

AMYA 1970/2000 A Chronological History

Page #1

A capsule view of our past 30 years, by Paul Meskill.

Ref: Newsletters; QNL; and *Model Yachting* Issues #1 to and including #121
Also Issue #31 "A Brief History" by Rich Matt

AMYA and its Presidents

Rich Matt	1970/1972
Don Prough	1972/1974
Bob Harris	1974/1976
Dick Hein	1976/1978
Bob DeBow	1978/1980
Bud Salika	1980/1982
John Davis	1982/1984
Paul Meskill	1984/1986
Ned Hemle	1986/1988
Charles Scales	1988/1990
John Patton	1990/1992
Frank Gauer	1992/1994
Ralph McCafferty	1994/1995-1996
Don Peacock	1996/1998
Jack Gregory	1998/2000

The following is an excerpt from issue #1 (Ray Hottinger, Newsletter Editor)

This was a five (5) page 8-1/2 x 14 mimeograph copy that was stapled folded in half and mailed in a 7-1/2 x 10-1/2 manila envelope. Postage was 24 cents.)

About 1965 R/C model sailboats became readily available through the efforts of people like Tom Protheroe, Matt Jacobson and John Reynolds. The availability of complete kits with fiberglass hulls, really established the popularity of R/C model sailing. Like sailing the full-scale craft, one boat by itself is relaxing, but get two or more boats together for a race, then the fun is multiplied. Now that R/C model sailing was popular it was only inevitable that a group of enthusiastic R/C sailors would get their heads together and start up an organization to set down rules and promote regattas. This then is the American Model Yachting Association.

The AMYA was founded in 1970 through the efforts of the famous "nine". These people were scattered across the country and Canada. These nine each represented a different class of yacht along with their Association duties.

They were as follows:

Rich Matt	President, Western Springs, Ill.
Rod Carr	Sec'y Treasurer, Chevy Chase, MD.
Ray Hottinger	Newsletter Editor, Colorado Springs, CO.
Dennis Eason	10R Class, Toronto, Ontario, Canada
Dick Hein	S/B and Half Meter Classes Chicago, Ill
Robert Sudding	50-800 Class Colorado Springs, CO.
Bill MacLaughlin	West Coast 12M Memphis, Tenn. (Designed the AMYA patch)
Don Prough	36-600 Class and racing rules, California
Gordon Wallace	Regatta One Design

This View of our Past is presented in the format of the two (2) year term served by our Association President and includes who the officers were, what classes were active and who the respective Class Sec'y was along with some notes from the newsletters.

1970/1972

President Rich Matt

Newsletters #1 thru #8

Rod Carr	Sec'y Treasurer
Ray Hottinger	Newsletter Editor
Dennis Eason	10R Class
Dick Hein	S/B and Half Meter Classes
Robert Sudding	50-800 Class
Bill MacLaughlin	West Coast 12M
Don Prough	36-600 Class and racing rules
Gordon Wallace	Regatta One Design

In **Issue #1** was a membership form. With reference to the article in issues #31 by Rich Matt, the dues were \$2.50. For this amount you received a quarterly newsletter, a patch signifying you as a member, a membership card, a copy of the association constitution and most important: the fellowship of those that share a common interest in the hobby of R/C sailing.

Issue #2 reported 122 members after seven months of operation. Hopes of reaching 300 by the end of the year.

Issue #2 reported two (2) classes recognized as official:

S/B	37
EC12	37

Standings for other classes:

36-600	10
West Coast 12	10
10R	7
50-800	8
Regatta OD	11
Half-Meter	3
"A"	2
"X"	2
Dumas Star (45)	1

Issue #2 was now 10 pages, now folded in half, stapled, Hand addressed and mailed with a 12-cent stamp. It contained a notice for the first Association Annual Meeting to be held in Memphis, Tenn. on Aug 21/22 site of the first EC12 class championship regatta. Also a notice for all local groups of R/C sailors to apply for official club sanction.

Issue #3 was 12 pages plus an added 8-1/2 x 11 schematic for "Sudding's Super Sail Servo" and notice for Chicago's "First Annual Memorial Day Radio Control Sail Regatta" also a handout from Vortex Model Engr. (S/B) showing their recommended race course. (Olympic Yacht Racing Course) complete with a drawing.

It was our first issue with a picture on the cover page.

Issue #3 (Spring 1971)

There are now six (6) official AMYA classes:

S/B	47
EC12	42
50-800	26
10R	21
Regatta O.D.	20
36-600	20
Growing	
West Coast 12M	10
Dumas Star 45	8
Half Meter O.D	8
“X”	5
“A”	2
Open	3

The annual meeting proposals were listed in #3 Nominations etc. Motion to raise the dues from \$2.50 to \$3.65 per annum effective 1972.

A rate for rooms at the “Admiral Bembow Inn” for the EC12 ACCR and the annual meeting was Single (1 person) \$13; (2 people) \$18: with a \$2 charge for each person Children under 12 free. (how times do change)

Discussion in the 50-800 class report. Displacement hulls vs Planing hulls.

(11) eleven sanctioned clubs.

Members letter with regard to the formation of AMYA “splinter” off from the old Model Yacht Racing Association. (“MYRAA”) with regards to the use of radios in model boats and the efforts to bring the two groups together.

Issue #4 was now 17 pages long still in the same format. (summer 1971)

Reported membership now 215

Registered yachts:

S/B	59
EC12	49
50-800	30
10R	28
Regatta O.D.	26
36-600	20
Growing	
West Coast 12M	16
Dumas Star 45	10
Half Meter O.D	10
“X”	7
“A”	3
Open	4

A membership roster was included in this issue broken down by States.

An article by Ben Hogensen “It Started with the Yacht Mary”, a look at three centuries of model yachting. 1660 forward. Very good.

Issue #5 Result of 1st Elections (88 people voted?)

Directors

Ben Hogensen	Sec’y Treasurer
Ray Hottinger	Newsletter Editor
Dennis Eason	

Dick Hein
 Robert Sudding
 Bill MacLaughlin
 Don Prough
 Gordon Wallace
 Bob Harris

Class Sec'y

Dick Hein	S/B and half Meter classes
Rod Carr	EC12M
Robert Sudding	50-800
Dennis Eason	10R Class
Whit Adams	Regatta One Design
Don Prough	36-600 Class

Motion to increase dues passed.

Other items:

Reports on the AMYA'S First annual Class Championship Regatta's

36-600 (boats sailed were a Scale Soling;Startlets;Mizpah and a Pro) won by Tom Protheroe.

*50-800 (boats sailed were a Scale Soling;Phoenix;scale Snipe and Skippy) won by Tom Protheroe

* S/B won by Tom Protheroe

* was part of the 36-600 ACCR and included for boat info.

EC12M won by Don Prough

50-800 won by Don Prough

10R won by Rich Matt

S/B won by Tom Protheroe

West Coast 12M won by Chuck Black

As reported in #5 (Fall 71)

Total Membership = 265

S/B	77
EC12	63
50-800	44
10R	44
Regatta O.D.	27
36-600	36
West Coast 12M	23
Dumas Star 45	12
Half Meter O.D	10
"X"	7
"A"	4
Open	3

(there are now 7 official classes ?)

Issue #6 (Winter of 1971)

Bob Harris appointed as Club Coordinator

(17) sanctioned clubs now.

