



PLACE
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Registration

Friday, October 16, 2026

6:00pm at LJ Schooners
Dockside Restaurant &
Oyster Bar

Skippers Meeting

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Race

Saturday, October 17, 2026

Start Times to be Announced at

Skippers Meeting

***The Biggest Race on
the Bay! Come be a
part of this fun event.***

Bluewater Bay Marina
290 Yacht Club Drive
Niceville, FL 32578



33RD ANNUAL SINGLE HANDED RACE

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**LJ SCHOONERS &
BUDWEISER**

October 17, 2026



Registration & Skippers Meeting Friday, October 16th

Registration 6:00pm – 7:00pm

Skippers Meeting 7:00 PM

Registration and skippers meeting to be held at L.J. Schooners Oyster Bar at the Bluewater Bay Marina Complex. Race course and starting area to be briefed at skippers meeting.

SINGLE HANDED RACE Saturday, October 17, 2026 TBD—At Skippers Mtg

Start time based on local conditions. Race course will be posted Friday night at L.J. Schooners dockside bar. Bermuda Start – **Start times to be assigned at skippers meeting**

FINISH

COLD BUD LIGHT on tap, and award ceremony following the race at L.J. Schooners Dockside Oyster Bar. Awards to be given to a minimum of the top half of those racing, as well as other interesting Awards!

HOW

One boat, one person, any equipment allowed except your engine

WHY

Why not? This has become the largest race on the bay! No problems with recruiting crew! Also, no crew to blame! Refreshments provided by Budweiser as well as awards following the race. So, come and join in a nice jaunt around the bay.

ENTRY FEE

\$20.00 per boat—Each Entrant Receives a Budweiser Commemorative T-Shirt

RACE CLASSES

One size fits all.

FORMAT

This race is for everyone (cruisers, racers, novices, old salts, young salts, men, and women). This is a single handers race and only one person per boat. This will be a short race for fun, challenge, and perhaps a different perspective on sailing. Each boat starts individually with a Bermuda start based on handicap. If you do not have a handicap we will provide you with one. Anything and everything can be used on the boat with the exception of your engine. This includes, jib's larger than what you are rated for, spinnaker, cruising chutes, staysails, bloopers, autopilots, etc. What ever you feel comfortable with you can use (or try to use).

LIABILITY

Participants in the Single Handers Regatta enter at their own risk. Every captain should be aware of the capabilities of himself/herself and that of their vessel. Officials of the race and all persons directly and indirectly connected with the operation of the regatta shall be exempt from any liability for loss, damage, negligence, harm or injury suffered by a participant, vessels, or equipment which may occur during the Single Handers Regatta.

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