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The varsity eights in action.

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## Schedule of Races

### Saturday, June 8, 2013

Combination Race ..... 5 p.m.  
Two-mile course, downstream, Mamacoke Hill to Bartlett's Cove

### Sunday, June 9, 2013

Freshman/Third Varsity Race ..... 9 a.m.  
Two-mile course, upstream, Mamacoke Hill to Bartlett's Cove

Second Varsity Race ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Three-mile course, upstream, Coast Guard Academy to Bartlett's Cove

Varsity Race ..... 10:45 a.m.  
Four-mile course, upstream, Gold Star Bridge to Bartlett's Cove

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## Thames River Tides

<i>Saturday, June 8</i>		<i>Sunday, June 9</i>	
low	4:30 a.m.	low	5:08 a.m.
high	10:14 a.m.	high	10:58 p.m.
low	4:25 p.m.	low	5:04 p.m.
high	10:29 p.m.	high	11:12 a.m.



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Pictured: The 2012 Harvard varsity eight celebrates its win against the Bulldogs.

### Please Note

The Thames River will be closed to all traffic beginning at approximately 8:15 a.m. on race day and remain closed until 15 minutes after the conclusion of the varsity race. If boats are allowed to transit the race course, they shall travel only downstream, between races, under Coast Guard escort and at no wake.

### Regatta Committee Luncheon

Each year, the Harvard-Yale Regatta Committee sponsors a luncheon in conjunction with the race. Those interested in attending future luncheons should contact Mr. Ralph Powers at (860) 535-0221.

College sports' oldest rivals and a pair of Eastern Sprints varsity grand finalists take part in their 148th head-to-head clash in the Harvard-Yale Regatta. The Crimson is looking to complete its third straight perfect dual season, while Yale's young varsity seeks to build on its fifth-place Sprints finish. This rivalry dates back more than a century and a half to a two-mile race, won by Harvard, held August 3, 1852 on Lake Winnepesaukee in New Hampshire. To this day, it is the longest-running intercollegiate rivalry and one of the richest in tradition.

While most races are 2,000 meters in length, the Crimson and Eli varsities depart from that "sprint" distance to battle along a four-mile playing field which presents a true test of each oarsman's endurance, character and strength. The varsity race is the longest of its kind in America and three times the distance of a normal race. (Each crew will take approximately 700 strokes to complete the course.) The two-mile combination and freshman/third varsity races and three-mile second varsity contest are nearly as exhausting.

This year's racing returns to June and to the upstream course on the Thames River. The combination event is a fours race slated for Saturday evening, and Sunday's first race pits the Harvard freshman eight against Yale's third varsity eight.

## Varsity Season Recap

They followed different paths, but each school's top boat entered last weekend's Intercollegiate Rowing Association National Championships rowing faster than it had all year. Eastern-champion Harvard's experience-laden crew, featuring three senior rowers and a senior coxswain, has defeated each of its six dual opponents so far, stretching its dual win streak to 26. Yale, on the other hand, has no seniors and four freshmen in its ever-improving varsity eight. The Bulldogs posted their best Sprints finish in five years after posting a 3-3 record in their first six duals.

Harvard's closest dual victory was a 1.1-second win against Brown, but the Crimson blew away the runner-up Bears and the rest of the Sprints field by more than five seconds. The EARC win, Harvard's third in four years, avenged the Crimson's narrow second-place finish behind Brown last year and was part of an outstanding team showing. Harvard also captured its fourth straight freshman eight and Rowe Cup team titles and placed third in the second varsity grand final and second in the fourth varsity grand final.

The runner-up in the Head of the Charles Regatta's top event in the fall, Harvard went on to dual wins against Cornell, Brown, Princeton, Penn and Navy and Northeastern, retaining the Stein, Compton, Adams and Smith Cups.

The Elis defeated three of their first four dual opponents, beating Dartmouth for the Olympic Axe and Columbia and Penn for the Blackwell Cup. In their last pre-Sprints dual race, however, a loss to Princeton and Cornell showed that Yale still had speed to gain. A three-week break from competition provided time to find that speed, and the young Bulldogs went from a 3.2-second dual loss to Cornell to defeating the Big Red by 5.8 seconds at Sprints. Yale was competitive in the grand final, topping sixth-place Boston University by 6.3 seconds and finishing barely a half-second behind fourth-place Princeton.

## The Varsity Race

The Sprints grand final, which saw Harvard win in 5:56.721 and Yale clock a time of 6:09.432, was the rivals' first pre-Sprints meeting in five years. The Bulldogs will seek to halt the Crimson's run of five consecutive Regatta wins and 12 victories in the last 13 years.

The crews raced downstream last year, and the Crimson won by nearly 10 seconds in 19:41.3. Harvard got off to a good start and slowly built its lead on a Yale boat that finished in 19:51.2.

## The Second Varsity Race

Yale won second varsity event twice in three years from 2005 to '07, but Harvard has since claimed five straight wins, including half-minute victories the last two years. The Crimson hung on for a dramatic two-second win in 2009 and won by 15.6 seconds in 2010. In last year's race, Harvard built a boat-length lead over the first two minutes and clocked a time of 14:55.5 to Yale's 15:27.2.

Following a 5-1 dual season, Harvard's second varsity cruised to a Sprints medal, finishing more than eight seconds ahead of fourth-place Northeastern and trailing only Brown and Princeton. The Bulldogs went 2-4 in dual racing and finished second in the Sprints petite final.

## The Freshman/Third Varsity Race

The Crimson has won six straight H-Y freshman races and 10 in 11 years. Last year's race was one of the closest and most unusual in recent memory. Harvard led by a length of open water after 1.5 miles, when waves from a passing power boat halted the race. The Crimson held off the Bulldogs after the restart to win in a combined time of 10:25.6, topping Yale by 8.5 seconds.

Harvard lost its first two dual races but then beat three straight opponents and then the Sprints field. The Yale third varsity went 3-4 against freshman and varsity dual competition and placed third in the petite final at Sprints.

## Race-Day Flutters

- Today's race is the 148th of the series and the 126th on the Thames. Harvard leads the rivalry, 93-54, including a 76-49 edge in New London.

- The last non-New London race occurred on May 18, 1974, on Boston's Charles River.

- This is the 68th consecutive year Harvard and Yale are facing each other. The last time they didn't meet was 1945, during World War II.

- The teams are led by two of the most successful coaches in collegiate rowing history. Harry Parker has led Harvard to 24 Eastern titles in 51 seasons. Yale's Steve Gladstone, meanwhile, is in just his third season at Yale but has more than four decades of experience. He was once head coach of the Harvard lightweights and went on to lead California and Brown to a combined 11 IRA championships.

- Harvard has swept the last five Regattas, the first five-year streak of three-race sweeps since the Crimson notched five in a row from 1971-75. That run was part of nine consecutive sweeps, including a two-race sweep in 1970, when no freshman race was contested.

- Yale last swept the Regatta in 1996 but came close in 2007, taking the varsity race with a dramatic sprint. The Bulldogs won in 19:57.5, just a half-second ahead of Eastern-champion Harvard, and the Eli second varsity eight completed the course in 15:27 to beat the Crimson by 18 seconds. Harvard won the freshman race by a 10-second margin.

- Last year's varsity race ended in a 9.9-second Harvard victory, the Crimson's 43rd H-Y win in a half-century under Harry Parker's guidance.

- Harvard leads the second varsity series, 73-37, and won by 31.7 seconds last year.

- Following an 8.5-second win in last year's interrupted race, Harvard leads the freshman rivalry, 69-39-1, but with freshmen now eligible for varsity competition, this year's Regatta will match up the Crimson freshmen and the Yale third varsity.

- Yale had taken the last two downstream races, in 1996 and '99, until Harvard's wins in 2009 and '12. Harvard's run of winning 17 straight upstream races was broken in 2007, but the Crimson still leads the upstream series, 40-23.

- The Crimson holds the upstream course record with its time of 18:41.9 in 1995. Yale's fastest upstream time (18:45.5) was also posted that year. Harvard set the downstream—and Thames River course—record of 18:22.4 in 1980.

- Some of the closest finishes in Regatta history have gone Yale's way. The Elis recorded a 0.2-second win in 1914, captured the 1962 contest by one second and took 2007's race by a half-second.

## Varsity Eight

Harvard	Yale
C – David Fuller '13 Chestnut Hill, Mass.	C – Oliver Fletcher '14 London, England
S – Andrew Holmes '14 Lochwinnoch, Scotland	S – Adam Smith '16 Auckland, New Zealand
7 – Charles Risbey '15 Melbourne, Australia	7 – Clemens Barth '15 Berlin, Germany
6 – Vincent Breet '16 Alberton, South Africa	6 – Thomas Pagel '16 Oxford, England
5 – Parker Washburn '13 Andover, Mass.	5 – Hubert Trzybinski '16 Berlin, Germany
4 – Josh Hicks '13 Waterford, Australia	4 – Simon Keenan '15 Melbourne, Australia
3 – Andrew Reed '14 Wayland, Mass.	3 – David DeVries '16 San Diego, Calif.
2 – James O'Connor '13 Christchurch, New Zealand	2 – Zachary Johnson '14 Ross, Calif.
B – James Medway '15 Pymble, Australia	B – Owen Symington '14 Melbourne, Australia

## Second Varsity Eight

Harvard	Yale
C – William Hakim '14 Belmont, Mass.	C – Chris Carothers '16 Kenilworth, Ill.
S – Justin Mundt '13 Lincoln, Mass.	S – Philippe Mastroyannis '13 Washington, D.C.
7 – Gregory Edwards '14 Bedfordshire, England	7 – Gerard Kuenning '14 Bow, N.H.
6 – Max Meyer-Bosse '15 Westport, Conn.	6 – Harry Picone '13 Brisbane, Australia
5 – Ed Rippon '15 Peterborough, England	5 – Tom Lynam '13 Alexandria, Va.
4 – Andrew Emmett '15 Melbourne, Australia	4 – Robert Michel '14 Cranbury, N.J.
3 – Alex Macintosh '13 Cobble Hill, B.C.	3 – Elliott O'Reilly '16 Laissaud, France
2 – Lachlan Hanbury-Brown '15 Sydney, Australia	2 – Jon Morgan '13 Johannesburg, South Africa
B – Ryan Furey '15 Orlando, Fla.	B – Emery Schoenly '14 Salisbury, Conn.

## Freshman Eight

Harvard	Yale
C – Don Kim '16 Cambridge, Mass.	C – Campbell Schnebly-Swanson '14 Atlanta, Ga.
S – Rory Glover '16 Church Point, Australia	S – Henry Bird '16 Bedford Hills, N.Y.
7 – James Croxford '16 Kew East, Australia	7 – Grant Stegelmann '13 Darien, Conn.
6 – Achim Harzheim '16 Mainz, Germany	6 – Ian Suvak '13 Arlington, Va.
5 – Adam Janes '16 York, England	5 – Grant Olscamp '14 Cincinnati, Ohio
4 – Stefano Belfiore '16 Vancouver, B.C.	4 – Lyon Van Voorhis '15 Mattapoisett, Mass.
3 – Abraham Polinsky '16 Brookline, Mass.	3 – Lawrence Lopez-Menzies '14 Cos Cob, Conn.
2 – James Green '16 Worcester, England	2 – Jack McGinn '16 Minneapolis, Minn.
B – Jay Ditmarsch '16 Seaforth, Australia	B – Ron Taitz '15 Laguna Niguel, Calif.

## Third Varsity Eight

## Combination Fours

Harvard A	Yale
S – Alexander Uruchurtu '15 Gold Coast, Australia	S – Max Knapp '15 Kirkland, Wash.
3 – JP Hogan '14 Newport Beach, Calif.	3 – William Rosenbloom '15 Winnetka, Ill.
2 – Josh Bernstein '15 Stoney Stanton, England	2 – Kamil Sadik '16 Chappaqua, N.Y.
B – Nick Jaroszewicz '14 Cincinnati, Ohio	B – Jamie Cahill '16 Melbourne, Australia
C – Brittanie Maxwell '14 Laporte, Minn.	C – Mackenzie Lee '16 La Cañada, Calif.
Harvard B	
S – Arthur Patterson '16 San Francisco, Calif.	3 – Owen Prunskis '15 Barrington, Ill.
2 – Eric Slater '16 Mendota Heights, Minn.	B – Robert Rasmussen '16 Washington, D.C.
C – Jack Smith '15 Worcester, Mass.	

## Who's Back?

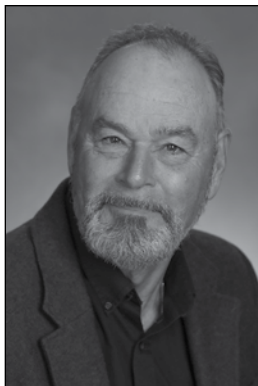
Despite Yale's youth, one-third of its top boat raced in last season's four-miler. Coxswain Oliver Fletcher is back with fellow juniors Zachary Johnson and Owen Symington. Five of the nine Harvard athletes have H-Y varsity experience. Junior stroke Andrew Holmes and seniors Parker Washburn and James O'Connor and coxswain David Fuller raced last year. Josh Hicks rowed in the 2011 race, along with O'Connor.