ACCR report on the Regatta One Design won by D.K. Jones

Serving as Class Sec'y for not yet official classes:

"X" Class Skip Freely

Star 45 Francis Smith

"A" Robert Preston

Start of the "Honest Ahab" classifieds (Buy; sell; swap) members only

Issue #7 MISSING**Issue #8 Summer 1982**

AMYA SEC'Y now Bill MacLaughlin

Membership reported 329

There is now eight (8) official AMYA classes:

S/B	94
EC12	67
50-800	67
10R	39
Regatta O.D.	22
36-600	41
West Coast 12M	20
Open	20
Growing	
Dumas Star 45	18
Half Meter O.D	8
"X"	3
"A"	4

Announcement of the up coming Annual Meeting held at the S/B ACCR August 19/20 1972. Ballot was included in this 11-page newsletter.

1972/1974**President Don Prough****Newsletters #9 thru #16**

Directors:

Bill MacLaughlin	Sec'y Resigned due to illness
Chuck Black	Sec'y
Dick Hein	Treasurer
Rich Matt	Newsletter Editor
Dennis Eason	Inter-org. Relations
Robert Sudding	
Bob Harris	Racing Rules
Gordon Wallace	Regatta Schedule
George Montague	

Class Secretaries

S/B	104	Class Sec'y George Montague
EC12	83	Class Sec'y Bob Harris
50-800	91	Class Sec'y Bill Caldwell
10R	45	Class Sec'y Dennis Eason
Regatta O.D.	22	Class Sec'y D.K. Jones
36-600	48	Class Sec'y Bill MacLaughlin
West Coast 12M	21	Class Sec'y Howard Kuykendall
Open	20	
Dumas Star 45	21	Class Sec'y Francis Smith
Half Meter O.D	22	
Growing		
"X"	3	
"A"	6	

Issue #9 (20 pages)

Reported at the end of 1972 the membership was 375.

A editors report about the annual meeting gave the results of the ballot. An insert was included in this issue to update the members "Blue Book" (Association constitution & regulations)

The Treasure was now an elected office and was also a Director. A separate Director was assigned to be the Secretary.

Rich Matt had an article about MYRAA. One of the discussions at the annual meeting was how to establish relations with our fellow modelers. Went on to explain previous efforts (numerous) showed no interest by MYRAA. Goes on to say that AMYA would be better off with the initiation of a new relationship with the members of MYRAA.

It was decided at the annual meeting to establish formal communications and to encourage a meaningful understanding between the two organizations. A committee was formed

Issue #10 (20 pages)

Total Membership as of 11/30/72 was 405

Registered boats:

S/B	124	Class Sec'y George Montague
50/800	111	Class Sec'y Bill Caldwell
EC12	90	Class Sec'y Bob Harris
36-600	48	Class Sec'y Bill MacLaughlin
10R	45	Class Sec'y Dennis Eason
Regatta O.D.	22	Class Sec'y D.K. Jones
West Coast 12M	22	Class Sec'y Howard Kuykendall
Open	22	
Dumas Star 45	21	Class Sec'y Francis Smith
Half Meter O.D	22	
Growing		
"X"	3	
"A"	7	

Issue #11 (18 pages)

Total Membership as of 3/18/73 was 368

Registered boats:

50/800	142	Class Sec'y Bill Caldwell
S/B	121	Class Sec'y George Montague
EC12	90	Class Sec'y Bob Harris
36-600	52	Class Sec'y Bill MacLaughlin
10R	36	Class Sec'y Dennis Eason
Regatta O.D.	16	Class Sec'y D.K. Jones
West Coast 12M	19	Class Sec'y Howard Kuykendall
Open	19	
Dumas Star 45	15	Class Sec'y Francis Smith
Half Meter O.D	22	
"X"	4	
"A"	9	

Issue #12 (20 pages)

Total Membership as of 6/20/73 was 551

Dues were \$3.65 per year

Registered boats:

50/800	213	Class Sec'y Bill Caldwell
S/B	158	Class Sec'y George Montague

EC12	106	Class Sec'y Bob Harris
36-600	73	Class Sec'y Bill MacLaughlin
10R	49	Class Sec'y Dennis Eason
Star 45	25	Class Sec'y Francis Smith
Regatta O.D.	22	Class Sec'y D.K. Jones
West Coast 12M	20	Class Sec'y Howard Kuykendall
Open	34	
"A"	15	
"X"	4	
Half Meter O.D	no listing	

Issue #13 (36 pages)

Officers:

Don Prough	President
Chuck Black	Sec'y
Dick Hein	Director/Treasurer
Rich Matt	Director/Newsletter Editor
Dennis Eason	Director/Inter-org. Relations
Rod Carr	Director/ Regatta Schedule/Club Coord.
Bob Harris	Director/Racing Rules
Gordon Wallace	Director/Publicity
George Montague	Director/

Total Membership as of 10/01/73 was 681

Registered boats:

50/800	263	Class Sec'y Ron Schoder
S/B	170	Class Sec'y George Montague
EC12	115	Class Sec'y Bob Harris
36-600	91	Class Sec'y Bill Barton
10R	55	Class Sec'y Dennis Eason
Star 45	28	Class Sec'y Francis Smith
Regatta O.D.	25	Class Sec'y D.K. Jones
West Coast 12M	20	Class Sec'y Howard Kuykendall
Open	31	
"A"	17	Class Sec'y Ed Williams
"X"	6	
Half Meter O.D	4	

Highlights of annual meeting:

Motion #1 passed 120 to 30. It is now necessary for each club to sponsor at least one regatta annually in order to maintain its sanctioned status.

Motion #7 passed which provided for the removal of an association officer that had not paid his dues by Jan. 31

Association dues raised from \$3.65 to \$5.00.

Issue #14(24 pages)

Total Membership at the end of 1973 was 791

Registered boats:

50/800	322	Class Sec'y Ron Schoder
S/B	179	Class Sec'y George Montague
EC12	124	Class Sec'y Bob Harris
36-600	103	Class Sec'y Bill Barton

10R	55	Class Sec'y Dennis Eason
Star 45	33	Class Sec'y Francis Smith
Regatta O.D.	25	Class Sec'y D.K. Jones
West Coast 12M	23	Class Sec'y Howard Kuykendall
Open	30	
"A"	17	Class Sec'y Ed Williams
"X"	6	
Half Meter O.D	6	

Issue #15(24 pages)

Total Membership as of spring of 1974 was 623

Registered boats:

50/800	336	Class Sec'y Ron Schoder
S/B	131	Class Sec'y George Montague
EC12	111	Class Sec'y Bob Harris
36-600	92	Class Sec'y Bill Barton
10R	52	Class Sec'y Dennis Eason
Star 45	25	Class Sec'y Francis Smith
Regatta O.D.	20	Class Sec'y D.K. Jones
West Coast 12M	16	Class Sec'y Howard Kuykendall
Open	39	
"A"	19	Class Sec'y Ed Williams
"X"	3	
Half Meter O.D	5	

Issue #16(24 pages)

Prior to this issue the format was 8-1/2 x 11. This issue was to a new format 7 x 8-1/2.

Total Membership as of summer of 1974 was 786.

Registered boats:

50/800	409	Class Sec'y Ron Schoder
S/B	159	Class Sec'y George Montague
EC12	142	Class Sec'y Bob Harris
36-600	116	Class Sec'y Bill Barton
10R	61	Class Sec'y Dennis Eason
Open	44	
Star 45	25	Class Sec'y Francis Smith
Regatta O.D.	22	Class Sec'y D.K. Jones
West Coast 12M	22	Class Sec'y Howard Kuykendall
"A"	19	Class Sec'y Ed Williams
Half Meter O.D	8	
"X"	3	

This issue was the ballot issue. Motion #1 was to make the Secretary job appointive, and to increase the number of directors to eight.

