardless of the turnout, these races will be among the best organized and most professionally run thanks to the hard work of veteran local race committee chairman Clive Farrin and his talented crew.

The Boothbay Lobster Wharf restaurant (the former Boothbay Region Lobstermen's Co-op) right on Atlantic Avenue will be the official race headquarters and the site of pre-race registration and the post-race awards presentations. It's also a darned good spot to get lunch and a cold beverage!



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