## A Global Event

Seven countries and four continents are represented in the Harvard and Yale varsity eights, and eight of the 16 oarsmen are from the Southern Hemisphere. As many athletes (five) hail from Australia as from the United States. Those five are among 13 Aussies spread out among the nine competing boats. The lineups also feature 13 New Englanders, including four Connecticut natives and eight athletes from Massachusetts.

## Follow the Action

All the Harvard-Yale Regatta action will once again be broadcast on the radio. Audio of this year's racing can be found on WICH 1310 AM, Norwich. Charlie Hamlin and Andy Card are scheduled to announce, giving listeners insight from on the water. Weather permitting, video of the 148th Regatta, with the audio from the radio broadcast, will be steamed live online at <http://GoCrimson.com/HYvideo>.



*Head Coach*  
**Steve Gladstone**  
*Third season • Syracuse '64*

Steve Gladstone, regarded as one of the nation's premier rowing coaches, is in his third season as Yale's head coach. Gladstone led California to six IRA national championships during two coaching stints with the Golden Bears. He also served as

Cal's director of athletics and led Brown to four Eastern Sprints and five IRA titles. He was most recently a director at the California Rowing Club, developing postgraduate oarsmen for the U.S. National Team.

Gladstone's 11 national titles tie him with Charles "Pop" Courtney of Cornell (1901-15) for the most varsity eight titles in the history of collegiate rowing. Gladstone's Cal crews medaled at the IRA regatta an unprecedented 11 times—five gold and six bronze—in his 12 seasons from 1997 to 2008. Over that same period, he directed Cal to seven Pac-10 championships.

During his first term at Cal from 1973-80, Gladstone guided the Bears to three undefeated dual-race seasons, an IRA title in 1976 and a Pac-10 crown in 1979. As director of rowing operations at Brown from 1981-94, Gladstone's crew triumphed four times at Sprints, five times at the IRA regatta and twice at the National Collegiate Rowing Championships.

He returned to Cal in 1997, taking over a program that had finished as high as third at IRAs just once since his 1980 departure. The Bears saw immediate success, capturing a bronze medal at the national regatta in 1997 and winning four consecutive championships from 1999-2002.

From 2001-04, Gladstone added the director of athletics role to his duties at Cal, overseeing a department that placed ninth in the Directors' Cup for overall excellence in 2003 and '04 and won five national team championships.

Gladstone began his coaching career in 1966 as freshman coach at Princeton for three years. He then took over as varsity lightweight coach at Harvard, leading the Crimson to four straight undefeated seasons, four titles at the Eastern Sprints and victories in the 1971 Thames Challenge Cup and Wyfold Challenge Cup at the Henley Royal Regatta in England. During his tenure at Harvard, he served as the U.S. National Team coach (1969 and '73) and was a selector for the 1972 U.S. Olympic team.

A 1964 Syracuse graduate, Gladstone has served on the Board of Directors of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen and has also been a member of the Men's Olympic Rowing Committee. He served as a television rowing analyst for the 1984 and '88 Olympic Games.

## Assistant Coaches



**Joel Scrogin**  
 Freshman Coach  
 Third season  
 Brown '99



**Sam Baum**  
 Assistant Coach  
 Second season  
 Penn '09

## 2013 Yale Results

Crew	Dual Record (Regatta Record)	Sprints Place
V8	3-3 (2-2)	5th
2V8	2-4 (1-3)	8th
3V8	3-4 (1-3)	9th
<b>March 29</b>	<b>at Brown</b>	<b>L</b>
V8	Brown 5:25.5, Yale 5:27.0	
2V8	Brown 5:38.0, Yale 5:43.3	
3V8	Brown F8 5:42.4, Brown 3V8 5:44.8, Yale 5:48.1	
<b>April 13</b>	<b>vs. Dartmouth • Olympic Axe</b>	<b>W</b>
V8	Yale 5:41.2, Dartmouth 5:43.9	
2V8	Yale 5:46.00, Dartmouth 5:56.3	
3V8	Yale 5:49.59, Dartmouth 5:55.70	
<b>April 20</b>	<b>vs. Penn, at Columbia • Blackwell Cup</b>	<b>W, W</b>
V8	Yale 5:23.4, Columbia 5:29.6, Penn 5:31.1	
2V8	Columbia 5:29.4, Yale 5:30.4, Penn 5:36.0	
3V8	Penn F8 5:33.7, Yale 3V8 5:34.4, Columbia 3V8 5:40.8	
<b>April 27</b>	<b>vs. Cornell, vs. Princeton • Carnegie Cup</b>	<b>L, L</b>
V8	Princeton 5:28.27, Cornell 5:32.22, Yale 5:35.41	
2V8	Princeton 5:53.0, Cornell 5:57.7, Yale 5:58.4	
3V8	Princeton 5:42.82, Cornell 5:46.81, Yale 5:48.62	
<b>May 19</b>	<b>EARC Sprints</b>	
V8 GF	Harvard 5:56.721, Brown 6:01.925, Northeastern 6:03.746, Princeton 6:08.917, Yale 6:09.432, Boston U. 6:15.723	
2V8 PF	Cornell 6:25.136, Yale 6:26.527, Syracuse 6:30.909, Penn 6:36.606, Navy 6:38.367, Columbia 6:44.263	
3V8 PF	Columbia 6:25.278, Cornell 6:26.511, Yale 6:27.948, Harvard 6:31.696, Syracuse 6:33.139, Dartmouth 6:35.410	

## Captain Jon Morgan



Jon Philip Morgan is the 170th captain of the Yale heavyweight crew. Born in New York City and raised in Johannesburg, South Africa, Morgan is a graduate of Yale's Calhoun College.

Before coming to Yale, Morgan rowed for four years at St. John's College in Johannesburg. In 2006, he won the South Africa Junior National Championships in the four and the pair, breaking the record in the former.

In his first year at Yale, Morgan rowed in the freshman eight in the two-mile contest against Harvard. As a sophomore he rowed bow seat in the third varsity eight that went undefeated in early season dual races; he then raced against Harvard in the second varsity eight. In his junior year, Morgan manned the bow seat of the varsity eight that defeated Brown in Yale's season opener and later beat Dartmouth for the Olympic Axe.

Morgan majored in history and is an Albers Fellow. He has spent a considerable amount of time studying and researching abroad, in countries that include Guatemala, Turkey, Singapore and Peru, among others. Morgan has two brothers who also row. His older brother, Pieter Morgan '09, rowed for Yale.

## 2013 Harvard Results

Crew	Dual Record (Regatta Record)	Sprints Place
V8	6-0 (5-0)	1st
2V8	5-1 (4-1)	3rd
F8	3-2 (2-2)	1st
<b>April 6</b>	<b>vs. Cornell</b>	<b>W</b>
V8	Harvard 6:16.3, Cornell 6:36.9	
2V8	Harvard 6:44.3, Cornell 6:56.7	
F8	Cornell 6:25.3, Harvard 6:28.1	
<b>April 13</b>	<b>vs. Brown • Stein Cup</b>	<b>W</b>
V8	Harvard 5:53.6, Brown 5:54.7	
2V8	Harvard 6:03.9, Brown 6:06.4	
F8	Brown 6:06.6, Harvard 6:06.9	
<b>April 21</b>	<b>at Princeton • Compton Cup</b>	<b>W</b>
V8	Harvard 6:03.3, Princeton 6:06.7	
2V8	Princeton 6:13.2, Harvard 6:16.5	
F8	Harvard 6:26.4, Princeton 3V8 6:31.2	
<b>April 27</b>	<b>vs. Navy, vs. Penn • Adams Cup</b>	<b>W, W</b>
V8	Harvard 5:39.7, Penn 5:47.9, Navy 5:49.6	
2V8	Harvard 5:49.9, Navy 5:51.7, Penn 6:00.2	
F8	Harvard 5:52.4, Penn 5:55.3, Navy 6:04.1	
<b>May 4</b>	<b>vs. Northeastern • Smith Cup</b>	<b>W</b>
V8	Harvard 5:30.8, Northeastern 5:34.2	
2V8	Harvard 5:44.8, Northeastern 5:46.7	
F8	Harvard 5:48.2, Northeastern 3V8 5:49.8	
<b>May 19</b>	<b>EARC Sprints</b>	
V8 GF	Harvard 5:56.721, Brown 6:01.925, Northeastern 6:03.746, Princeton 6:08.917, Yale 6:09.432, Boston U. 6:15.723	
2V8 GF	Brown 6:06.761, Princeton 6:09.690, Harvard 6:10.094, Northeastern 6:18.485, Wisconsin 6:21.128, Boston U. 6:26.335	
F8 GF	Harvard 6:12.384, Brown 6:14.872, Cornell 6:25.404, Wisconsin 6:31.136, Penn 6:37.541, Navy 6:40.694	



**Captain  
James O'Connor**

In three seasons in the Harvard varsity eight and one in the freshman eight, James O'Connor has gone unbeaten in dual racing (29-0) and captured three Eastern Sprints golds (two varsity) and one silver. Entering last weekend's IRA regatta, he had helped the Crimson varsity earn two national medals.

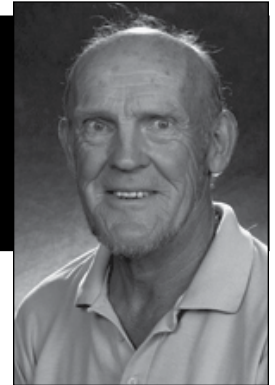
Among O'Connor's other accomplishments with the Crimson are a Henley Ladies Challenge Plate in 2012, a 2011 victory and two runner-up finishes in the championship eights event at Head of the Charles Regatta and two course-record performances on the Charles River—on the Tail of the Charles course in 2010 and on the 2,000-meter sprint course this spring against Northeastern. He has raced in Harvard's top varsity boat in every event, fall and spring, since becoming eligible as a sophomore.

A native of Christchurch, New Zealand, O'Connor rowed for his country's junior national team for three years before coming to Harvard. He won gold and silver medals for New Zealand. The gold came alongside brother Sam, with whom James rowed last season in the Harvard varsity. A Cabot House resident, O'Connor concentrated in psychology and minored in economics. He plans to return to New Zealand and hopes to later pursue graduate study at Oxford or Cambridge.

*Head Coach*

## Harry Parker

*51st season • Penn '57*



Harry Parker, perhaps the most recognized figure in the sport of rowing, is in his 51st season as the Thomas Bolles Head Coach for Harvard Men's Crew.

His regatta record is an amazing 199-41 (.829), and his mark against all dual opponents is an even-more-astounding 318-44-1 (.877). Highlights of his tenure include 22 undefeated dual seasons, 24 EARC Sprints varsity titles, nine official national championships and nine unofficial national titles (undefeated varsity crews against all major competition).

Parker's crews won official national championships in 1983, '85, '87, '88, '89 and '92 and back-to-back-to-back titles in 2003, '04 and '05. His 1985 crew scored what would be considered a Harvard grand slam: a win at the Sprints, a triumph over Yale, a victory at Cincinnati and a win in the Grand Challenge Cup at the Henley Royal Regatta. He has led Harvard to eight San Diego Crew Classic titles and two championships each at the Potomac Regatta and Redwood Shores Regatta. The varsity eight entered last week's IRA regatta having medaled at the last two national regattas.

Parker has also led the Crimson to significant success at Henley, as 2002's varsity won the Ladies' Challenge Plate, part of a three-boat sweep at the prestigious event. Harvard's second varsity four captured the Britannia Cup, and the freshmen were victorious in the Temple Cup that year as well. His 2007 and '10 varsities completed the Sprints-Henley double with Ladies' Plate wins, and the 2012 crew won Harvard's eighth Ladies' Plate.

Under Parker, Harvard crews have competed on a world stage; the Crimson won the 1967 Pan American Games and captured the 1968 U.S. Olympic Trials title before taking sixth in the Games at Mexico City. Most recently, the 2004 varsity took sixth at the Bearing Point World Cup Regatta, an Olympic tuneup for national-team boats, in Lucerne, Switzerland.

A longtime coach of U.S. Olympic Rowing, Parker himself was an Olympian in 1960. He was the U.S. single scull champion in 1959 and '60, was the Pan Am Games winner in 1959 and placed fifth in that same event in the 1960 Games. He has coached 55 Olympians while at Harvard, most recently Brodie Buckland '09, Malcolm Howard '05 and Henrik Rummel '09 and Cameron and Tyler Winklevoss '04, who all rowed in 2012. Howard and the Canadian eight followed up their 2008 gold with a silver in London. Rummel and the U.S. four took bronze.

## Assistant Coaches



**Bill Manning**  
Assoc. Head Coach  
15th season  
Holy Cross '87



**William Boyce**  
Freshman Coach  
Second season  
Cornell '08

## Time to Turn the Tide

Written by Mike Humby

Third year Yale heavyweight crew coach Steve Gladstone was optimistic as he and his team trained for their final test of the season. Gladstone is looking at the Bulldogs to be at their fastest for today's Regatta.

"There have been some very good signs on the race course this season but some inconsistencies as well," Gladstone said. "There is enormous potential for improvement, both in terms of learning how to race more effectively and just technically getting better."

Gladstone's optimism is fueled by the fact that training for the four-mile varsity race on the Thames River proceeded at a more intense level once classes officially ended.