1974/1976

President Bob Harris

Newsletters #17 thru #24

Issue #17

Secretary Eugene "Bud" Salika

Directors:

Chuck Black Racing Rules

Dick Hein	Treasurer
Rich Matt	Newsletter Editor
Dennis Eason	Inter-org. Relations
Don Prough	Technical Investigation
Ron Schroder	Mfg/Supplier

Rod Carr	Regatta Schedule
Ed Shipe	Publicity

AMYA membership reported Fall 1974 was 879

50-800	453	Class Sec'y John Ball
S/B	173	Class Sec'y Alex Robins
EC12	152	Class Sec'y Cas Woodbridge
36-600	125	Class Sec'y Chuck Black
10R	63	Class Sec'y Ray Davidson
Open	45	
Dumas Star 45	25	Class Sec'y Francis Smith
West Coast 12M	24	Class Sec'y Jack Thomas
Regatta O.D.	22	Class Sec'y D.K. Jones
"A"	19	
Half Meter O.D	8	
"X"	3	

As a result of the most recent election paid advertising is now in place. Rich Matt to handle ad rates. Motion #1 passed It provides that the AMYA Sec'y shall be appointed by the President rather than elected to office and the secretary deserves compensation. It also provides that the number of Directors be increased from 7 to 8.

Issue #18

AMYA Membership as of 12/26/74 was 949

Directors:

Chuck Black	Racing Rules
Dick Hein	Treasurer
Rich Matt	Newsletter Editor
Dennis Eason	Inter-org. Relations
Don Prough	Technical Investigation
Ron Schroder	Mfg/Supplier
Buddy Black	Regatta Schedule * replaced Rod Carr
Ed Shipe	Publicity

50-800	488	Class Sec'y John Ball
S/B	225	Class Sec'y Alex Robins
EC12	158	Class Sec'y Cas Woodbridge
36-600	145	Class Sec'y Chuck Black
10R	65	Class Sec'y Ray Davidson
Open	49	Class Sec'y Wally Gitchel
Dumas Star 45	31	Class Sec'y Rod Carr
West Coast 12M	30	Class Sec'y Jack Thomas
Regatta O.D.	23	Class Sec'y D.K. Jones
"A"	19	
Half Meter O.D	7	
"X"	4	

Issue #19

AMYA Membership as of 3/1/1975 was 673

Directors:

Chuck Black	Racing Rules
Dick Hein	Treasurer
Rich Matt	Newsletter Editor
Dennis Eason	Inter-org. Relations
Don Prough	
Ron Schroder	Mfg/Supplier
Buddy Black	Regatta Schedule * replaced Rod Carr
Tom Protheroe	Technical Investigation * replaced Ed Shipe

50-800	372	Class Sec'y John Ball
S/B	129	Class Sec'y Alex Robins
EC12	110	Class Sec'y Cas Woodbridge
36-600	110	Class Sec'y Chuck Black
10R	40	Class Sec'y Ray Davidson
Open	45	Class Sec'y Wally Gitchel
Star 45	24	Class Sec'y Rod Carr
West Coast 12M	16	Class Sec'y Jack Elam
Regatta O.D.	15	
"A"	15	
Half Meter O.D	7	
"X"	4	

Issue #20

AMYA Membership Summer 1975 was 981

Directors:

Chuck Black	Racing Rules *** resigned due to health
Dick Hein	Treasurer
Rich Matt	Newsletter Editor
Dennis Eason	Inter-org. Relations
Don Prough	
Ron Schroder	Mfg/Supplier
Buddy Black	Regatta Schedule * replaced Rod Carr
Tom Protheroe	Technical Investigation * replaced Ed Shipe

50-800	540	Class Sec'y John Ball
S/B	183	Class Sec'y Alex Robins
36-600	160	Class Sec'y Chuck Black
EC12	151	Class Sec'y Ray Ihlenburg
Open	78	Class Sec'y Wally Gitchel
10R	47	Class Sec'y Ray Davidson
Star 45	33	Class Sec'y Rod Carr
West Coast 12M	29	Class Sec'y Jack Elam
"A"	28	
Regatta O.D.	15	
Half Meter O.D	7	
"X"	4	

A notice that Mr. Roy Clough, father of the Marblehead 50/800 class, passed on at the age of 84. His idea conceived over forty years ago for a length/sail-area class. an instant success. The class spread rapidly and has become a popular international class.

Issue #21

AMYA Membership Fall 1975 was 1128

Directors:

Rich Matt	Racing Rules
Dick Hein	Treasurer
Ron Menet	Newsletter Editor
Dennis Eason	Inter-org. Relations
Cas Woodbridge	Regatta Procedures
Ron Schroder	Mfg/Supplier
Lester Connor Jr.	Regatta Schedule
Tom Protheroe	Technical Investigation

50-800	591	Class Sec'y John Ball
S/B	199	Class Sec'y John Maloney
36-600	187	Class Sec'y Chuck Black
EC12	171	Class Sec'y Ray Ihlenburg
Open	73	Class Sec'y Wally Gitchel
10R	49	Class Sec'y Ray Davidson
Star 45	37	Class Sec'y David Holmes
West Coast 12M	31	Class Sec'y Jack Elam
"A"	29	Class Sec'y Ed Williams
"J"	20	**** NEW CLASS****
Regatta O.D.	15	
Half Meter O.D	7	
"X"	4	

Issue #22

At the end of 1975 AMYA had a membership of 1295

Issue #23

Membership as of 3/21/76 was 949

Issue #24

AMYA Membership Summer 1976 was 1214

50-800	737	Class Sec'y John Ball
36-600	269	Class Sec'y Chuck Black
S/B	227	Class Sec'y John Maloney
EC12	207	Class Sec'y Ray Ihlenburg
Open	78	Class Sec'y Wally Gitchel
Star 45	61	Class Sec'y David Holmes
West Coast 12M	56	Class Sec'y Jack Elam
10R	51	Class Sec'y Ray Davidson
"J"	49	Class Sec'y John Noble

“A”	27	Class Sec’y Ed Williams
Regatta O.D.	15	
Half Meter O.D	7	
“X”	4	

1976/1978

President Dick Hein

Newsletters #25 thru #32

Issue #25

Hot topic for Dick Hein tour of duty MYRAA and affiliation with IMYRU

Secretary : Robert E. Crysler

Directors:

Bud Salika	Treasurer
Ron Menet	Newsletter Editor
Dennis Eason	Inter-org. Relations
Bob Harris	Regulatory Agencies
John Kelley	Mfg/Supplier
Lester Connor Jr.	Public Relations
Tom Protheroe	Internal Policies
Chuck Black	Racing Rules

AMYA Membership end of 1976 was 1329

50-800	794	Class Sec’y Standley Goodwin
36-600	286	Class Sec’y Ray Hickok
S/B	233	Class Sec’y Geo. Montague
EC12	217	Class Sec’y Ray Ihlenburg
Star 45	66	Class Sec’y Al Hemmalin
Open	65	Class Sec’y Wally Gitchel * Magnum one design
West Coast 12M	60	Class Sec’y Jack Elam
10R	53	Class Sec’y Ray Davidson
“J”	49	Class Sec’y John Noble
Soling O.D.	42	Class Sec’y Bob DeBow * NEW CLASS
“A”	29	Class Sec’y Ed Williams
Magnum O.D.	21	Tom Lansberry * NEW CLASS

Issue #26

Winter of 1977 Secretary’s report showed 292 members (renewals), and no boat count in this issue. Note about the sail numbers being transferred to Class Secretary responsibility.

