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32<sup>nd</sup>. Biennial  
MARBLEHEAD-TO-HALIFAX OCEAN RACE  
-- 2007 --

**WOMEN'S COMPETITION CHALLENGE**

For the 2007 race, we are again offering *the Gabriella Women's Trophy (1991)*. This trophy will be awarded to the yacht ***with captain and crew comprised solely of women*** and the best corrected time over the course.

The perpetual trophy, a magnificent crystal bowl, is on display at the Boston Yacht Club. It was donated by Henry Clayman (now deceased but a respected member of the Boston Yacht Club for many years) in 1991 with the express purpose of promoting the interest of participation by women in sailing and specifically offshore racing. The trophy was named for both of the Gabriellas in Henry's life – his wife and his trophy-winning aluminum ketch.

For any yacht wishing to participate in this competition, a representative shall inform the Marblehead-to-Halifax Ocean Race Committee in writing by 1000 EDST on Saturday, 7 July 2007

For the Joint Committee  
19 February 2007

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Geoffrey E. Smith  
BYC Race Director