"Honestly, if the dual season was full of losses, but we beat Harvard in The Race, then the year would be considered a success," Yale senior Philippe Mastroiannis said.

Gladstone shares this opinion. "There is not any race that is more important to us than this race," he noted. "One doesn't need any extra incentives. Good athletes want to perform at the highest level when it counts the most."

Before he arrived at Yale in 2010, Gladstone, who is considered to be one of the most accomplished rowing coaches in the country, led the men's crew programs at both Brown and California. He has a total of 11 IRA championships on his resume, which ties the 1915 record of Charles Courtney of Cornell for the most IRA titles in the history of collegiate rowing.

After a very successful run at Brown and Cal, Gladstone was eager to take on what he refers to as a "restoration project" to create a winning program at Yale.

"It's been a long time since Yale has had a winning program," he said. "It's such a storied program, and I just thought it would be very exciting to come here and engage in the project."

Gladstone, along with the aid of assistant coaches Sam Baum and Joel Scrogin, recruited this year's freshman class. The coaches agree that the freshman rowers have already had a positive impact on the team, due to their great attitude and morale.

"There's no question that we're in the beginning stages. They are having a great influence on the squad, and we have another great class coming in next year. We feel very optimistic about the future," Gladstone said.



"Being out of school takes a lot of heat off," he said.

Comprised of four freshmen, two sophomores and three juniors, the varsity eight is looking to build off a promising fifth-place finish at Eastern Sprints, and a win would signify more than just continued progress. Students and alumni alike believe the results of today's race can define the entire rowing season.



For the six seniors on this year's team, there would be no better way to end their rowing careers than with a win against the Crimson. Senior Captain Jon Morgan of Johannesburg, South Africa, knows that, "a win in any boat represents countless hours of dedication from the entire team. We all push one another to succeed."

For Grant Stegelmann of Darien, Conn., rowing on the heavyweight team has been the highlight of his four years at Yale.

"I love the sport, and I love to win," he said. "The Yale-Harvard race is one of the great traditions that make the sport so special. A crimson shirt would be a great prize to end our senior year."

Tom Lynam of Alexandria, Va., is equally excited about competing in this year's 148th Regatta and believes that, "If the varsity eight wins, it will be because the guys on the team pushed them hard in training. We know we will have the fastest combination of each boat on race day, which gives us the best possible chance to finish first."

An interesting fact is that three of the seniors—Lynam, Morgan and Mastroyannis—all have older brothers who rowed for Yale in previous seasons.

Lynam is following in the footsteps of his older brother Sean, who really understands the pressure of competing after rowing on the 2007 winning Yale crew.

"In every workout, I always have the goal in mind to be the faster brother," Tom said. "I think that's a healthy rivalry to have because, as brothers, we'll always be on the same team."

Morgan's brother, Pieter '09, encouraged him to carry on the family rowing tradition.

"It's great to have a brother who understands the nature of the sport and its physical and mental demands," Jon said. "Rowing at Yale is a very unique experience that few people have insight into."



**Opposite page**

Top/middle: The Yale varsity eight

Bottom: The Bulldogs second varsity eight

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Top: Yale's third varsity eight

Bottom: The Yale four

**Remembering George Pew**



The Harvard-Yale Regatta Committee lost a great friend recently. George Pew died Wednesday, May 8. George was president and leader of the Yale Crew Association from 1978 until 1994, and he served as chairman of the Regatta Committee. He was a great friend, fan and benefactor to Yale crew for nearly 60 years. George is credited with saving lightweight crew from possible elimination in the 1970s, and he started the first women's crew endowment in 1981. In 1986 George received the Yale Medal for recognition of his outstanding service to Yale. A boat bay at the Gilder Boathouse is named in his honor, and the George Pew Award is given each year to the team member who distinguishes himself through hard work, dedication and loyalty to Yale crew.

## Crimson Seniors Make Their Mark

*Written by Brett Moore  
Assistant Director of Athletic Communications*

The Harvard heavyweight Class of 2013 first came to Cambridge with a challenging task. The newcomers were filling the shoes of the graduated seniors who had just produced a 23-4 record in four years to go along with three victories in the Harvard-Yale Regatta and a second-place showing at EARC Sprints in 2009.

While finishing second at Sprints is no small feat, the Crimson eyed improvement. Wisconsin in 2008 and Brown in 2009 had unsettled the oarsmen from Harvard with Rowe Cup titles, including the Bears' sweep of the three major heavyweight divisions by the 2009 Sprints. Parity was as evident as ever in Eastern rowing with four different Sprints champions in the previous five years, opening a chance to any crew on the seaboard.

Brown opened as the Eastern favorite in 2010, the Class of 2013's freshman year, and topped the Crimson with three wins in five races in the second dual of the season, snapping the varsity eight's dual win streak at 14. While the freshman eight and second freshman boats produced wins, it remained a somber day for Harvard. "We need to get a little faster," Parker said after the race.

The Crimson has competed in 26 duals since that 2009 day in Providence, R.I., and although Parker has surely uttered those exact words to every one of the Crimson's boats in the last four years, the phrasing has not been needed after a first varsity race. Harvard's freshman boat went undefeated in 2010 and the varsity eight is 21-0 since the Class of 2013 graduated to the varsity roster, with members of the group contributing throughout.

"We prescribed to the Harvard program right from the get-go and were willing to go the extra mile," said James O'Connor, the captain of this season's Crimson. "By prescribing to the program laid out by the coaches, the work ethic drilled in to us since freshman year, and by motivating each other to put in additional workouts, our class has consistently contributed at all levels."



O'Connor is one of four seniors on this year's first varsity, along with Josh Hicks, Parker Washburn and coxswain David Fuller. These four, who were all in the 2010 freshman boat that won Sprints, have led the 2013 Crimson varsity to six dual victories and one of the more impressive Sprints performances in recent memory. Entering as a slightly favored crew over Brown and Northeastern, Harvard won with open water in Worcester and crossed the finish line more than five seconds ahead of the Bears and seven seconds before the Huskies.

Guiding the Crimson on that rainy Sunday was Fuller, an important piece to the crew since his arrival in Cambridge.

"Without him we wouldn't have won," said Hicks after the EARC Sprints race.

The senior coxswain enters his final race against Yale undefeated during his four years in dual competition. While coxing the freshman boat in his first year, the second varsity as a sophomore and the first varsity in the last two seasons, Fuller has gained the respect of his peers.

"Dave Fuller is a godsend," said O'Connor, who also looks to leave Cambridge without having suffered a dual loss. "We have some very good coxswains in the program, but Dave is really a class act. He helps bring the best out in us every day and can identify what works well and what doesn't work so well in the boat. We're very lucky to have him."

The varsity eight's efforts helped clinch the program's fourth straight Rowe Cup, a milestone that has been reached just four times in Harvard history and

not since 1976. But while the points title for Eastern supremacy came down to the last race, the Crimson had the opportunity because of stellar racing throughout the day. Harvard's second varsity finished third, the fourth varsity was second, and this year's newcomers picked up the Crimson's fourth straight win in the freshman race.

Harvard's seniors contributed greatly to the success of the lower boats, as well, just as the Crimson has grown accustomed to them doing. Depth is something the program prides itself on, and this group of seniors has embraced the effort. No Harvard boat—varsity, second varsity, freshman or combination—has lost at the Regatta in their tenure.





“The Rowe Cup shows that Harvard has an amazing team, not just amazing boats,” notes senior four seat Hicks. “If the 4V is pushing the 3V, they are pushing the JV and freshmen, who are pushing the 1V. Everyone, from the guys who showed up for a few weeks in the fall to the stroke of the varsity eight, is equally important in this regard.”

The wide range of contributions from this class are not only felt on the water, but also in all aspects of life. Justin Mundt, a senior on the second varsity, said “The depth of the senior class—and the overall variety of interests and pursuits—has made this class what it is. We have engineers, physics majors, history majors, government majors; we have guys who are going to pursue rowing at the international level, guys who are going to be teachers, guys who are going to medical school. The diversity, both as it relates to rowing and otherwise, has made this group a very special one.”

But according to O’Connor, at the end of the day, they all join together for a common goal.

“We’re all here to make boats go fast and do so with our friends, so guys try and do exactly that.”



**Opposite page**

Top: Harvard celebrates its Rowe Cup win May 19 at Eastern Sprints.

Bottom: Seniors (clockwise from top left) Mihailo Malowany, Eli Shikaloff, William Polachek, Matthew Vincent, Josh Hicks, Parker Washburn, James O’Connor, David Fuller, Justin Mundt and Alex Macintosh

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Top: This year’s seniors won by 14.9 seconds in the 2010 freshman race.

Below: The 2012 varsity oarsmen give David Fuller a post-Regatta dip.

Bottom left: The 2013 Harvard varsity eight celebrates its Sprints win.



*Master of Protocol*  
**Justin Mundt**

Justin Mundt, who stroked the second varsity eight to a bronze medal at Eastern Sprints, holds the title of master of protocol and the accompanying responsibility to uphold the rules and traditions of the Harvard boathouse. Unlike the captaincy, it is not an elected position but a job passed on directly from year to year.

Mundt owns Sprints titles in the freshman (2010) and second varsity (2011) events and helped Harvard win the Prince Albert Challenge Cup at the 2011 Henley Royal Regatta.

The Lincoln, Mass., native graduated with honors as an economics concentrator and earned a language citation in Spanish. Mundt will soon join UBS in New York City as an investment banking analyst.

Varsity Athlete	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.
Josh Bernstein	So.	6-4	195
Jan-Peter Bockstiegel	So.	6-5	210
Andrew Crown	So.	6-3	190
Gregory Edwards	Jr.	6-4	195
Andrew Emmett	So.	6-4	200
Jack Freese	So.	6-4	190
David Fuller	Sr.	5-9	130
Ryan Furey	So.	6-1	175
William Hakim	Jr.	5-7	123
Lachlan Hanbury-Brown	So.	6-5	205
Josh Hicks	Sr.	6-2	181
Daniel Hillhorst	So.	6-2	180
JP Hogan	Jr.	6-2	185
Andrew Holmes	Jr.	6-3	180
Jessi Izhakoff	So.	5-6	120
Nick Jaroszewicz	Jr.	6-0	190
Joanie Kim	So.	5-6	120
William Locke	So.	6-7	207
Ben Lynton	Jr.	6-5	200
Alex Macintosh	Sr.	6-4	195
Mihailo Malowany	Sr.	6-3	190
Brittanie Maxwell	Jr.	5-5	105
James Medway	So.	6-4	185
Max Meyer-Bosse	So.	6-4	195
Justin Mundt	Sr.	6-4	195
James O'Connor	Sr.	6-2	180
William Polachek	Sr.	6-5	200
Nolan Pollock	So.	6-7	195
Owen Prunskis	So.	6-3	199
Andrew Reed	Jr.	6-3	195
Ed Rippon	So.	6-3	225
Charles Risbey	So.	6-4	195
Eli Shikaloff	Sr.	6-2	210
Jack Smith	So.	5-9	125
Alexander Uruchurtu	So.	6-2	185
Matthew Vincent	Sr.	6-4	185
Matt Wardrop	So.	5-8	130
Parker Washburn	Sr.	6-5	195

Freshman Athlete	Ht.	Wt.
Taylor Barker	6-4	175
Katharine Barton	5-6	112
Stefano Belfiore	6-3	205
Vincent Breet	6-4	204
James Croxford	6-3	195
Jay Ditmarsch	6-0	194
Patrick Dowling	6-2	187
Lane Erickson	6-4	210
Nicholas Gavin	6-4	180
Rory Glover	6-3	186
James Green	6-4	191
Achim Harzheim	6-3	192
Adam Janes	6-3	207
Don Kim	5-9	130
Robert Ledniczky	6-3	195
Peter Lehner	6-3	180
Vadim Medish	6-2	170
Arthur Patterson	6-6	200
Abraham Polinsky	6-1	180
Robert Rasmussen	6-2	185
Austin Shin	6-4	175
Craig Slater	6-5	205
Eric Slater	6-2	190
Dillon Tiner	6-5	220
Oscar Xia	5-7	120

Hometown/High School
Stoney Stanton, England/Eton College
Loehne, Germany/Städtisches Gymnasium Löhne
Chicago, Ill./Latin School of Chicago
Bedfordshire, England/Bedford Modern School
Melbourne, Australia/Scotch College
Newtown Square, Pa./Episcopal Academy
Chestnut Hill, Mass./Belmont Hill School
Orlando, Fla./Home School
Belmont, Mass./Buckingham, Browne and Nichols
Sydney, Australia/The Shore School
Waterford, Australia/Trinity College
Edmonton, B.C./Brentwood College
Newport Beach, Calif./Newport Harbor
Lochwinnoch, Scotland/George Watson's College
Miami, Fla./Pine Crest School
Cincinnati, Ohio/Indian Hill
Upper Saddle River, N.J./North Highlands Regional
Cataumet, Mass./Eton College
Queenstown, New Zealand/Christ's College
Cobble Hill, B.C./Shawnigan Lake School
Toronto, Ont./Upper Canada College
Laporte, Minn./Bemidji
Pymble, Australia/Sydney Grammar School
Westport, Conn./Staples
Lincoln, Mass./Belmont Hill School
Christchurch, New Zealand/Christ's College
Skaneateles, N.Y./Skaneateles
Fairfax, Va./Thomas Jefferson
Barrington, Ill./Barrington
Wayland, Mass./Belmont Hill School
Peterborough, England/The Henley College
Melbourne, Australia/Melbourne Grammar School
San Rafael, Calif./St. Ignatius College Preparatory
Worcester, Mass./St. Johns
Gold Coast, Australia/The Southport School
Mercer Island, Wash./Mercer Island
Cambridge, Mass./Dexter School
Andover, Mass./Phillips Academy Andover