Issue #27

Directors:

Bud Salika	Treasurer
Ron Menet	Newsletter Editor
Dennis Eason	Inter-org. Relations
Bob Harris	Regulatory Agencies

John Kelley	Mfg/Supplier
Lester Connor Jr.	Public Relations
Tom Protheroe	Internal Policies
Bob DeBow	Racing Rules *Replaced Chuck Black

AMYA Membership Spring of 1977 was 860

50-800	606	Class Sec'y Standley Goodwin
36-600	222	Class Sec'y Ray Hickok
S/B	148	Class Sec'y Geo. Montague
EC12	168	Class Sec'y Ray Ihlenburg
Star 45	52	Class Sec'y Al Hemmalin
Open	41	Class Sec'y Wally Gitchel * Magnum one design
Newport 12M	52	Class Sec'y Austin Daigle
10R	46	Class Sec'y Ray Davidson
"J"	14	Class Sec'y John Noble
Soling O.D.	98	Class Sec'y Bob DeBow
"A"	24	Class Sec'y Ed Williams
Magnum O.D.	19	Walter LeBlanc

Issue #28

Notice sent to all Class Sec'y that effective 1 Oct. 1977 yacht registrations, transfers etc will now be considered as part of their duties. The AMYA Secretary still has final accountability for total registrations in each class and the collection of fees.

Sec'y report shows 1209 members as of May 77

50-800	833	Class Sec'y Standley Goodwin
36-600	287	Class Sec'y Ray Hickok
EC12	222	Class Sec'y Ray Ihlenburg
S/B	191	Class Sec'y Geo. Montague
Soling O.D.	78	Class Sec'y Bob DeBow
Newport 12M	68	Class Sec'y Austin Daigle
Star 45	67	Class Sec'y Al Hemmalin
Open	63	Class Sec'y Wally Gitchel
10R	59	Class Sec'y Ray Davidson
"A"	29	Class Sec'y Ed Williams
"J"	28	Class Sec'y John Noble
Magnum O.D.	22	Class Sec'y Walter LeBlanc

Issue #29

Directors:

Bud Salika	Treasurer
Ron Menet	Newsletter Editor
Matt Jacobson	PR/Media Contact
Bob Harris	Regulatory Agencies
Ted Brindle	Mfg/Supplier
Lester Connor Jr.	Regatta Schedule
Tom Protheroe	Technical Review
Bob DeBow	Racing Rules

AMYA Membership Fall of 1977 was 1335

50-800	828	Class Sec'y Standley Goodwin
36-600	307	Class Sec'y Ray Hickok
EC12	229	Class Sec'y Ray Ihlenburg
S/B	197	Class Sec'y Geo. Montague
Soling O.D.	86	Class Sec'y Bob DeBow
Star 45	73	Class Sec'y Al Hemmalin
Newport 12M	69	Class Sec'y Austin Daigle
Open	63	Class Sec'y Wally Gitchel
10R	62	Class Sec'y Ray Davidson
"A"	33	Class Sec'y Ed Williams
"J"	26	Class Sec'y John Noble
Magnum O.D.	26	Walter LeBlanc

Was reported that we now have 52 Sanctioned Clubs

Issue #30

Winter 77/78

Proposed dues increase to \$10.00 in 1979

Total Membership as of mid Dec. 1977 was 1500+

565 reported members start of 78

Class Sec'y of Soling O.D.; Newport12M; & Magnum O.D. to be the first to change over to new system for yacht registrations, etc.

No report of Class numbers this issue.

Issue #31

Ref: Article by Rich Matt, A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE AMYA

Membership at 966 with 240 being new members.

No report of Class numbers.

Issue #32

No report of class numbers

50-800	Class Sec'y Standley Goodwin
36-600	Class Sec'y Ray Hickok
EC12	Class Sec'y Dennis Ryan
S/B	Class Sec'y Rich Matt
Soling O.D.	Class Sec'y Bob DeBow
Star 45	Class Sec'y Bill Weiss
Newport 12M	Class Sec'y Austin Daigle
Open	Class Sec'y Wally Gitchel
10R	Class Sec'y Ray Davidson
"A"	Class Sec'y John Krick
"J"	Class Sec'y John Garbarino
Magnum O.D.	Class Sec'y Walter LeBlanc

1978/1980

President Bob DeBow

Had two Treasure's ; Dick Hein and Bob Cornell

Had three Sectrearys ; Bob Espenshade; Bob Danks and Barbara Maire

Had two Quarterly Newsletter Editors ; Ron Menet and Bill Webb

The Treasurer and Editor were both Directors. The other Directors were:
 Les Conner (Scheduling) Replaced by Jim O'Rourke who was replaced by John Krick
 Ted Brindle (Advertising)
 Matt Jacobson (Public Relations) temporarily replaced by John Krick and then returned.
 Louis Robbio (External Affairs)
 Bill VanDieren (Technical)
 Jim West (Rules)

Active Classes:

Star 45	Class Sec'y	Bill Weiss followed by Chas. Cannon
36-600	Class Sec'y	Ray Hickok
S/B	Class Sec'y	Rich Matt followed by Tom Bermann
50-800	Class Sec'y	Chuck Black
Magnum one design	Class Sec'y	Walt LeBlanc followed by Ken Hoopes
EC-12M	Class Sec'y	Dennis Ryan
Soling O.D.	Class Sec'y	Howard Brown
INT A	Class Sec'y	John Krick followed by Geo. Bard
"J"	Class Sec'y	John Garbarino
10R	Class Sec'y	Ray Davidson followed by Richard Button
Open	Class Sec'y	Wally Gitchel
Soling 36 O.D.	Class Sec'y	Lionel Goodman
Newport 12	Class Sec'y	Austin Daigle followed by P.H. Loura and Fred Schenck Jr.

The above data from American Model Yachting Association Quarterly issues #33 thru #40

In the Newport 12M Class news a report that as 1 June 1978. ninety three (93) N12M's were registered with AMYA.
 The AMYA Club roster showed fifty nine (59) clubs.
 Dues were \$10.00 Membership reported 1980 = 1030 (262 new members)
 The "HOT" 50-800 boats were "EPIC" & MAGIC DRAGON"
 The AMYA had a "Raffle" at the annual meeting to supplement the funds.
 Added "Family Membership" option
 A contest was held to "Name the Newsletter"

1978/1980

President Eugene Salika

Treasurer ; Bob Cornell
 Secretary ; Barbara Maire
 Quarterly Newsletter Editor ; Bill Webb

The Treasurer and Editor were both Directors. The other Directors were:
 Chuck Black (Scheduling)
 Es Tasman (Advertising)
 Matt Jacobson (Public Relations).
 Bob DeBow (External Affairs)
 Karl Tulp (Technical) followed by Rob't Girdly
 Jim West (Rules)

Active Classes:

Star 45	Class Sec'y	Chas. Cannon followed by Bill Rader
36-600	Class Sec'y	Bob Borla
S/B	Class Sec'y	Bob Danks followed by Tod Ryder
50-800	Class Sec'y	John Davis
Magnum one design	Class Sec'y	Ken Hoopes
EC-12M	Class Sec'y	Ed Niles
Soling O.D.	Class Sec'y	Howard Brown
INT A	Class Sec'y	Geo. Bard
"J"	Class Sec'y	John Garbarino followed by Bill Zebb
10R	Class Sec'y	Richard Button
Open	Class Sec'y	Wally Gitchel followed by Joe Medina
Soling 36 O.D.	Class Sec'y	Lionel Goodman followed by Robert Drisko
Newport 12	Class Sec'y	Fred Schenck Jr.

The above data from American Model Yachting Association Quarterly
issues #41 thru #48

Membership at the end of 1980 showed 1135 of which 75 were family type members.

The AMYA Treasurers report for Nov./79 to Oct./80 showed that we had a excess of \$630.00.

Dues were \$10.00 Family Membership was \$12.50 and Juniors were \$5.00

The "HOT" 50-800 boats were "BONE" & TOAD".

Probar winches were the way to go.

Quarterly #43 had an Obituary about Bob Harris. One of the early contributors to AMYA, and its third President.

