

DEED OF GIFT

I hereby place in the custody of the Island Heights Yacht Club a bronze cup identified as:

EDWIN G. BERRY  
PERPETUAL TROPHY  
FOR ALL GIRLS

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This trophy is to be sailed for under the following conditions:-

1. This cup is to be sailed for by any snipe class boat that is within the restrictions of the Snipe Class International Racing Association and holds a measurement certificate for the same.

2. Boat must be sailed entirely by girls, both skipper and crew.

3. It shall be open to any girl member of any yacht club belonging to the Barnegat Bay Yacht Racing Association or other yacht club located either on Barnegat Bay or Toms River.

4. It shall be placed in perpetual competition.

5. The competition shall be one race which shall be held annually on the waters of the Island Heights Yacht Club some Sunday during the racing season of each year. The race shall be held under the rules of the Barnegat Bay Yacht Racing Association and any changes in these rules shall automatically apply to this race. It shall be held under the supervision of the regatta committee of the Island Heights Yacht Club.

6. It shall be awarded to the skipper of the winning boat in whose custody it may remain until July 1st the following year, at which time it shall be returned to the custody of the Island Heights Yacht Club. The Island Heights Yacht Club may, if they deem necessary, request a receipt from the skipper to whom the cup is awarded agreeing to comply with this article.

7. Name of winning boat, skipper, crew and year are to be engraved on the trophy.

8. It being the purpose of this trophy to stimulate the interest of girls in actual racing the further additional stipulations are made. If at some future date, in the opinion of the donor or the officers of the Island Heights Yacht Club, there is loss of interest in the snipe class or it ceases to be an active competitive fleet, then and in that event this Deed of Gift may be revised at the option of the donor or the officers of the Island Heights Yacht Club. Such revision shall provide for competition for this trophy in some other active competitive class. Preferably some class of boat approximating the size of the snipe class.

September 5, 1941

*Edwin G. Berry*