Hometown/High School
Washington, D.C./St. Albans School
Laguna Beach, Calif./Laguna Beach
Vancouver, B.C./Vancouver College
Alberton, South Africa
Kew East, Australia/Scotch College
Seaforth, Australia/Sydney Grammar School
Rocky River, Ohio/St. Edward
Torrance, Calif./South
Hobe Sound, Fla./Florida Air Academy
Church Point, Australia/Sydney Grammar School
Worcester, England/ King's School
Mainz, Germany/Bischöfliches Willigis Gymnasium
York, England/St. Peter's School
Cambridge, Mass./Cambridge Rindge and Latin School
Maidstone, U.K./Maidstone Grammar
Boston, Mass./Buckingham, Brown & Nichols
Washington, D.C./St. Albans School
San Francisco, Calif./San Francisco University HS
Brookline, Mass./Roxbury Latin School
Washington, D.C./St. Andrew's School
Tampa, Fla./Berkeley Preparatory School
Tinton Falls, N.J./Ranney School
Mendota Heights, Minn./Henry Sibley
Leverett, Mass./Westminster School
Vancouver, B.C./St. George's School



**David Fuller**  
Coxswain



**Andrew Holmes**  
Stroke



**Charles Risbey**  
Seven Seat



**Vincent Breet**  
Six Seat



**Parker Washburn**  
Five Seat



**Josh Hicks**  
Four Seat



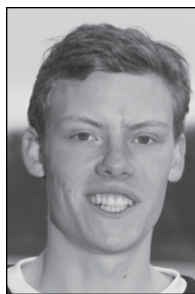
**Andrew Reed**  
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**James O'Connor**  
Two Seat



**James Medway**  
Bow



**Oliver Fletcher**  
Coxswain



Athlete	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown/High School
Clemens Barth	So.	6-4	195	Berlin, Germany/OSZ TIEM
Henry Bird	Fr.	6-1	176	Bedford Hills, N.Y./Deerfield
Jamie Cahill	Fr.	6-4	200	Melbourne, Australia/Melbourne High School
Chris Carothers	Fr.	5-8	125	Kenilworth, Ill./New Trier
David DeVries	Fr.	6-8	210	San Diego, Calif./Culver Military Academy
Oliver Fletcher	Jr.	5-10	119	London, United Kingdom/Eton College
Zachary Johnson	Jr.	6-6	205	Ross, Calif./Redwood
Simon Keenan	So.	6-6	210	Melbourne, Australia/Xavier College
Max Knapp	So.	6-6	205	Kirkland, Wash./Lakeside
Gerard Kuenning	Jr.	6-7	210	Bow, N.H./Bow
Mackenzie Lee	Fr.	5-1	126	La Cañada, Calif./Polytechnic
Lawrence Lopez-Menzies	Jr.	6-4	205	Cos Cob, Conn./Brunswick
Tom Lynam	Sr.	6-6	210	Alexandria, Va./T.C. Williams
Philippe Mastroyannis	Sr.	6-2	173	Washington, D.C./St. Albans
Jack McGinn	Fr.	6-0	185	Minneapolis, Minn./Benilde-St. Margaret's
Robert Michel	Jr.	6-6	180	Cranbury, N.J./Hun School
Jon Morgan	Sr.	6-3	198	Johannesburg, South Africa/St. John's
Elliot O'Reilly	Fr.	6-5	210	Laissaud, France/Geelong Grammar
Grant Olscamp	Jr.	6-2	183	Cincinnati, Ohio/St. Xavier
Thomas Pagel	Fr.	6-3	220	Oxford, United Kingdom/Abingdon
Harry Picone	Sr.	6-3	200	Brisbane, Australia/Anglican Church Grammar
Austin Puleo	Fr.	6-6	190	Pinehurst, N.C./O'Neal
Ed Reeves	Fr.	6-8	193	Auckland, New Zealand/King's College
William Rosenbloom	So.	6-4	195	Winnetka, Ill./New Trier
Kamil Sadik	Fr.	6-2	203	Chappaqua, N.Y./Horace Greeley
Campbell Schnebly-Swanson	Jr.	5-8	125	Atlanta, Ga./The Westminster Schools
Emery Schoenly	Jr.	6-2	178	Salisbury, Conn./Salisbury
Adam Smith	Fr.	6-4	184	Auckland, New Zealand/Auckland Grammar
Grant Stegmann	Sr.	6-6	193	Darien, Conn./Deerfield
Ian Suvak	Sr.	6-4	200	Arlington, Va./Yorktown
Owen Symington	Jr.	6-5	210	Melbourne, Australia/Wesley College
Ron Taitz	So.	6-3	175	Laguna Niguel, Calif./Dana Hills
Hubert Trzybinski	Fr.	6-8	210	Berlin, Germany/Flatow-Oberschule
Lyon Van Voorhis	So.	6-6	195	Mattapoisett, Mass./Falmouth Academy
Erica Yurvati	So.	5-3	105	Kutztown, Pa./Kutztown
Ari Zimmet	Fr.	6-4	195	Brookline, Mass./Brookline



**Adam Smith**  
Stroke



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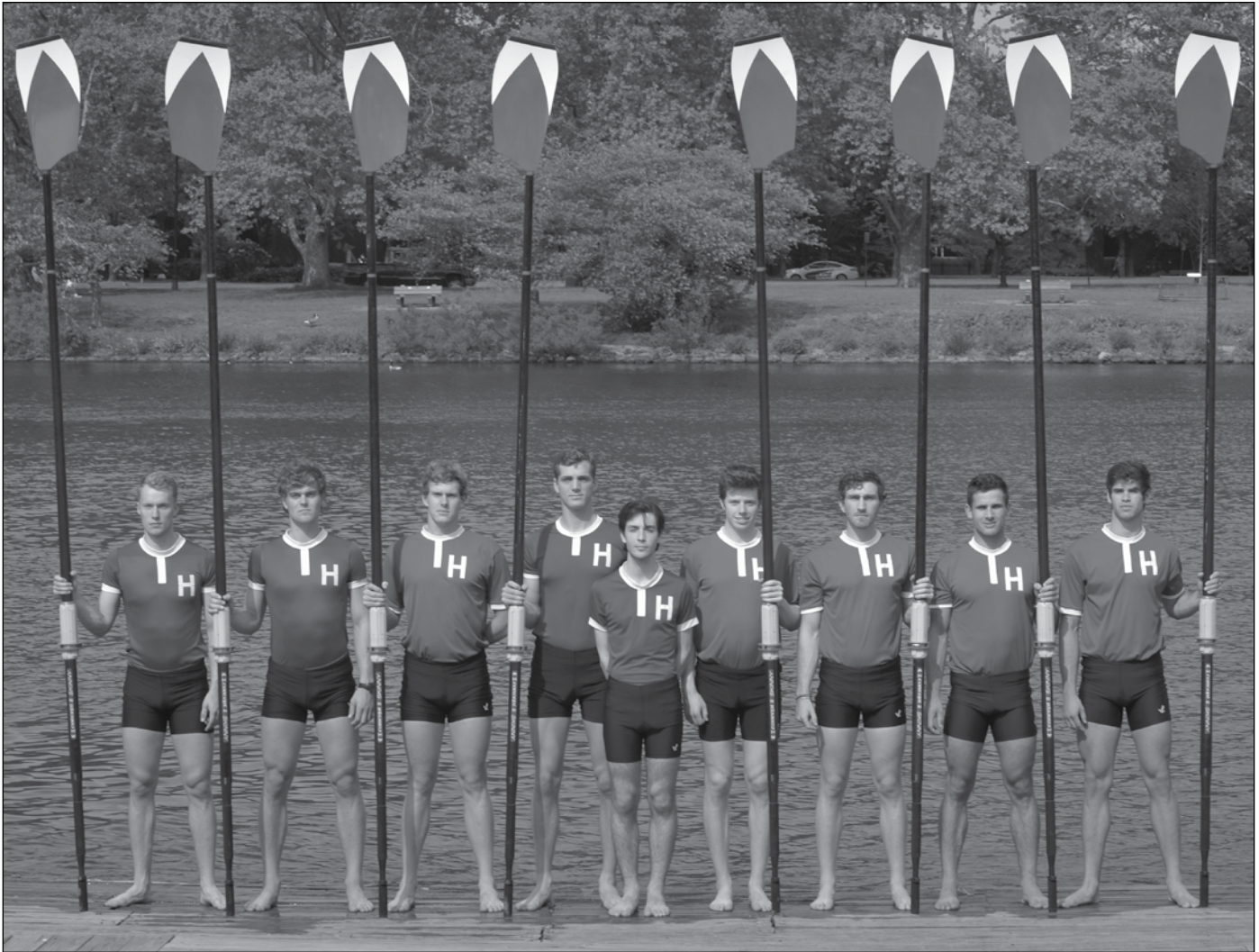
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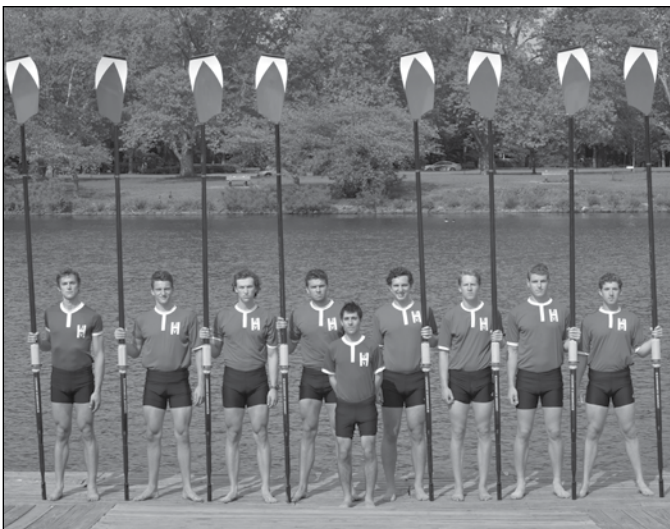
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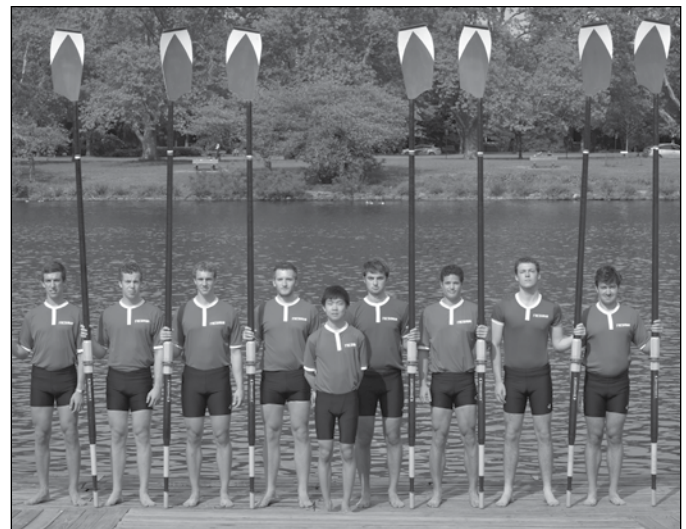


The Crimson varsity eight (left to right): Andrew Holmes, Charles Risbey, Vincent Breet, Parker Washburn, David Fuller (coxswain), Josh Hicks, Andrew Reed, James O'Connor, James Medway



The Crimson second varsity eight (left to right): Justin Mundt, Gregory Edwards, Max Meyer-Bosse, Ed Rippon, William Hakim (coxswain), Andrew Emmett, Alex Macintosh, Lachlan Hanbury-Brown, Ryan Furey

Crimson alternates: William Locke, William Polachek, Eli Shikaloff



The Crimson freshman eight (left to right): Rory Glover, James Croxford, Achim Harzheim, Adam Janes, Don Kim (coxswain), Stefano Belfiore, Abraham Polinsky, James Green, Jay Ditmarsch



The Bulldogs varsity eight (left to right): Adam Smith, Clemens Barth, Thomas Pagel, Hubert Trzybinski, Oliver Fletcher (coxswain), Simon Keenan, David DeVries, Zachary Johnson, Owen Symington



The Bulldogs second varsity eight (left to right): Philippe Mastroyannis, Gerard Kuenning, Harry Picone, Tom Lynam, Chris Carothers (coxswain), Robert Michel, Elliot O'Reilly, Jon Morgan, Emery Schoenly



The Bulldogs third varsity eight (left to right): Henry Bird, Grant Stegelmann, Ian Suvak, Grant Olscamp, Campbell Schnebly-Swanson (coxswain), Lyon Van Voorhis, Lawrence Lopez-Menzies, Jack McGinn, Ron Taitz

