

Newport

The unique venue at Fort Adams is on the western point of the harbor is where the channel leads to open water. The control area is about 20 feet above the water facing to the eastern panoramic view of the distant waterfront and the constant weekend parade of sailing yachts from the rich history of American racing and challenges on the world scene.

There is an inner basin sheltered from the waves and wind for water level launching. Sailing is like that of the open water for the scale boats with represented weather found on the Long Island Sound in mid May. There is the smell of salt and the chilly beneath a slicker. It is true sailing and boat handling, especially when tacking on weather legs. There are little wind shifts, if any, where tactical and management skills are rewarded. It is a must venue for those seeking challenges amid a vista of sailing.

Though a small turnout this year the winners were the finishers that endured and survived to feel proud on the drive home. This may not be the complete listing: *Rick West*

- 1-Chuck Luscomb 53pts
- 2-Bruce Walton 59pts
- 3-Bob Greer 79pts
- 4-Jake Leo 82pts
- 5-Al Dion 128pts
- 6-Kevin MacLellan 174pts