1982/1984**President John Davis**

V.P Robert Girdly (Club Liaison)

Treasurer ; Bob Cornell

Secretary; Barbara Maire

Quarterly Newsletter Editor; Bill Webb for issue #50 & 51. John Davis for issue #52 & a combined issue #53 & #54 (Bill Webb had resigned). Gene Dunham for #55 on.

Added the office of V.P

The Treasurer was a Director. The Editor was now a volunteer.

The balance of the Directors were:

Chuck Black (Scheduling) followed by Rod Wallis#4

Ed Tasman (Advertising) #3

Matt Jacobson (Public Relations). (six regions caused Ed to not Re-run)

Paul Meskill (Membership growth & Canadian Liaison) (Public Relations) #1

Bill Mercer (technical) #6

Jim West (Rules) #2

Bill Webb (Postperson) #5

*** #53/54 was a double issue as the Editor had resigned, and John Davis put it together as the "accidental editor". This issue was the first appearance of the BOD now being setup by REGIONS.

Active Classes:

Star 45	Class Sec'y	Bill Rader
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36-600	Class Sec'y	Glenn Raub
S/B	Class Sec'y	Jerry Dollis
M Class	Class Sec'y	Stan Goodwin
Magnum one design	Class Sec'y	Craig Belden
EC-12M	Class Sec'y	Ed Niles followed by Frank Pelly
Soling O.D.	Class Sec'y	Howard Brown
INT A	Class Sec'y	Geo. Bard
"J"	Class Sec'y	Bill Zebb
10R	Class Sec'y	Frank Soto
Open	Class Sec'y	No Class Sec'y
Soling 36 O.D.	Class Sec'y	Robert Drisko
Newport 12	Class Sec'y	Charles Engel
#52* 3 UR Class	Class Sec'y	Dick Wisher
#52* Olympic One Meter	Class Sec'y	Bob DeBow
#56* Sixty O.D	Class Sec'y	Richard Kahle

* added classes

The above data from American Model Yachting Association Quarterly issues #49 thru #56 Records show: (80) Sanctioned clubs.

As a result of the 1983 elections, AMYA was now setup by six (6) Regions. This caused Matt Jacobson to be ineligible to run for re-election as Region four, where he lived was not up for election that year.

In John Davis's Presidential Report (#56) he wrote about his hope for the quarterly going to 8x10 size with the name *Model Yachting*. This became a reality with issue #79, Spring 1990. That is a good article to read: most of what John wrote became the future reality of the AMYA. John Davis had more problems during his administration than any previous President, and probably accomplished more in spite of them. Big Flap over issue #51 with the publication of some cartoons that generated lots of irate letters. With Bill Webb resigning as Editor, his chosen replacement editor, Jeff Sledge, did not survive his first issue before quitting, and not returning the archived article material and photography from past issues sent him. This made recovery difficult, and killed plans for a model yachting "how-to" book for new members, based on past articles from the QNL. John put out issue #52. Issue #53 was very late and John elected to combine it with #54. By issue #55, John found a new Editor, Gene Dunham, whose outstanding service as editor for the next 7 ½ years, finishing with issue #85. The timing was very wrong for all this to happen as the dues were increased to \$15.00; \$17.50 and \$7.50. John got lots of letters critical of his administration.

AMYA "Poster" was now available, also a loaner "AMYA Sailing VCR tape" both free of charge.

1984/1986

President Paul Meskill

V.P Edward Helmle (Club Liaison)

Treasurer ; Bob Cornell

Region #1 Paul Meskill (Northeastern and P.R.) followed by Bob Farrant

Region #2 Dick Wischer (Eastern and Rules)

Region #3 Ed tasman (Southern and Advertising) followed by William Rader

Region #4 Rod Wallis (Midwestern and Regatta Coordinator)

Region #5 Bill Webb (Southwestern and Postperson) followed by R. Richardson

Region #6 Bill Mercer (Western and Technical Affairs)

AMYA Volunteer / Pres. Appoint.

Executive Secretary Barbara Maire
 Quarterly Newsletter Editor Gene Dunham
 IMYRU & USYRU Liaison Jim West
 Advertising Consultant Henry Larson

Active Classes:

M Class	Class Sec'y	Stan Goodwin
36-600	Class Sec'y	S. Stanfield followed by Glen Raub
EC-12M	Class Sec'y	Frank Pelly followed by Carter Cain
S/B	Class Sec'y	Jerry Dollis
10R	Class Sec'y	Frank Soto followed by F. Henry Larson
INT A	Class Sec'y	Geo. Bard followed by Byron Collier
Olympic One Meter	Class Sec'y	Bob DeBow Class name changed to US One Meter
Soling O.D.	Class Sec'y	Howard Brown
Soling 36 O.D.	Class Sec'y	Robert Drisko followed by S.Stanfield
Star 45	Class Sec'y	Charles Hoehn
Newport 12	Class Sec'y	Charles Engel
"J"	Class Sec'y	Bill Zebb followed by Ralph McCafferty
3 UR Class	Class Sec'y	Bob Weston
Magnum one design	Class Sec'y	Craig Belden
Sixty O.D	Class Sec'y	Richard Kahle
Open	Class Sec'y	Bud Salika
*#63 36/600 Multi-Hull	Class Sec'y	John Ulrich * added classes

The above data from American Model Yachting Association Quarterly issues #57 thru #64

Records show:

(84) Sanctioned clubs.

Open Class had (46) boats registered. (summer of 1985)

Lots of discussion on formation of AMYA Class

QNL carried reports on sponsors of new members; by member; club; region.

Summer issue 1976 showed 1214 members.

Issue #62 page #6 article for Business Card Page \$20.00/4 quarters

Three classes facing desertification on hold till March 1986

Bar chart in #62 showing Membership by year 1979-1985 broken down by renewals/new members/non renewals.

1986/1988**President Ned Hemle**

V.P John T. Hanks III (Club Liaison & Class Sec. Liaison)

Treasurer ; Bob Cornell

Region #1 Bob Farrant (Northeastern and Canadian Liaison replaced by Ed Childs

Region #2 Jack Patton (Eastern and PR)

Region #3 William Rader (Southern and Advertising)

Region #4 Rod Wallis (Midwestern and Regatta Coordinator)

Region #5 Rick Richardson (Southwestern and Rules) replaced by Jim Meister

Region #6 Bill Mercer (Western and Technical Affairs) replaced by John Andreson

AMYA Volunteer / Pres. Appoint.

Executive Secretary Barbara Maire Replaced by Rod Wallis
 Position of Membership Secretary created with Pat Hein having the honor.
 Quarterly Newsletter Editor Gene Dunham

Active Classes:

M Class	Class Sec'y Stan Goodwin
36-600	Class Sec'y Glen Raub
EC-12M	Class Sec'y Carter Cain followed by Rod Carr
S/B	Class Sec'y Jerry Dollis
10R	Class Sec'y F. Henry Larson
INT A	Class Sec'y Byron Collier
Olympic One Meter	Class Sec'y Bob DeBow
Soling O.D.	Class Sec'y Howard Brown
Soling 36 O.D.	Class Sec'y S. Stanfield
Star 45	Class Sec'y Charles Hoehn
Newport 12	Class Sec'y Bill Ferramola
"J"	Class Sec'y Dohn Bronson
3 UR	Class Sec'y Bob Weston (Decertified issue #67)
Magnum one design	Class Sec'y Craig Belden (Decertified issue #67)
Sixty O.D	Class Sec'y Richard Kahle (Decertified issue #67)
Open	Class Sec'y Bud Salika
36/600 Multi-Hull	Class Sec'y John Ulrich
Infinity 54	Class Sec'y Richard Beck

The above data from American Model Yachting Association Quarterly issues #65 thru #72

Records show:

Dues are now \$20; \$22.50 and \$7.50
 Over (100) Sanctioned clubs.