## Series Record: Harvard 93, Yale 54

Year	Date	Site	Dist.	Dir.	Winner	H Time	Y Time	Year	Date	Site	Dist.	Dir.	Winner	H Time	Y Time
1852	Aug. 3	CH	2	-	H	by 2 lengths		1900	June 28	NL	4	D	Yale	21:37.4	21:12.8
1855	July 21	Sp	3	-	Harvard	22:47	24:00	1901	June 27	NL	4	D	Yale	23:45	23:37
1859	July 26	W	3	-	Harvard	19:18	20:18	1902	June 26	NL	4	D	Yale	20:33	20:20
1860	July 24	W	3	-	Harvard	18:53	19:05.5	1903	June 25	NL	4	D	Yale	20:29.6	20:19.8
1864	July 29	W	3	-	Yale	19:43.5	19:01	1904	July 1	NL	4	U	Yale	22:10	21:40.5
1865	July 28	W	3	-	Yale	19:09	18:42.5	1905	June 29	NL	4	U	Yale	22:36	22:33.5
1866	July 26	W	3	-	Harvard	18:43.5	19:10	1906	June 28	NL	4	D	Harvard	23:02	23:11
1867	July 19	W	3	-	Harvard	18:12.75	19:25.5	1907	June 27	NL	4	U	Yale	21:13	21:10
1868	July 24	W	3	-	Harvard	17:48.5	18:38.5	1908	June 25	NL	4	U	Harvard	24:10	not taken
1869	July 23	W	3	-	Harvard	18:02	18:11	1909	July 11	NL	4	U	Harvard	21:50	22:10
1870 <sup>1</sup>	July 22	W	3	-	Harvard	20:30	fouled	1910	June 30	NL	4	D	Harvard	20:46.5	21:04
1872	July 24	Sp	3	-	Harvard	16:57	18:13	1911 <sup>5</sup>	June 30	NL	4	D	Harvard	22:44	23:40.5
1873	July 17	Sp	3	-	Yale	uncertain	16:59	1912	June 21	NL	4	D	Harvard	21:43.5	22:04
1874 <sup>2</sup>	July 18	Sa	3	-	Harvard	16:56	disabled	1913	June 20	NL	4	D	Harvard	21:42	22:20
1875	July 14	Sa	3	-	Harvard	17:05	17:14.5	1914	June 19	NL	4	U	Yale	21:16.2	21:16
1876	June 30	Sp	4	-	Yale	22:31	22:02	1915	June 25	NL	4	U	Yale	21:13.5	20:52
1877	June 30	Sp	4	-	Harvard	24:36	24:43	1916	June 23	NL	4	D	Harvard	20:02	20:17
1878	June 28	NL	4	D	Harvard	20:44.75	21:29	1918 <sup>6</sup>	June 1	D	2	-	Harvard	10:58	11:04
1879	June 27	NL	4	D	Harvard	22:15	23:58	1919	June 20	NL	4	D	Yale	21:47.6	21:42.2
1880	July 1	NL	4	D	Yale	25:09	24:27	1920	June 25	NL	4	U	Harvard	23:11	23:46
1881	July 1	NL	4	D	Yale	22:19	22:13	1921	June 24	NL	4	D	Yale	20:44.2	20:41
1882	June 30	NL	4	D	Harvard	20:47.5	20:50.5	1922	June 23	NL	4	U	Yale	22:06	21:53
1883	June 28	NL	4	D	Harvard	25:46.5	25:59	1923	June 22	NL	4	D	Yale	22:35	22:10
1884	June 26	NL	4	D	Yale	20:48	20:31	1924	June 20	NL	4	D	Yale	22:11	21:58.4
1885	June 26	NL	4	D	Harvard	25:15.5	26:30	1925	June 19	NL	4	U	Yale	20:32.4	20:26
1886	July 2	NL	4	U	Yale	21:05	20:42	1926	June 25	NL	4	U	Yale	20:21.6	20:14.4
1887	July 1	NL	4	D	Yale	23:10.5	22:56	1927	June 24	NL	4	D	Harvard	22:35.1	22:39
1888	June 29	NL	4	D	Yale	21:24	20:10	1928	June 22	NL	4	D	Yale	20:56	20:21.6
1889	June 28	NL	4	U	Yale	21:55	21:30	1929	June 21	NL	4	U	Yale	21:39	21:20
1890 <sup>3</sup>	June 27	NL	4	D	Yale	21:40	21:29	1930	June 20	NL	4	D	Yale	20:30.8	20:09.4
1891	June 26	NL	4	U	Harvard	21:23	21:57	1931	June 19	NL	4	U	Harvard	22:21	22:30
1892	July 1	NL	4	D	Yale	21:42.5	20:48	1932	June 24	NL	4	D	Harvard	21:29	21:42
1893	June 30	NL	4	D	Yale	25:15	25:01.5	1933	June 16	NL	4	D	Harvard	22:46.6	22:53.6
1894	June 28	NL	4	D	Yale	24:38	23:45.5	1934	June 22	NL	4	D	Yale	20:01.6	19:51.8
1895	June 28	NL	4	D	Yale	22:05	21:30	1935	June 22	NL	4	U	Yale	21:04	20:19
1897 <sup>4</sup>	June 25	P	4	-	Yale	21:00	20:44	1936	June 19	NL	4	U	Harvard	20:19	20:40.6
1898 <sup>4</sup>	June 23	NL	4	U	Yale	24:35	24:02	1937	June 25	NL	4	U	Harvard	20:02	20:06.2
1899	June 29	NL	4	D	Harvard	20:52.5	21:13	1938	June 24	NL	4	U	Harvard	20:20	20:23.8

### Site Key

- C Cambridge, Mass.
- CH Center Harbor, N.H.
- D Derby, Conn.
- NL New London, Conn.
- P Poughkeepsie, N.Y.
- Sa Saratoga, N.Y.
- Sp Springfield, Mass.
- W Worcester, Mass.



Members of Yale's 2007 varsity celebrate their half-second victory.



The Harvard and Yale eights shake hands following the 1992 varsity race.

Year	Date	Site	Dist.	Dir.	Winner	H Time	Y Time
1939	June 23	NL	4	D	Harvard	20:48.4	20:53
1940	June 21	NL	4	U	Harvard	21:38	22:09
1941	June 14	NL	4	D	Harvard	20:40	20:53.4
1942 <sup>6</sup>	May 23	D	2	-	Harvard	10:09.6	10:20.8
1946 <sup>7</sup>	June 1	C	1.75	-	Harvard	9:18	9:38
1947	June 18	NL	4	U	Harvard	20:40	20:46
1948	June 25	NL	4	D	Harvard	19:21.4	19:23
1949	June 24	NL	4	U	Yale	19:54.2	19:52.8
1950	June 23	NL	4	D	Harvard	21:36.4	21:37.2
1951	June 22	NL	4	D	Harvard	21:26	21:48.8
1952	June 20	NL	4	U	Yale	22:52.8	22:48.8
1953	June 12	NL	4	U	Harvard	20:09	20:20
1954	June 19	NL	4	D	Yale	22:02	21:58.4
1955	June 17	NL	4	U	Yale	20:10	20:05
1956	June 16	NL	4	D	Yale	19:47.4	19:26
1957	June 15	NL	4	U	Yale	21:04	20:35.2
1958	June 14	NL	4	U	Yale	22:52	22:39
1959	June 13	NL	4	D	Harvard	19:52	20:02
1960	June 18	NL	4	D	Harvard	19:41.2	20:08.6
1961	June 17	NL	4	D	Harvard	22:00	22:29.5
1962	June 16	NL	4	U	Yale	21:27	21:26
1963	June 16	NL	4	D	Harvard	19:47	20:15
1964	June 20	NL	4	U	Harvard	20:48.2	21:06
1965	June 19	NL	4	D	Harvard	19:41.6	20:21
1966	June 18	NL	4	U	Harvard	19:44	20:06
1967	June 17	NL	4	D	Harvard	22:43.4	23:08.2
1968	June 15	NL	4	D	Harvard	20:21	21:05.4

## Notes

1. Yale runs into Harvard, which was leading at turning stake; Yale disqualified.
2. Yale collides with Harvard.
3. Yale stroke breaks oar, dives overboard; Yale still wins the race.
4. Triangular races including Cornell; Cornell wins.
5. Yale stroke taken from shell near three-mile mark.
6. Raced on Housatonic River.
7. Shortest race in series history; raced on Charles River.
8. Yale's seven seat loses oar, dives overboard at two-mile mark.
9. Harvard's time is a series downstream and course record.
10. Harvard's time is a series upstream record.

Year	Date	Site	Dist.	Dir.	Winner	H Time	Y Time
1969	June 14	NL	4	U	Harvard	19:37.2	20:09.2
1970	June 13	NL	4	D	Harvard	22:05	22:34
1971 <sup>8</sup>	June 19	NL	4	U	Harvard	20:06	20:52
1972	June 17	NL	4	D	Harvard	20:34.8	20:55.3
1973	June 16	NL	4	D	Harvard	19:52.8	20:39.3
1974	May 18	C	3	U	Harvard	16:23	17:34
1975	June 7	NL	4	U	Harvard	22:07	22:49
1976	May 22	NL	4	U	Harvard	23:43.9	24:47.9
1977	May 22	NL	2	U	Harvard	9:42.6	9:57.7
1978	June 10	NL	4	U	Harvard	23:26	23:39
1979	June 9	NL	4	U	Harvard	19:22.9	19:25.4
1980 <sup>9</sup>	June 7	NL	4	D	Harvard	18:22.4	18:30.8
1981	May 31	NL	4	U	Yale	21:39.6	21:28.6
1982	June 12	NL	4	D	Yale	20:07.8	19:51.8
1983	June 5	NL	4	U	Yale	21:03	20:45
1984	June 3	NL	4	U	Yale	21:23.16	21:10
1985	June 8	NL	4	U	Harvard	19:41.1	19:57.9
1986	June 7	NL	4	U	Harvard	20:22.4	20:35
1987	June 6	NL	4	U	Harvard	22:07	22:39.9
1988	June 5	NL	4	U	Harvard	20:50.4	20:58.9
1989	June 10	NL	4	D	Harvard	19:15.3	19:53.6
1990	June 9	NL	4	U	Harvard	19:36.0	20:06.5
1991	June 1	NL	4	D	Harvard	21:18.5	21:30.5
1992	June 6	NL	4	D	Harvard	19:08.3	19:45.6
1993	June 5	NL	4	U	Harvard	19:09.3	19:21.7
1994	June 4	NL	4	U	Harvard	18:52.4	18:59.9
1995 <sup>10</sup>	June 10	NL	4	U	Harvard	18:41.9	18:45.5



The 2003 Crimson varsity eight capped a national-championship season with a Harvard-Yale victory.

1996	June 8	NL	4	D	Yale	20:08.5	20:01.9
1997	June 1	NL	4	U	Harvard	22:06.8	22:10.3
1998	June 6	NL	4	U	Harvard	21:32.3	21:53.7
1999	June 5	NL	4	D	Yale	20:51.98	20:45.94
2000	June 10	NL	4	U	Harvard	19:44.4	19:54.2
2001	June 8	NL	4	U	Harvard	18:55.6	19:32.7
2002	June 8	NL	4	U	Harvard	19:02.5	19:43.8
2003	June 7	NL	4	U	Harvard	18:54.4	19:44.2
2004	June 12	NL	4	U	Harvard	18:42.1	19:06.8
2005	June 11	NL	4	U	Harvard	19:20.4	20:00.0
2006	June 11	NL	4	U	Harvard	23:22.6	23:30.4
2007	June 9	NL	4	U	Yale	19:58.0	19:57.5
2008	June 14	NL	4	U	Harvard	18:54.1	19:01.6
2009	June 13	NL	4	D	Harvard	21:25.6	21:45.1
2010	May 29	NL	4	U	Harvard	19:40.3	19:46.2
2011	May 28	NL	4	U	Harvard	19:05.7	19:19.1
2012	May 26	NL	4	D	Harvard	19:41.3	19:51.2

# The Second Varsity Series

THE 148<sup>TH</sup> HARVARD-YALE REGATTA

## Series Record: Harvard 73, Yale 37

Year	Result	Record	Year	Result	Record	Year	Result	Record
1899	Harvard 10:51, Yale 15 lengths back	1-0	1950	Harvard 10:59.2, Yale 11:08.0	29-19	1982	Yale 15:19.0, Harvard 15:32.0	48-32
1900	Harvard over Yale by 6 lengths	2-0	1951	Harvard 10:08.0, Yale 10:11.6	30-19	1983	Harvard 15:24.7, Yale 15:30.8	49-32
1901	Harvard over Yale by 6 lengths	3-0	1952	Yale 11:05.2, Harvard 11:05.4	30-20	1984	Harvard 16:48.5, Yale 17:13.11	50-32
1902	Harvard over Yale by 3 lengths	4-0	1953	Harvard 9:46.0, Yale 9:56.4	31-20	1985	Harvard 14:23.5, Yale 14:47.0	51-32
1903	Yale 10:59.4, Harvard 3 lengths back	4-1	1954	Harvard 10:44.8, Yale 10:52.4	32-20	1986	Harvard 15:05.9, Yale 15:21.0	52-32
1904	Harvard over Yale narrowly	5-1	1955	Yale 9:53.4, Harvard 10:01.0	32-21	1987	Yale 16:53.6, Harvard 17:05.0	52-33
1905	Harvard over Yale by open water	6-1	1956	Yale 9:44.0, Harvard 9:51.0	32-22	1988	Harvard 15:10.0, Yale 15:18.0	53-33
1906	Yale over Harvard by 24 seconds	6-2	1957	Yale 16:04.2, Harvard 16:15.2	32-23	1989	Harvard 15:05.2, Yale 15:20.7	54-33
1907	Yale over Harvard	6-3	1958	Yale 17:05.6, Harvard 17:29.6	32-24	1990	Harvard 14:57.0, Yale 15:09.4	55-33
1908	Yale 10:33.5, Harvard 3 lengths back	6-4	1959	Harvard 15:50.0, Yale 16:00.0	33-24	1991	Yale 15:43.5, Harvard 16:00.8	55-34
1909	Harvard over Yale by 9 seconds	7-4	1960	Harvard 15:20.0, Yale 15:22.2	34-24	1992	Harvard 14:40.6, Yale 14:55.4	56-34
1910	Harvard over Yale by 6 lengths	8-4	1961	Yale 16:22.5, Harvard 16:28.0	34-25	1993	Harvard 14:27.7, Yale 14:56.8	57-34
1911	Harvard over Yale by 4 lengths	9-4	1962	Yale 15:49.0, Harvard 15:56.6	34-26	1994	Harvard 13:51.7, Yale 14:00.6	58-34



The 1962 Yale junior varsity crosses the finish. The time of 15:49.0 was a three-mile, upstream race record at the time.

