



COURAGEOUS CHALLENGE
CHARITY REGATTA



2025

Friendly competition,
networking, and fun
in support of
Courageous Sailing's
youth programming



The Courageous Corporate Challenge

Four nights of racing followed by networking over food and beverages



On four Monday nights in June, seasoned and novice sailors alike set sail from Pier 4 in the Charlestown Navy Yard for some fast-paced, short-course keelboat racing. Racers are welcome to skipper their own boat, and for those new to sailing, Courageous instructors are available to take the helm or join the crew for on-the-water coaching. At sunset we sail back to the dock to enjoy food, drinks, camaraderie, networking, and some of the best views in Boston. Join teams representing some of Boston's premier companies, and make Monday evenings feel like Saturday nights!



2025 Schedule

Every Monday in June, starting at 6 PM

6/2	Race Night 1
6/9	Race Night 2
6/16	Race Night 3
6/23	Race Night 4 + Awards
6/30	Make-Up Date

All dates are subject to postponement and change due to weather and/or extenuating circumstances.



Race with your company team in June, then enjoy a whole season of sailing and celebration!

Each team competes with their company name and logo proudly emblazoned on their boat's jib sail, which remains on the boat throughout the entire season. Use your company's Challenge boat as a weekly perk for employees (Courageous will be happy to provide an expert skipper), or commit a dedicated team to the cause and try to win it all. Either way, it's sure to be a fulfilling way to spend a Monday evening, while helping ensure that Boston kids from all walks of life can experience the life-long learning and growth opportunities that sailing offers. And the fun is not limited to four Monday nights — all participating companies enjoy a Courageous corporate membership, making it easy to keep sailing on Boston Harbor all summer long, and four tickets to the annual Courageous gala!

\$5,800 per boat

- Sponsor 8 kids for 1 week of free programming
- 2-4 team members per race night
- Post-racing opportunities to network with fellow participants from Boston's top companies
- Company logo on 1 jib sail for the 2025 season
- Recognition on Courageous Sailing website
- 20% discount on Learn to Sail Courses
- Corporate membership included
- 4 complimentary tickets to Make-A-Mark celebration on June 10

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Courageous Corporate Membership

Equivalent to a full-season, individual Rhodes 19 membership, but shareable by your whole company!*

included with company entry

treat your family, friends, & clients

enjoy member benefits

discounted sailing courses

continue racing on Tuesday/Thursday nights

*Limit one boat at a time.





Summer and School-Year Sailing and STEM

Over 55% of summer students participate for free.

Bus transportation, swimming lessons, meals, academic programming, social worker support, + more

Courageous Sailing serves approximately 1,000 children every year, many of whom would not otherwise have the opportunity to learn to sail.

But Courageous is about so much more than sailing. Here, sailing, science, and the marine environment are platforms for fostering leadership, relationship-building, engagement in learning, and social-emotional growth. We are committed to ensuring that youth from marginalized communities have equitable access to high quality learning opportunities, the sport of sailing, and the ocean.

Over 600 youth participate in FREE, multi-week sailing and STEM programs each year.

Your Impact



4

race
nights

up to
24

teams

100

youth sailing
scholarships



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Interested in sponsoring Courageous Sailing's work for the whole year? The Courageous Challenge could be the beginning of a more in-depth partnership. Please contact Dave DiLorenzo to discuss opportunities, benefits, and impact.

Make-A-Mark, Courageous's signature summer event, is returning to the Pier 4 tent on June 10, 2025! To learn more, please visit courageoussailing.org/makeamark. Leadership support opportunities--with accompanying perks--are available now!

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