1988/1990

President Charles Scales

V.P John Patton (Club Liaison & Class Sec. Liaison)
 Treasurer ; James Meister
 Region #1 Ed Childs (Northeastern and Canadian Liaison)
 Region #2 Edward Helmle (Eastern and Technical Affairs)
 Region #3 Rickey Davis (Southern and Advertising)
 Region #4 Rod Wallis (Midwestern and Regatta Coordinator)
 Region #5 Russ Harwell (Southwestern and Rules)
 Region #6 John Andreson (Western and Public Relations) followed by Andy Littlejohn

AMYA Volunteer / Pres. Appoint.

Executive Secretary Rod Wallis
 Membership Secretary Pat Hein
 Quarterly Newsletter Editor Gene Dunham
 Assistant Editor Carl Schaefer
 Marketing Manager Barney Kemter

Active Classes:

M Class	Class Sec'y	Stan Goodwin	
36-600	Class Sec'y	Glen Raub	
EC-12M	Class Sec'y	Rod Carr replaced by Glen Chalder	
S/B	Class Sec'y	Jerry Dollis	
10R	Class Sec'y	F. Henry Larson	
INT A	Class Sec'y	Byron Collier	
US One Meter	Class Sec'y	Bob DeBow	
Soling O.D.	Class Sec'y	Howard Brown	
Soling 36 O.D.	Class Sec'y	S. Stanfield decertified Issue #79	
Star 45	Class Sec'y	Charles Hoehn	
Newport 12	Class Sec'y	Charles Engel followed by Bill Ferramola	
	"J"	Class Sec'y	Ralph McCafferty
	Open	Class Sec'y	Bud Salika
36/600 Multi-Hull	Class Sec'y	John Ulrich	
Infinity 54	Class Sec'y	Richard Beck (Added issue #68)	
g-Force 12M	Class Sec'y	dave Giovannini (added issue #79)	

The above data from American Model Yachting Association Quarterly, issues #73 thru #80. Issue #79 was the first issue in the size that we now have.

Records show:

Membership for 1988 reported as 1388. Membership for 1989 is 1363.

Protesting the Board of Directors on a ruling with regard to the EC-12M, Rod Carr resigned as Class Sec.

Issue #80 had an article by Rod Carr "The Twentieth Anniversary of AMYA --A Perspective".

1990/1992**President John Patton**

V.P; J.D. Vincent (Club Liaison & Class Sec. Liaison)

Treasurer ; James Meister

Region #1 Ed Childs (Northeastern and Canadian Liaison)

Region #2 Edward Helmle (Eastern and Technical Affairs)

Region #3 Rickey Davis (Southern and Advertising) followed by Pat Davis

Region #4 Rod Wallis (Midwestern and Regatta Coordinator)

Region #5 Russ Harwell (Southwestern and Rules) followed by Glen Comer

Region #6 Andy Littlejohn (Western and Public Relations)

AMYA Volunteer / Pres. Appoint.

Executive Secretary Rod Wallis

Membership Secretary Pat Hein

Quarterly Newsletter Editor Gene Dunham

Assistant Editor Carl Schaefer

Active Classes:

M Class	Class Sec'y	Stan Goodwin
36-600	Class Sec'y	Glen Raub followed by Dennis Desprois
EC-12M	Class Sec'y	Glen Chalder
S/B	Class Sec'y	Jerry Dollis
10R	Class Sec'y	No Class Sec'y Glen Horvath issue #85

INT A	Class Sec'y	Byron Collier
US One Meter	Class Sec'y	Steve Andre
Soling O.D.	Class Sec'y	Howard Brown
Star 45	Class Sec'y	Charles Hoehn
Newport 12	Class Sec'y	Phil Millet
"J"	Class Sec'y	Dohn Bronson
Open	Class Sec'y	Bud Salika followed by Bob Stinson
36/600 Multi-Hull	Class Sec'y	Fred Egan decertified issue #87
Infinity 54	Class Sec'y	Bob LaNoue followed by J.C. Greenlee
g-Force 12M	Class Sec'y	Dave Giovannini decertified issue # 87
AC	Class Sec'y	Bill Staiger New in issue #82

The above data from American Model Yachting Association Quarterly issues #81 thru #88 (about 50 pages per issue)

Records show:

Issue #87 --Gene Dunham, long-time editor of the QNL and Model Yachting, retires and is replaced by Paul Brown.

1992/1994

President Frank Gauer

V.P; Ralph McCafferty (Club Liaison & Class Sec. Liaison)
 Treasurer ; James Meister
 Region #1 Ed Childs (Northeastern and Canadian Liaison) Followed by Jack Gregory
 Region #2 Frank Sposato (Eastern and Technical Affairs)
 Region #3 Pat Davis (Southern and Advertising) Followed by Bill gale
 Region #4 Rod Wallis (Midwestern and Regatta Coordinator)
 Region #5 Glen Cpmer (Southwestern and Rules)
 Region #6 Andy Littlejohn (Western and Public Relations) followed by Bob Egar

AMYA Volunteer / Pres. Appoint.

Executive Secretary Rod Wallis
 Membership Secretary Harry Robertson
 Quarterly Newsletter Editor Paul R. Brown
 Assistant Editor William J, Hosfelt

Active Classes:

M Class	Class Sec'y	Stan Goodwin
36-600	Class Sec'y	Dennis Desprois
EC-12M	Class Sec'y	Glen Chalder
S/B	Class Sec'y	Jerry Dollis
10R	Class Sec'y	Glen Horvath
INT A	Class Sec'y	Byron Collier
US One Meter	Class Sec'y	Steve Andre followed by Bill Turner
Soling O.D.	Class Sec'y	Howard Brown
Star 45	Class Sec'y	Martin E. Scheuer
Newport 12	Class Sec'y	Phil Millet
"J"	Class Sec'y	Dohn Bronson
Open	Class Sec'y	Bob Stinson

Issues #97 thru #101 (about 34 pages per issue)

Records show:

Membership Numbers reported in Issue #97.

1988 1387
 1989 1363
 1990 1378
 1991 1320
 1992 1283
 1993 1288
 1994 1593
 1995 1690

Number of pages reduced to 34 starting in issue #97, by using smaller type size.

Dues Raised to \$25 for 1996.

Issue #98 had a note that Chandlery items are available thru Tom Shipp.

1996

President Donald Peacock

V.P; Bob Eger

Treasurer ; James Meister

Region #1 Jack Gregory (Technical/Engr.)

Region #2 Neil Goodrich

Region #3 Bill Gale

Region #4 Tom Shipp

Region #5 John Hanks III

Region #6 Bob Egar

AMYA Volunteer / Pres. Appoint.

Executive Secretary Dave Brawner followed by Dick Rutledge

Membership Secretary Harry Robertson

Quarterly Newsletter Editor Paul R. Brown

Assistant Editor William J, Hosfelt

Construction Editor Greg Sunshine

Active Classes:

M Class	Class Sec'y Stan Goodwin
36-600	Class Sec'y Dennis Desprois
EC-12M	Class Sec'y Mark Rinehart
S/B	Class Sec'y Jerry Dollis
10R	Class Sec'y Glen Horvath
INT A	Class Sec'y Mike Denest
US One Meter	Class Sec'y Bill Turner
Soling O.D.	Class Sec'y Howard Brown
Star 45	Class Sec'y Steve Pratt
Newport 12	Class Sec'y Robert Richmond
"J"	Class Sec'y Rudolf Kosier
Open	Class Sec'y Tom Houle followed by OPEN issue #104
Infinity 54	Class Sec'y Rick Larsen
AC	Class Sec'y Doug Scheibner

Soling One Meter	Class Sec'y Art Jacobsen
CR-914	Class Sec'y Budd Conner
Vintage M's	Class Sec'y John Snow
ODOM	Class Sec'y Paul Wong
Traditional 36	Class Sec'y Dick Wisher

The above data from American Model Yachting Association Quarterly issues #102 thru #104 (about 38 pages per issue)

Records show:

1996/1998

President Donald Peacock

Issues #105-107

V.P; Bob Eger

Treasurer ; James Meister

Region #1 Jack Gregory (Technical/Engr.)