1912	Harvard over Yale by 10 lengths	10-4	1963	Harvard 15:45, Yale 16:02.4	35-26	1995	Harvard 13:54.7, Yale 14:11.8	59-34
1913	Harvard over Yale by 18 seconds	11-4	1964	Harvard 15:33.2, Yale 15:41.2	36-26	1996	Yale 16:37.6, Harvard 16:42.4	59-35
1914	Harvard over Yale by 7 lengths	12-4	1965	Harvard 15:54.9, Yale 16:11.0	37-26	1997	Harvard 13:57.2, Yale 14:11.6	60-35
1915	Yale over Harvard by 1/2 length	12-5	1966	Yale 14:12.0, Harvard 14:23.0	37-27	1998	Harvard 16:12.6, Yale 16: 18.4	61-35
1916	Harvard over Yale by 1/2 length	13-5	1967	Harvard 18:15.4, Yale 18:27.4	38-27	1999	Harvard 16:17.4, Yale 16:26.3	62-35
1918	Yale over Harvard by 3/4 length	13-6	1968	Harvard 16:02.0, Yale 16:14.0	39-27	2000	Harvard 15:01.2, Yale 15:15.74	63-35
1919	Harvard over Yale by 8 lengths	14-6	1969	Harvard 14:43.5, Yale 15:07.0	40-27	2001	Harvard 14:23.7, Yale 14:37.5	64-35
1920	Yale over Harvard	14-7	1970	Harvard 17:35.0, Yale 18:24.0	41-27	2002	Harvard 14:19.0, Yale 14:45.8	65-35
1921	Harvard over Yale	15-7	1971	Harvard 15:10.8, Yale 15:20.6	42-27	2003	Harvard 13:57.0, Yale 14:31.2	66-35
1922	Harvard over Yale	16-7	1972	Harvard 15:32.1, Yale 15:43.1	43-27	2004	Harvard 13:46.1, Yale 14:16.4	67-35
1923	Yale 10:10, Harvard 10:28.4	16-8	1973	Harvard 15:19.4, Yale 16:02.4	44-27	2005	Yale 14:12.7, Harvard 14:32.9	67-36
1924	Yale 10:41, Harvard 10:45	16-9	1974	Harvard 10:58, Yale 11:38	45-27	2006	Harvard 16:22, Yale 16:30	68-36
1925	Yale 9:50, Harvard 10:02	16-10	1975	Harvard 16:46, Yale 17:09	46-27	2007	Yale 15:27.0, Harvard 15:45.0	68-37
1926	Harvard 10:36.6, Yale 10:43.6	17-10	1976	Yale 17:34, Harvard 17:43.8	46-28	2008	Harvard 14:03.2, Yale 14:23.4	69-37
1927	Yale 9:23.4, Harvard 9:29	17-11	1977	Harvard 10:01.6, Yale 10:15.8	47-28	2009	Harvard 16:16.9, Yale 16:19.2	70-37
1928	Yale 10:45.4, Harvard 11:04.8	17-12	1978	Harvard 18:01.0, Yale 18:29.4	48-28	2010	Harvard 14:46.8, Yale 15:02.4	71-37
1929	Yale 11:00, Harvard 11:12.8	17-13	1979	Yale 14:28, Harvard 14:38	48-29	2011	Harvard 13:38, Yale 14:08	72-37
1930	Harvard 11:07.2, Yale 11:10.6	18-13	1980	Yale 14:18.0, Harvard 14:45.8	48-30	2012	Harvard 14:55.5, Yale 15:27.2	73-37
1931	Yale 10:43, Harvard 10:54	18-14	1981	Yale 15:44.2, Harvard 17:04.7	48-31			
1932	Harvard 8:00.6, Yale 8:05.2	19-14						
1933	Harvard 11:48.2, Yale 11:49.2	20-14						
1934	Yale 9:40.2, Harvard 9:48.6	20-15						
1935	Yale 9:56, Harvard 9:56.4	20-16						
1936	Yale 10:52.4, Harvard 11:08.4	20-17						
1937	Yale 11:56.2, Harvard 11:59.4	20-18						
1938	Harvard 10:27, Yale 10:30.4	21-18						
1939	Harvard 9:35, Yale 9:39	22-18						
1940	Harvard 11:33.4, Yale 11:41.2	23-18						
1941	Harvard 10:06.8, Yale 10:10.6	24-18						
1942	Harvard 10:30.8, Yale 10:39.4	25-18						
1946	Harvard over Yale	26-18						
1947	Harvard 9:42, Yale 9:47	27-18						
1948	Harvard 9:30, Yale 9:34.4	28-18						
1949	Yale 9:36.0, Harvard 9:42.6	28-19						



An exhausted 2001 Harvard second varsity celebrates its win at the Regatta.

## Series Record: Harvard 69, Yale 39, 1 tie

Year	Result	Record	Year	Result	Record	Year	Result	Record
1893	Yale over Harvard by 6 lengths	0-1	1941	Harvard 9:51.4, Yale 10:01.8	19-23-1	1971	Harvard 9:29.4, Yale 9:48.4	36-31-1
1894	Yale over Harvard by 12 lengths	0-2	1942	Harvard 10:16.6, Yale 10:29.4	20-23-1	1972	Harvard 9:58.7, Yale 7 lengths	37-31-1
1895	Yale over Harvard by 8 lengths	0-3	1946	Not contested		1973	Harvard 10:29.5, Yale 10:34.9	38-31-1
1897	Yale over Harvard by 2 lengths	0-4	1947	Yale 9:43, Harvard 9:47	20-24-1	1974	Harvard 11:10, Yale 11:19	39-31-1
1898	Yale over Harvard by a canvas	0-5	1948	Harvard 9:34, Yale 9:41.4	21-24-1	1975	Harvard 11:01, Yale 11:05	40-31-1
1899	Harvard 9:33.5, Yale 2 lengths back	1-5	1949	Harvard 9:32.0, Yale 9:34.6	22-24-1	1976	Harvard 11:13.6, Yale 11:27.6	41-31-1
1900	Harvard over Yale by 6 lengths	2-5	1950	Harvard 11:06.2, Yale 11:16.0	23-24-1	1977	Yale 9:51.6, Harvard 9:56.8	41-32-1
1901	Yale 10:24.5, Harvard 5 lengths back	2-6	1951	Harvard 10:27.4, Yale 10:42.3	24-24-1	1978	Harvard 11:56.0, Yale 12:13.2	42-32-1
1902	Tie—Harvard and Yale in 10:13	2-6-1	1952	Harvard 11:33.4, Yale 11:40.4	25-24-1	1979	Harvard 9:05.4, Yale 9:09.2	43-32-1
1903	Yale 9:43, Harvard 1 length back	2-7-1	1953	Yale 9:43.0, Harvard 9:44.5	25-25-1	1980	Yale 9:42.9, Harvard 9:48.0	43-33-1
1904	Yale by a canvas over Harvard	2-8-1						
1905	Harvard over Yale by 1 length	3-8-1						
1906	Yale over Harvard by 1/2 length	3-9-1						
1907	Harvard over Yale by 1 length	4-9-1						
1908	Harvard 9:38.5, Yale (no time)	5-9-1						
1909	Harvard over Yale by 37 seconds	6-9-1						
1910	Harvard over Yale by 2 lengths	7-9-1						
1911	Yale over Harvard by 1/2 length	7-10-1						
1912	Harvard over Yale by 1/2 length	8-10-1						
1913	Harvard over Yale by 1 length	9-10-1						
1914	Harvard over Yale by 4 lengths	10-10-1						
1915	Yale over Harvard by 2 lengths	10-11-1						
1916	Harvard over Yale by 1/2 length	11-11-1						
1918	Harvard over Yale by 2 lengths	12-11-1						
1919-22	No race recorded							
1923	Yale 10:27.6, Harvard 10:46	12-12-1	1954	Harvard 11:06.4, Yale 11:25.0	26-25-1	1981	Yale 10:42.0, Harvard 10:46.5	43-34-1
1924	Yale 10:33, Harvard 10:45	12-13-1	1955	Yale 9:40, Harvard 9:49	26-26-1	1982	Harvard 9:59.0, Yale 10:13.0	44-34-1
1925	Yale 9:57.4, Harvard 10:01	12-14-1	1956	Yale 9:38.2, Harvard 9:52.1	26-27-1	1983	Harvard 10:10.7, Yale 10:26.7	45-34-1
1926	Harvard 11:00, Yale 11:12.6	13-14-1	1957	Yale 10:29.0, Harvard 10:35.0	26-28-1	1984	Harvard 10:18, Yale 10:36.4	46-34-1
1927	Yale 9:18, Harvard 9:22.4	13-15-1	1958	Harvard 11:13, Yale 11:17	27-28-1	1985	Yale 9:19.6, Harvard 9:23.5	46-35-1
1928	Yale 10:33, Harvard 10:43.4	13-16-1	1959	Yale 10:44.4, Harvard 10:45.9	27-29-1	1986	Harvard 10:04.6, Yale 10:27.3	47-35-1
1929	Yale 11:07, Harvard 11:09.6	13-17-1	1960	Harvard 10:12.10, Yale 10:17.4	28-29-1	1987	Harvard 11:31.0, Yale 11:50.6	48-35-1
1930	Harvard 11:02.8, Yale 11:17.6	14-17-1	1961	Yale 10:54.8, Harvard 11:14.0	28-30-1	1988	Harvard 10:01.6, Yale 10:12.2	49-35-1
1931	Yale 10:25, Harvard 10:35.4	14-18-1				1989	Harvard 10:19.8, Yale 10:21.6	50-35-1
						1990	Harvard 10:03.3, Yale 10:21.8	51-35-1
						1991	Harvard 10:34.5, Yale 10:43.8	52-35-1
						1992	Harvard 10:01.7, Yale 10:26.5	53-35-1
						1993	Harvard 10:01.7, Yale 10:07.6	54-35-1
						1994	Harvard 9:22.6, Yale 9:41.2	55-35-1
						1995	Yale 8:49, Harvard 9:01	55-36-1
						1996	Yale 10:43.0, Harvard 11:06.4	55-37-1
						1997	Harvard 10:53, Yale 10:57	56-37-1
						1998	Harvard 10:46.8, Yale 10:53.6	57-37-1
						1999	Harvard 10:36.97, Yale 10:47.14	58-37-1
						2000	Yale 9:33.3, Harvard 9:42.6	58-38-1
						2001	Harvard 9:39.38, Yale 9:56.80	59-38-1
						2002	Harvard 9:23.4, Yale 9:38.8	60-38-1
						2003	Harvard 9:49.4, Yale 10:06.8	61-38-1
						2004	Harvard 8:46.1, Yale 8:50.0	62-38-1
						2005	Harvard 9:06.1, Yale 9:13.6	63-38-1
						2006	Yale 11:04.5, Harvard 11:05.0	63-39-1
						2007	Harvard 10:01.13, Yale 10:11.6	64-39-1
						2008	Harvard 8:53.8, Yale 9:01.3	65-39-1
						2009	Harvard 10:43.2, Yale 10:50.1	66-39-1
						2010	Harvard 9:32.7, Yale 9:47.6	67-39-1
						2011	Harvard 9:03.2, Yale 9:24.2	68-39-1
						2012	Harvard 10:25.6, Yale 10:34.1	69-39-1



The Crimson won the freshman race for the fifth straight year in 2005.



Yale's half-second win in 2006 was the the race's closest finish since the 1902 tie.

