

2001 NOOD

Cal 25 (22 boats)

- 1) Andy & Tyson Connolly, Port Huron, MI, BLEW BY YOU, 25
- 2) Dale T. Marshall, Grosse Pointe Woods, MI, CLYTIE, 29
- 3) Bill Martin, Ann Arbor, MI, No Name Yet, 38

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Detroit (Mich.) June 3, 2001 - The heavy downpours and gray skies that rolled over Lake St. Clair during the Sailing World Detroit NOOD (National Offshore One-Design) Regatta did little to shatter the enthusiasm of some 1,200 sailors competing in this first major sailing regatta of the season. Competitors' spirits ran counter to the gloomy weather--and for good reason: this NOOD regatta will stand out in sailors' memories as a career highlight for its large competitive fleet and an usual run of three consecutive days of stiff, teen-strength breeze.

The Detroit NOOD--presented by Farmers Insurance Group, June 1-3, at host Bayview Yacht Club--drew a field of 234 boats from the United States and Canada. Racers competed in 23 classes, in breeze that ranged 11 to 20 knots throughout the series.