Region #2 Neil Goodrich followed by Bob Lombard

Region #3 Bill Gale empty #106 Jim Hoffman #107

Region #4 Tom Shipp

Region #5 John Hanks III

Region #6 Ken Porter

AMYA Volunteer / Pres. Appoint.

Executive Secretary Dick Rutledge

Membership Secretary Harry Robertson

Quarterly Newsletter Editor Paul R. Brown

Assistant Editor William J, Hosfelt

Construction Editor Greg Sunshine

Active Classes:

M Class	Class Sec'y Stan Goodwin
36-600	Class Sec'y Jim Hoffman/P. Edgar
EC-12M	Class Sec'y Jerry Brower
S/B	Class Sec'y Jerry Dollis
10R	Class Sec'y Glen Horvath empty issue #106
INT A	Class Sec'y Mike Denest
US One Meter	Class Sec'y Bill Turner
Soling O.D.	Class Sec'y Howard Brown
Star 45	Class Sec'y Steve Pratt
Newport 12	Class Sec'y Robert Richmond
"J"	Class Sec'y Rudolf Kosier
Open	Class Sec'y OPEN issue #105
Infinity 54	Class Sec'y Rick Larsen
AC	Class Sec'y Eric Reno
Soling One Meter	Class Sec'y Art Jacobsen
CR-914	Class Sec'y Chuck Winder
Vintage M's	Class Sec'y John Snow
ODOM	Class Sec'y Bill Mullica
Traditional 36	Class Sec'y Dick Wisher

The above data from American Model Yachting Association Quarterly issues #105 thru #107 (about 38 pages per issue)

Issue #106 was back to all B/W no more color covers.

Issues #108-112

V.P; empty #108 -109 Rich Matt issue #110
 Treasurer ; James Meister
 Region #1 Jack Gregory (Technical/Engr.)
 Region #2 Bob Lombard
 Region #3 Jim Hoffman
 Region #4 Tom Shipp followed by Dick Hein
 Region #5 John Hanks III
 Region #6 empty 108 Rod Carr issue #109

AMYA Volunteer / Pres. Appoint.

Executive Secretary Dick Rutledge
 Membership Secretary Harry Robertson
 Quarterly Newsletter Editor Paul R. Brown
 Assistant Editor William J, Hosfelt followed by Eric a. Gregory
 Construction Editor Greg Sunshine
 Chandlery Director Tom Shipp (added issue #110)

Active Classes:

M Class	Class Sec'y Stan Goodwin
36-600	Class Sec'y P. Edgar
EC-12M	Class Sec'y Jerry Brower
S/B	Class Sec'y Jerry Dollis
10R	Class Sec'y empty issue #106 Jack Gregory #110
INT A	Class Sec'y Mike Denest
US One Meter	Class Sec'y Bill Turner
Soling O.D.	Class Sec'y Howard Brown followed by Steve Mulry
Star 45	Class Sec'y Steve Pratt
Newport 12	Class Sec'y Robert Richmond
"J"	Class Sec'y Rudolf Kosier followed by Will Garvery
Open	Class Sec'y OPEN issue #105 Jack Gregory #110
Infinity 54	Class Sec'y Jim McAllister
AC	Class Sec'y Eric Reno
Soling One Meter	Class Sec'y Art Jacobsen
CR-914	Class Sec'y Chuck Winder
Vintage M's	Class Sec'y John Snow
ODOM	Class Sec'y Bill Mullica
Traditional 36	Class Sec'y John Unterreiner
Victoria	Class Sec'y Chris Cafiero
Wheeler	Class Sec'y Jim Mayne
RC Laser	Class Sec'y Mark Harder

The above data from American Model Yachting Association Quarterly issues #109 thru #111 (about 38 pages per issue)

Issue #112 Treated separate as this was the start of the reoriginized AMYA

Issue #112 was back to color covers.

V.P Rich Matt
 Treasurer ; James Meister
 Region #1 Jack Gregory (Technical/Engr.)
 Region #2 Bob Lombard
 Region #3 Jim Hoffman

Region #4 Dick Hein
 Region #5 John Hanks III
 Region #6 Rod Carr
 AMYA Volunteer / Pres. Appoint.

Executive Secretary Dick Rutledge
 Membership Secretary Harry Robertson
 Chandlery Director Tom Shipp
 Mfg./Supl. Rep. Paul Meskill
 Editor in Chief Paul R. Brown
 Assistant Editor Eric A. Gregory
 Technical Section Editor Jim Linville
 Feature Article Editor Chuck LeMahieu
 Class News Editor Rich Matt
 Club News & Regatta Report Editor OPEN
 Regatta Schedule Section Editor John Hanks III

Active Classes:

M Class	Class Sec'y Stan Goodwin
36-600	Class Sec'y P. Edgar
EC-12M	Class Sec'y Jerry Brower
S/B	Class Sec'y Jerry Dollis
10R	Class Sec'y Jack Gregory
INT A	Class Sec'y Mike Denest
US One Meter	Class Sec'y Bill Turner
Soling O.D.	Class Sec'y Steve Mulry
Star 45	Class Sec'y Steve Pratt
Newport 12	Class Sec'y Robert Richmond
"J"	Class Sec'y Will Garvery
Open	Class Sec'y Jack Gregory
Infinity 54	Class Sec'y Jim McAllister
AC	Class Sec'y Eric Reno
Soling One Meter	Class Sec'y Art Jacobsen
CR-914	Class Sec'y Chuck Winder
Vintage M's	Class Sec'y John Snow
ODOM	Class Sec'y Bill Mullica
Traditional 36	Class Sec'y John Unterreiner
Victoria	Class Sec'y Chris Cafiero
Wheeler	Class Sec'y Jim Mayne
RC Laser	Class Sec'y Mark Harder

1998/2000**President Jack Gregory (issue #113)**

V.P Dick Rutledge
 Treasurer ; Dick Hein
 Region #1 Jim Linville
 Region #2 Bob Lombard
 Region #3 Vacant
 Region #4 Paul Profrock
 Region #5 John Hanks III
 Region #6 Rod Carr

AMYA Volunteer / Pres. Appoint.

Executive Secretary John Hanks III
 Membership Secretary Harry Robertson
 Chandlery Officer Tom Shipp
 Mfg./Supl. Rep. Paul Meskill
 Regatta Coordinator Doug Hemingway
 Webmaster David Goebel
 Managing Editor Rich Matt
 Technical Jim Linville
 Features Chuck LeMahieu
 Layout Jack Gregory
 Advertising Paul Meskill
 Class News Dick Rutledge
 Regatta Reports Gene Dunham

Class Secretaries:

AC	Eric Reno
EC-12M	Rod Carr
Infinity 54	Jim McAllister
INT A	Mike Denest
INT 1M	Rob Davis
“J”	John Hanks III
M Class	Stan Goodwin
Newport 12	Robert Richmond
S/B	Jerry Dollis
Soling O.D.	Steve Mulry
Star 45	Steve Pratt
US One Meter	Bill Turner
36-600	Jack David
Soling One Meter	Art Jacobsen
CR-914	Chuck Winder
ODOM	Bill Mullica
Traditional 36	Alden Whitehead
10R	Jack Gregory
Open	Jack Gregory
Victoria	Chris Cafiero
Wheeler	Jim Mayne
RC Laser	Mark Harder

Special Interest Group

US Vintage Model Yacht Group John Snow

Welcome to the new *Model Yachting* was the theme for this issue.