1932	Yale 8:16.2, Harvard 8:30.8	14-19-1	1962	Harvard 9:43.8, Yale 9:48.4	29-30-1	2006	Yale 11:04.5, Harvard 11:05.0	63-39-1
1933	Yale 12:06.4, Harvard 12:26.4	14-20-1	1963	Harvard 9:35.0, Yale 9:45.0	30-30-1	2007	Harvard 10:01.13, Yale 10:11.6	64-39-1
1934	Yale 9:47.6, Harvard 9:51	14-21-1	1964	Yale 10:01.0, Harvard 10:05.0	30-31-1	2008	Harvard 8:53.8, Yale 9:01.3	65-39-1
1935	Yale 9:46, Harvard 9:46.4	14-22-1	1965	Harvard 10:45.2, Yale 10:57.2	31-31-1	2009	Harvard 10:43.2, Yale 10:50.1	66-39-1
1936	Harvard 11:01, Yale 11:05	15-22-1	1966	Harvard 9:23.4, Yale 9:32.4	32-31-1	2010	Harvard 9:32.7, Yale 9:47.6	67-39-1
1937	Yale 12:14.2, Harvard 12:23	15-23-1	1967	Harvard 11:51.0, Yale 12:14.4	33-31-1	2011	Harvard 9:03.2, Yale 9:24.2	68-39-1
1938	Harvard 10:05, Yale 10:14.4	16-23-1	1968	Harvard 10:45.5, Yale 11:02.9	34-31-1	2012	Harvard 10:25.6, Yale 10:34.1	69-39-1
1939	Harvard 10:20, Yale 10:30.8	17-23-1	1969	Harvard 9:53.3, Yale 10:01.1	35-31-1			
1940	Harvard 11:53, Yale 12:39	18-23-1	1970	Not contested				

*There are many chapters in the history of the great Harvard-Yale rivalry. The first was written in the summer of 1852—on the waters of Lake Winnepesaukee in Center Harbor, N.H.—when crews from the two schools met in a two-mile race. As is the case with its football counterpart known as “The Game,” the Harvard-Yale crew race is a season unto itself, as victory will make any campaign a success, while defeat can spoil an otherwise spectacular spring. Sports Illustrated has called this the most venerable rivalry in all of college sports, and Yankee Magazine wrote a cover story on the race. We’re now into the third century of this race; let’s take the time to review some of the grand moments of the past 161 years.*

Boat clubs at Harvard and Yale had existed since the early 1840s, but races against outside competition was rare. That all changed when Yale issued a challenge to Harvard “to test the superiority of the oarsmen of the two colleges.” Thus the oldest intercollegiate athletic event was born.

On August 3, 1852—in a two-mile race on the calm waters of Lake Winnepesaukee—Harvard and Yale battled like never before. Yale was represented by two boats, the Shawmut and the Undine, while Harvard rowed in the Oneida. Harvard won the inaugural race by about four lengths, earning a pair of black walnut oars as its prize. It seems that people right away knew this was going to be the start of something big, for among the distinguished observers was General Franklin Pierce, the Democratic Party nominee and native of nearby Hillsborough, who would be elected president later that year.

No further races were held between the schools until July 1855, when Yale issued another challenge. In a contest held on the Connecticut River in Springfield, Mass., Harvard made it two straight victories, winning by one minute and 38 seconds. Harvard and Yale met again in 1859 and 1860, but it wasn’t until 1864 that the Regatta became an annual event. Yale gained its first series win that year, taking the three-miler on Worcester’s Lake Quinsigamond by 42 seconds.

In 1876, the series’ first four-mile race was held as the crews met on the Connecticut River. Yale won the contest, which was the first since the inaugural one to use eight-oared shells, by 29 seconds.

The Regatta came to New London in 1878 and, with rare exception, has been held in the town originally known as Nameaug (“good fishing place”) ever since. Yale arrived 12 days prior to the June 28 race, settling in at Gales Ferry and taking quarters at a two-story house owned by Latham Brown. Harvard set up camp five days later, moving into a house owned by Charles Stoddard, about a mile south of Yale.

**REGATTAS**  
ON  
**LAKE WINNIPESSIOGEE!**

THE BOAT RACES BETWEEN THE CLUBS OF  
**Harvard and Yale Colleges!**

Will take place as follows, in the morning and afternoon of each day.

At Centre Harbor, Tuesday, August 3d.  
At Wolfboro', Thursday, August 5th.

The following boats will contend for the prizes:

ONEIDA, from Harvard University. Uniform Red, Blue and White.  
UNDINE, from Yale College. Uniform White and Blue.  
SHAWMUT, from Yale College. Uniform White and Red.  
ATALANTA, from New-York, but manned by students of Yale College. Uniform Blue and White.

These Boats were built at a great expense, and their crews are disciplined in the most perfect manner. They carry eight oars to a boat, and are from 35 to 40 feet long. The Races will consist of several one mile heats, and the ground has been so selected that any number of spectators, however large, will obtain each an equally good view with the other.

PRIZES will be publicly presented to the winners.

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Arrangements have been made with the Boston, Concord & Montreal Railroad, to run special trains between Concord and Warren and the Lake on the morning and afternoon of the days of the Regatta to accommodate persons going and returning on the same day.

Fare in the special Trains HALF PRICE. The regular trains run as usual, giving persons from connecting roads an opportunity to witness the Regatta in the afternoon of each day.

N. B. BAKER, for the Committee of Arrangements.  
July 28, 1852.



The 1886 Yale oarsmen, who defeated Harvard by 23 seconds.

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Yale issued a challenge to Harvard “to test the superiority of the oarsmen of the two colleges.” Thus, the oldest intercollegiate athletic event was born.

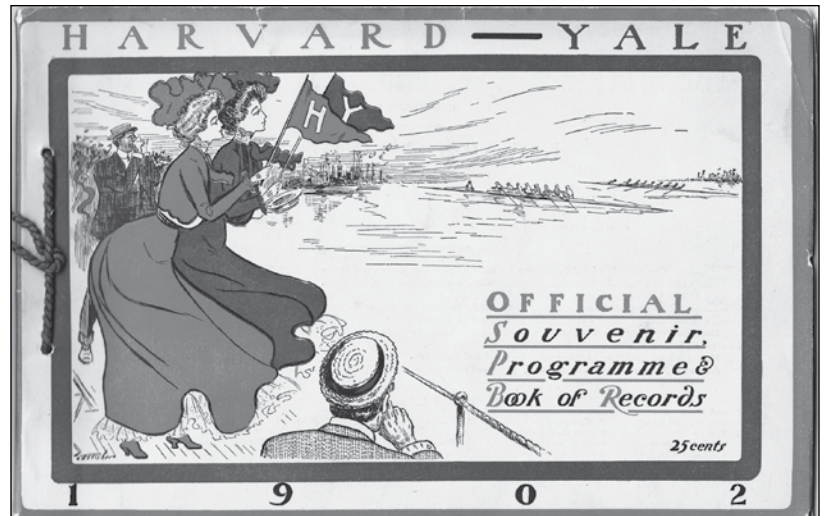
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In anticipation of the race, a huge grandstand — seating approximately 3,000 fans — was erected. A crowd of 25,000 showed up. Harvard led the entire way and took victory with its time of 20:44.75, an American record. One casualty on the day was the press boat, which struck a tugboat midway through the race and missed the ending.

The Regatta wasn't held in 1896 because of a breakdown in relations between the two schools, but the rivalry was renewed in 1897 with a three-boat race in Poughkeepsie, N.Y., that included Cornell.

President Theodore Roosevelt was in attendance for the 50th anniversary Regatta and saw a 13-second Yale victory. This came during a dominant streak for the Elis, who were in the midst of winning 17 races in 19 years.

The 1911 race marked the first appearance of an airplane on the Regatta course. The flier was H.W. Atwood, a noted aviator who set a record time for a flight from Boston to New London. By today's standards, his travel time would barely qualify him for the breakdown lane on I-95, as he completed the 135-mile flight in two hours, 12 minutes. Harvard won the race easily, as Yale's stroke was taken from the shell at the three-mile mark.



Just three years later came the closest race in Regatta lore. Yale won by an official count of one-fifth second—the smallest fraction measured on stopwatches of the time—but the true margin was even closer. The 1914 Regatta also marked the inaugural junior varsity eight-oared race, replacing the varsity substitute fours.

Then, in 1925, a crowd estimated at 100,000 along the shoreline and two packed observation trains of 32 cars witnessed history as, for the first time, a crew trailing by open water at the mile mark came back to win. Yale roared back from its deficit to gain victory with a record-breaking upstream clocking of 20:26.

In 1934, President Franklin D. Roosevelt, a Harvard alumnus, was among the spectators. His son, Franklin, Jr., was a member of the Crimson's junior varsity that year. Roosevelt didn't do much cheering, as Yale swept the day's races and set a downstream record with a time of 19:51.8. With Roosevelt in attendance again the following year, Yale scored a second straight victory.

But in 1936, Harvard initiated a 10-year winning streak that was the longest in the rivalry at that time. And the 1938 season marked an unprecedented triumph by the Crimson, as Harvard earned its first quadruple sweep since the combination race was added in 1920.

## BOAT RACE,

SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

### Friday, June 30, '76,

4.30 P. M.

## HARVARD vs. YALE.

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**HARVARD. (Color, Cardinal Red.)**

	Age.	Wh't.	
A. W. Morgan, '78 (bow), New York,	21	150	
G. W. Irving, S. S., Taunton,	22	153	
E. D. Thayer, S. S., Worcester,	19	156	
W. R. Jacobs, '79, Brownsville, Pa.,	19	168	
W. M. LeMoyné, '78, Chicago,	19	163	
M. James, S. S., Cambridge,	21	169	
J. C. Bolan, '76, Charlestown,	22	157	
W. A. Bancroft, '78 (stroke), Cambridge,	21	157	
Average,	20 1-2	159 3-4	
G. L. Cheney (coxswain),		108	

**YALE. (Color, Blue.)**

	Age.	Wh't.	
J. W. Wescott, L. S. (bow), New Haven,	27	145 1-2	
F. Wood, S. S., Norwalk, Ct.,	22	151	
E. C. Cooke, '76, Worcester,	23	161	
D. H. Kellogg, '76, Spuyten Duyvil, N. Y.,	22	156 1-2	
W. W. Collin, '77, Penn Yan, N. Y.,	20	169	
O. D. Thompson, '79, Butler, Pa.,	20	164	
J. Kennedy, S. S., Struthers, O.,	24	167	
R. J. Cook, '76, Fayette City, Pa.,	27	154	
Average,	23 1-8	158 1-2	
C. F. Aldrich (coxswain), Worcester,		105	



A crowd looks on at the 1931 Regatta.



The Harvard varsity eight crosses the finish line first in 1961.

The Regatta was not held in 1943-45 because of World War II, and the 1946 race, the shortest in history, was held on the Charles River. When the crews reappeared in New London the following spring, they saw the new highway bridge that had been completed above the Thames. But the result was the same: Harvard won the race by six seconds.

In 1952, the schools went to New London in June then ventured to Lake Winnepesaukee in August to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the first Regatta. The race followed the original script, with Harvard winning by 2.7 seconds.

Yale won five races in a row starting in 1954, culminating with a 13-second upstream victory. That win pulled the Elis within 48-46 in the all-time series.

Since that year, however, Harvard has seized the upper hand. The Crimson won 21 of the next 22 races—including 18 in a row to start Harry Parker's coaching tenure. The only Eli breakthrough came in 1962, one year before Parker's arrival. The 1963 combination race set the tone, as one of the great comebacks in Regatta history occurred when the Crimson—after trailing by as much as three lengths—burst through Yale in the final strokes to win by a half-length. The varsity had an easier time the next day, winning by 28 seconds. Harvard's final win in that 18-year run saw the Crimson establish a course record that still stands, with a time of 18:22.4 in its two-length victory.

The Elis bounced back to win four straight between 1981 and 1984, starting with an 11-second upstream win. But Harvard answered with an 11-year Regatta streak that ran from 1985 until 1995. In the 1995 contest, both crews smashed the upstream record. Harvard's winning time of 18:41.9 and Yale's clocking of 18:45.5 both bettered the previous standard. Yale returned to the winner's circle in 1996 and again in 1999 in downstream races, victories sandwiched around a pair of Harvard sweeps.

The Crimson had swept the Regatta four of the previous six seasons and won seven straight varsity races entering the 2007 regatta. Yale, which closed the gap against the Crimson at Sprints, won the second varsity eight and then pulled ahead in the final strokes to defeat Harvard in the varsity eight. Harvard got revenge with a sweep in 2008 and has followed with four more in the four years since. The Crimson's latest run of success has left Yale without just three varsity wins in the last 28 Regattas.



Fans cheer in the shadow of the Gold Star Bridge as they watch the finish of the 1992 race.



Yale rows past the rock at Bartlett's Cove in 1992.



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## Harvard, Yale Again Sprint to Lightweight Supremacy

If it's not Yale, it's Harvard, and if it's not Harvard, it's Yale. Such has been the state of men's collegiate lightweight rowing over the past three seasons.

The rivals, ranked first and second in the nation all season and fresh off a 1-2 Eastern Sprints finish, were expected to duke it out for a tiebreaker of sorts at last weekend's IRA National Championships in Sacramento, Calif. The Crimson was looking to defend its 2012 national title, one it gained by avenging a loss to the Elis by one-fiftieth of a second in the 2011 IRA grand final.

