

# Flotilla Details



**We'll meet at the charter base on Saturday, September 3.** We'll get you settled in your boat with an orientation and you can do your provisioning at the supermarket less than a mile away. Dinner will be a New England clambake with fresh steamed lobster as we all get acquainted followed by an instruction seminar of where we will be going, what there is to see, what to expect with weather and what the sailing/cruising environment will be like for the week. Martha's Vineyard has strong currents, rocks, and is a challenging area to cruise in, but in a flotilla environment you will safely navigate the waters and build your cruising skills. **Flotilla will be back at home base on Saturday, September 10.**

**Sail on a captained catamaran or a monohull.**

We will have a 44' catamaran with 4 private cabins and 4 heads available captained by an ASA instructor who has sailed these waters forever., and a 2003 Catalina 35 with a single head, two cabins and room in the salon for a single. You can either learn and build your skills or lay back and enjoy the sights. Meals

and chores will be rotated among the crew and guests so it will be evenly shared. Getting your ASA 114 (Cruising Catamaran) is an option on this trip.

**Skipper your own bareboat yacht** <http://www.narragansettcharters.com/channels/narragansett-sailing-charter-fleet>

All our charter boats will be on a Saturday to Saturday schedule for this week! We will also have a number of mono-hulls or cats for bareboat charter from 35' to 42' where we will go as a group making the navigation and currents easier to manage. There will be daily briefings of what to expect the next day, or you can go off on your own for a bit and then catch up.

We Sail from Barrington, RI which is near Providence, RI so we are only a 20 minute ride from the airport and even less from the train station. Narragansett Bay is a delight and we will sail through it on the way to Martha's Vineyard and explore it on the return trip. We will visit tiny villages and good sized towns. We will pause at some of the places to shop or sightsee, or you can take a side day trip.

#### **Your Hosts:**

The flotilla is hosted by Narragansett Sailing School and Charter which includes owner Rob Lawnsby and school manager Mary Goff. Rob runs the business, lives year round on his sailboat in RI. He has extensive cruising experience and will do the trip planning with you the first evening. Mary takes care of the sailing school and keeps everything running smoothly.

#### **Flotilla Rates:**

##### **Captained boat rates**

Are based on double occupancy and include all boat expenses. \$1395 per person on the Catalina 35 mono hull and \$1895 person on the catamaran with private head. Single supplement of 50%.

##### **Bareboat cost**

Cost is the published charter rate of the boat chosen plus \$250 per couple. <http://www.narragansettcharters.com/channels/narragansett-sailing-charter-fleet>

**Pricing includes:** the clambake Saturday evening, but excludes other food expenses during the week. It does include all seminars and captain briefings, and memories of a fantastic sailing experience.