Started the “Featured Class” theme for each issue. Star 45 had the honor.

Announcement for the New Brochure, Raffle, Honest Ahab and Credit Cards.

42 Pages

Issue #114 Featured Class International One Meter 52 pages

Executive Board

V.P Dick Rutledge
Treasurer ; Dick Hein

Regional Directors

Region #1 Jim Linville
Region #2 Bob Lombard
Region #3 Kent Fardell
Region #4 Paul Profrock
Region #5 John Hanks III
Region #6 Rod Carr

Staff

Executive Secretary John Hanks III
Membership Secretary Harry Robertson
Chandlery Officer Tom Shipp
Mfg./Supl. Rep. Paul Meskill
Regatta Coordinator Doug Hemingway
Webmaster David Goebel
Media Rep. Tom Houle

Model Yachting Staff

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Technical Jim Linville
Features Chuck LeMahieu
Layout Jack Gregory
Advertising Paul Meskill
Class News Dick Rutledge
Regatta Reports Gene Dunham

Class Secretaries:

AC	Eric Reno
EC-12M	Rod Carr
Infinity 54	Jim McAllister
INT A	Mike Denest
INT 1M	Rob Davis
“J”	John Hanks III
M Class	Stan Goodwin
Newport 12	Robert Richmond
S/B	Jerry Dollis
Soling O.D.	Steve Mulry
Star 45	Steve Pratt
US One Meter	Bill Turner
36-600	Jack David
Soling One Meter	Art Jacobsen
CR-914	Chuck Winder
ODOM	Bill Mullica
Traditional 36	Alden Whitehead
10R	Jack Gregory
Open	Jack Gregory

Victoria Chris Cafiero
Wheeler Jim Mayne
RC Laser Mark Harder

Special Interest Group

US Vintage Model Yacht Group John Snow

Affiliation with US Sailing report.

New Region #3 Director

Report on status of the Raffle

Tom Houle is new Media Rep.

Issue #115 Featured Class EC 12- Meter 60 pages

Executive Board

V.P Dick Rutledge

Treasurer ; Dick Hein

Regional Directors

Region #1 Jim Linville

Region #2 Bob Lombard

Region #3 Kent Farndell

Region #4 Paul Profrock

Region #5 John Hanks III

Region #6 Rod Carr

Staff

Executive Secretary John Hanks III

Membership Secretary Michelle Dannenhoffer

Chandlery Officer Tom Shipp

Mfg./Supl. Rep. Paul Meskill

Regatta Coordinator Doug Hemingway

Webmaster David Goebel

Media Rep. Tom Houle

Show Coordinator Don Peacock

Model Yachting Staff

Managing Editor Rich Matt

Technical Jim Linville

Features Chuck LeMahieu

Layout Jack Gregory

Advertising Paul Meskill

Class News Dick Rutledge

Regatta Reports Gene Dunham

Class Secretaries:

AC Eric Reno

EC-12M Rod Carr

Infinity 54 Ron Locke

INT A Mike Denest

INT 1M Rob Davis

“J”	John Hanks III
M Class	Stan Goodwin
Newport 12	Robert Richmond
S/B	Jerry Dollis
Soling O.D.	Steve Mulry
Star 45	Steve Pratt
US One Meter	Bill Turner
36-600	Jack David
Soling One Meter	Art Jacobsen
CR-914	Chuck Winder
ODOM	Erick K. Evans
Traditional 36	Alden Whitehead
10R	Jack Gregory
Open	Jack Gregory
Victoria	Don Ginthner
Wheeler	Jim Mayne
RC Laser	Mark Harder

Special Interest Group

US Vintage Model Yacht Group John Snow

Harry Robertson to retire. Replaced by Michelle Dannenhoffer.

New Class Sec’y for Victoria; ODOM; Infinity 54

Raffle winners published.

Start of a report that shows Class Population.

Issue #116 Featured Class 36 /600 60 pages

Executive Board

V.P Dick Rutledge
Treasurer ; Dick Hein

Regional Directors

Region #1 Jim Linville
Region #2 Bob Lombard
Region #3 Kent Farndell
Region #4 Paul Profrock
Region #5 John Hanks III
Region #6 Rod Carr

Staff

Executive Secretary John Hanks III
Membership Secretary Michelle Dannenhoffer
Chandlery Officer Tom Shipp
Mfg./Supl. Rep. Paul Meskill
Regatta Coordinator Doug Hemingway
Webmaster David Goebel
Media Rep. Tom Houle
Show Coordinator Don Peacock

Model Yachting Staff

Managing Editor Rich Matt
Technical Jim Linville
Features (vacant)

Photo Dennis Desprois
Layout Jack Gregory
Advertising Paul Meskill
Class News Dick Rutledge
Regatta Reports Gene Dunham

Class Secretaries:

AC	Eric Reno
EC-12M	Rod Carr
Infinity 54	Ron Locke
INT A	Mike Denest
INT 1M	Rob Davis
“J”	John Hanks III
M Class	Stan Goodwin
Newport 12	Robert Richmond
S/B	Jerry Dollis
Soling O.D.	Steve Mulry
Star 45	Steve Pratt
US One Meter	Bill Turner
36-600	Jack David
Soling One Meter	Art Jacobsen
CR-914	Chuck Winder
ODOM	Erick K. Evans
Traditional 36	Alden Whitehead
10R	Jack Gregory
Open	Jack Gregory
Victoria	Don Ginthner
Wheeler	Jim Mayne
RC Laser	Jake Leo

Special Interest Group

US Vintage Model Yacht Group John Snow

Michelle Dannenhoffer reports 1590 members with 3 months left in year.
Trying *Model Yachting* sales in Hobby Shops.
New Class Sec’y for RC Laser
Looking for a new Features Editor.
Continued report that shows Class Populations.
Ballot Issue
Proposal for Hall Of Fame
Proposal for option of First Class Mailing

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New Region #3 Director

Final Membership numbers in 1999 = 1770 a new record.

Soling One Meter now the largest Class

New Class Sec’y for RC Laser

Steve Walsh is the new Features Editor.

New Class Sec’y for Victoria; Open Class

New Hints and Tips from staff member.

Announcement of the new Raffle.

First Class Mailing option is now a selection on the membership and renewal forms.

Work to proceed on the formation of the Hall Of Fame.

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New Region #1 Director

New Class Sec'y for US One Meter; Star 45

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New Membership numbers for ½ way thru 2000 = 1868 another new record.

New Class Tempest / Islander

Announcement of the Raffle 2000 Winners

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Ballot Issue

Treasures Report all time high in financial assets
 Class Secretary Operating Guidelines
 Class Population chart
 Report on the Hall Of Fame
 Membership continues to increase

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Jeff Gauger new AMYA Treasurer
Don Keeney is the new Chandlery Officer. This position renamed to Quartermaster and Ship's Store
(2) classes lose certification INT A; and Infinity 54

1998/2000

President Jack Gregory (issue #122) Featured Class Vintage Model Yacht Group

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V-32	Wayne Hoffmann

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Hall Of Fame inducted 4 members:

Rod Carr #2

Dick Hein #5

Gene Dunham #2626

Lloyd "Swede" Johnson #1975

New Class V-32.

10R finally has a Class Sec'y.

Feature Schedule listed thru Issue #135 (Spring 2004).

Class population still shows Soling One Meter at the top.

Proposal of Quarterly Rolling renewals made.