The Sprints performance, too, was familiar. Harvard hosted the varsity trophy for the third straight year, while Yale captured its second consecutive Jope Cup team points title. The Bulldogs, of course, placed second in the varsity race, 4.4 seconds back of the Crimson. Harvard, in turn, was the team runner-up, having taken second place in the second varsity final. Yale won the freshman race.

Not surprisingly, the highlight of the dual season was the annual HYP regatta, where No. 1 Harvard got by No. 2 Yale by 1.4 seconds to secure the Goldthwait Cup and help clinch the Vogel Cup team competition.



Harvard's Sprints title was its 27th, and its perfect dual season was its 30th overall, fourth in a row and seventh under head coach Charley Butt.

The HYP win finished up a 9-0 dual season for Harvard, which has downed 37 consecutive head-to-head opponents. Yale, meanwhile, topped Princeton by 4.6 seconds to cap an 8-1 dual campaign.



Yale's runner-up Ivy finish helped extend its NCAA streak.

## Yale, Radcliffe Women Capture Ivy Medals, NCAA Bids

Yale and Radcliffe once again earned the right to represent the Ivy League at the NCAA Division I Rowing Championships. The Bulldogs varsity eight placed seventh at the Ivy League Championships. The defending-champion Black and White varsity crossed the line just one spot back of Yale, part of a second-place team performance. Radcliffe raced in six grand finals, earning five top-three finishes, including a runner-up second varsity showing. The Bulldogs placed fifth as a team and second in the varsity four grand final.

The NCAA regatta was held last weekend in Indianapolis, with Yale competing for the 14th straight season and Radcliffe appearing for the 15th time in the event's 17-year history. Previously, the Bulldogs edged the Black and White by 1.6 seconds on the way to a 9-2 dual record. Radcliffe posted a 10-3 mark.

## Unbeaten Radcliffe Lightweights Sweep Sprints Varsity Races

Nine years removed from its seventh and most recent national titles, the Radcliffe lightweight crew entered last weekend's IRA National Championships with a No. 1 national ranking and Eastern Sprints varsity and team titles. In fact, the Black and White swept all three varsity races at Sprints, leaving little doubt as to which team would take home the Konrad Ulbrich Points Trophy. The Radcliffe varsity dominated the Sprints field, finishing 8.2 seconds ahead of runner-up Princeton to captured its first title in the top Sprints race since 2004.

The Sprints success followed a 7-0 dual season. Radcliffe won the first lightweight Beanpot competition and established itself as the team to beat by finishing 5.4 seconds ahead of then-top-ranked Stanford and 11.8 before No. 3 Princeton in the April 21 Charles River Lightweight Invite.



The Radcliffe second varsity eight and varsity four joined the varsity eight as Sprints gold medalists.

Crew was the first—and it is annually the last—but it is far from the only rivalry between Harvard and Yale. In fact, including today’s crew racing, Crimson and Bulldog teams will have squared off in head-to-head competition 40 times during the 2012-13 athletic season—and that number doesn’t include any number of league championship events or individual tournament matches. Yale fields 35 varsity sports and Harvard has 41, the most of any NCAA school in the nation.

These schools are familiar with being first and foremost. Harvard teams have won 142 national titles in sports ranging from crew to football and lacrosse to squash. The 2012-13 Crimson women’s squash team won its third national championship in four years, and Harvard/Radcliffe varsity eights looked poised to contend for all three national titles at last weekend’s Intercollegiate Rowing Association National Championships.

Yale has 104 national titles to its credit after mowing through three No. 1 seeds on the way to the 2012-13 men’s hockey title. The Eli women’s rowers captured NCAA varsity golds in 2007, ’08 and ’10. The schools have combined to earn at least 550 Ivy League championships since the circuit was formed in 1956 and grabbed a combined 12 league titles in 2012-13: Yale in men’s hockey, women’s tennis and women’s volleyball; Harvard in men’s basketball, men’s heavyweight crew, men’s lightweight crew, women’s golf, men’s fencing, women’s hockey, men’s squash, men’s tennis, women’s indoor track and field.

Nowhere have Harvard and Yale teams met more often than on the baseball diamond, where this year’s four games brought the total to 369. The series is amazingly close, with Harvard ahead, 193-175-1. These baseball affairs go back to July 25, 1867, when the first game was held as part of Regatta Day on Lake Quinsigamond in Worcester, a race-day tradition that continued into the 20th century.

Harvard and Yale have met 127 times in their famed gridiron rivalry, starting with a tilt on November 13, 1875 in New Haven (a 4-0 Harvard win). The series is the third most-played in college football history and is now referenced around the country simply as “The Game.” In 1923, Yale’s T.A.D. Jones told his players, “Gentlemen, you are now going out to play football against Harvard. Never again in your whole life will you do anything so important.” And former Harvard football coach Joe Restic once noted, “Each year, we’re friends for 364 days and rivals for just one.”

The rivalry is alive and well in other parts of each school’s boathouses as well. The Yale women edged Harvard by 1.6 seconds for the Case Cup this spring, and the Crimson topped the Bulldogs by 1.4 (and Princeton by 6.0) for the Goldthwait Cup in that sport’s oldest continuing rivalry (dating back to 1922). Heading into last weekend’s IRA regatta, the Harvard and Yale lightweight men had captured the last two national title and had spent this season occupying the top two spots in the national poll.

Nowhere, though, is the rivalry more palpable than here on the Thames, where Harvard men and Yale men eat and sleep about 20 strokes from each other and today will compete side-by-side against their rival and against a course more trying than can be found in any Ivy League curriculum.

## Harvard vs. Yale in 2012-13

Baseball.....	Harvard 2, Yale 1; Yale 7, Harvard 3; .....Harvard 6, Yale 2; Yale 5, Harvard 2
Men’s basketball.....	Harvard 67, Yale 64; Harvard 72, Yale 66
Women’s basketball.....	Harvard 67, Yale 54; Harvard 69, Yale 66
Men’s lightweight crew.....	Harvard 5:51.0, Yale 5:52.4
Women’s heavyweight crew.....	Yale 6:20.3, Radcliffe 6:21.9
Men’s cross country.....	Harvard 21, Yale 38
Women’s cross country.....	Yale 19, Harvard 40
Men’s fencing.....	Harvard 21, Yale 6
Women’s fencing.....	Harvard 22, Yale 5
Men’s golf.....	Yale 888, Harvard 909 (Ivy Championships)
Women’s golf.....	Harvard 909, Yale 930 (Ivy Championships)
Field hockey.....	Yale 2, Harvard 1
Football.....	Harvard 34, Yale 24
Men’s ice hockey.....	Yale 5, Harvard 1; Yale 4, Harvard 0
Women’s ice hockey.....	Harvard 4, Yale 0; Harvard 3, Yale 1
Men’s lacrosse.....	Yale 11, Harvard 10
Women’s lacrosse.....	Harvard 10, Yale 5
Coed sailing.....	Yale 245, Harvard 288 (NEISA Championship)
Women’s sailing.....	Yale 94, Harvard 212 (NEISA Championship)
Men’s soccer.....	Harvard 0, Yale 0 (ot)
Women’s soccer.....	Harvard 1, Yale 0 (ot)
Softball.....	Harvard 2, Yale 1; Harvard 7, Yale 4; .....Harvard 4, Yale 2; Harvard 12, Yale 3
Men’s squash.....	Harvard 6, Yale 3
Women’s squash.....	Harvard 7, Yale 2
Men’s swimming & diving.....	Harvard 292, Yale 61
Women’s swimming & diving.....	Harvard 209, Yale 89
Men’s tennis.....	Harvard 4, Yale 2; Harvard 5, Yale 2
Women’s tennis.....	Harvard 5, Yale 2
Men’s indoor track & field.....	Harvard 59, Yale 23
Women’s indoor track & field.....	Harvard 55, Yale 25
Men’s outdoor track & field.....	Harvard 97, Yale 64
Women’s outdoor track & field.....	Harvard 89, Yale 69
Women’s volleyball.....	Yale 3, Harvard 0; Yale 3, Harvard 0



Both schools gained national attention in prominent postseason tournaments, as Yale won the NCAA Frozen Four and Harvard knocked off third-seeded New Mexico in the men’s basketball tournament.

## Thank You, Nick!

With the most profound feelings of gratitude for his many years of service to the Regatta Committee, we honor Nick Bancroft as he moves from active to “emeritus” status on the Committee. Nick has been a member of the Committee since the mid-1970s. Nick holds a legendary position within the Harvard rowing community as Harry’s first captain and thus captain of Harry’s first win of the Regatta back in 1963. That year, after messy freshmen and JV races, the Varsity race was postponed until Sunday morning. Nick’s boat surprised their Yale counterparts that morning with a decisive win after coming into the race as considerable underdogs. This was the beginning of the “streak” of collegiate wins for Harry that ran through the Adams Cup loss to the University of Pennsylvania in the spring of 1969. Brian Clemow, now our most senior Regatta Committee member (who rowed in the freshmen boat in that spring of 1963), recalls that Nick actually recruited him to row as a novice the prior fall.

The photo below shows Nick with his 1963 crew.



Front: E.H. Washburn '64. Middle: R.D. Schwartz '65, H.W. Pollock '64, W.N. Bancroft '63 (captain), S. Borden IV '62, T.E. Pollock III '65. Back: manager A.T. Bear '64, M.R. Soper '65, P.E. Gunderson '65, G.W. Picard '65, head coach H.L. Parker.

For 24 years Nick was a partner in the investment management firm, J.M. Forbes and Co. in Boston.

Nick’s involvement with Harvard rowing also includes an eight-year stint as chairman of the Friends of Harvard and Radcliffe Rowing, raising and spending money to support the intercollegiate rowing programs at the College.

He joined the Regatta Committee in the first year that it was actually responsible for setting the buoys on the course. Before that the buoys were put in place by professional boatmen using a local tugboat. Since then he has been an energetic, dedicated and meticulous steward of the race, the course and all the events surrounding the Regatta. He is an accomplished and crafty mender and tender of buoys, flags and cinder-block anchors. His knowledge of the course, the tides, the shore-line range markers and all the relevant idiosyncrasies of this famous course is encyclopedic.

He was present for the christening of the piss-coon-oak tree at the 1½-mile mark. As a junior member of the Committee, helping to clear marks on the shore, he was tasked by the senior Yale members of the Committee,



Nick at the helm of the Mowshi

John Cooke and George Pew, to climb an oak tree and cut a limb that was obscuring the view of the range marker from the water. All three were unaware that a raccoon had claimed the tree for its own and was sitting aloft watching the project. As Nick began sawing, the coon showed its annoyance by peeing on him, to the great delight of John and George.

Nick is the master and helmsman of “Mowshi,” his 14-foot, 25-horsepower Boston Whaler that he always brings with him for course set-up or on race day. She’s small and little worn around the edges but a very welcome addition to the fleet of boats tending the course and the race. In addition to all of the work setting the course and prepping for race day, Nick also takes upon himself an additional task: After the races are done, as rowers, parents and alums are packing up and leaving the boathouse, Nick changes out of his race-day blue blazer and khaki trousers into work clothes and heads back out in Mowshi to haul in the buoys so they’ll be ready for next year’s race. We sincerely hope that Nick’s “retirement” is in name only and that he will continue to pilot Mowshi in support of the Regatta for many years to come.

## 25 Years Ago This Week

### Oars and Old Ivy

Every year, Harvard and Yale athletes convene at riverside to prepare for America's longest-running collegiate event

BY ALEXANDER WOLFF  
The night isn't over, attention is on the Harvard-Yale Regatta, the water is in the air, the intercollegiate spirit is in the air, and the regatta is on. The Harvard-Yale Regatta, the oldest and most prestigious of the rowing events, is a tradition that has been going on since 1828. It is a tradition that has been going on since 1828. It is a tradition that has been going on since 1828.



The Regatta was featured in the June 6, 1988 edition of Sports Illustrated in an article by Alexander Wolff. To turn back the clock by reading the full article text, visit <http://GoCrimson.com/SIRegatta>



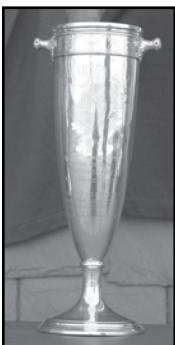
**The Sexton Cup**

This cup is presented to the winner of the varsity heavyweight race. The trophy is actually a combination of two former rowing trophies: The bottom is the original base of the Sexton Cup, with year-by-year results of race winners, while the upper portion retains the Harvard and Yale seals from the trophy which was awarded to the winner of the graduate eights race, long since discontinued.

This cup is presented to the winner of the second varsity heavyweight race. The trophy was redesignated in 1983 to be awarded to the victor in the junior varsity contest.



**The F. Valentine Chappell Trophy**



**The New London Cup**

This first-ever antique silver loving cup was donated by the city of New London in celebration of its bicentennial. Presented annually to the winner of the freshman race, it is inscribed with the Seal of the City of New London and engraved with a ship bearing "Mare Liberium" (Freedom of the Seas).

Donated by George Pew, Yale Class of 1958, the sterling silver bowl is presented annually to the crews who win two or more of the varsity, junior varsity, and freshmen races. The trophy honors Pease and Chappell with its inscription: "Named in honor of their great contribution over four decades to the spirit and success of The Boat Race."

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