

# Ray Hunt

1908 - 1978



C. Raymond 'Ray' Hunt is one of the most remarkable figures in boating. A talented skipper, he won sailing races from an early age, including a World Championship. His sailboat designs won even more, including an Olympic Gold Medal. But he is remembered most for the deep-V hull form he perfected, an invention that has revolutionized powerboat design.



"Knifing through those six foot seas at thirty knots, this little 23-footer stopped every sailor in the fleet in their tracks. No one had ever seen powerboat performance to approach it. I know I hadn't." -Richard 'Dick' Bertram

## 'SEA BLITZ'

Ray's inventive mind produced a number of breakthroughs en route to his seminal work, the deep-V.



## 'MOPPIE'

Miami-Nassau Powerboat Race winner, 1960, and prototype for the classic Bertram 31.



## 'BRAVE MOPPIE'

1965 World Offshore Powerboat Champion; another in the succession of Hunt deep-V winners.

## PILOT BOATS

Hunt-designed pilot boats serve many of this nation's ports. In continuous duty, they go out swiftly and safely in any weather.



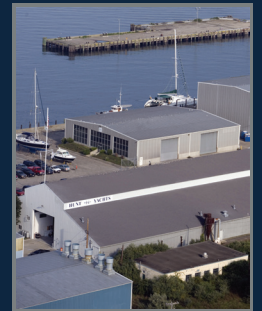
## SEA ARK

The same attributes that make Hunt deep-V hulls ideal for recreational boating are important to law enforcement, Coast Guard rescue and to the military.

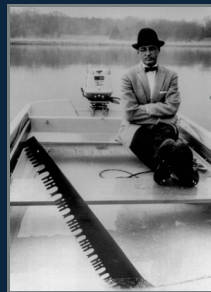


## HUNT YACHTS RELOCATES

Production, sales and service are now based in the Melville Marine Complex, at water's edge on Narragansett Bay: worth your visit.



1946... 1950... 1960... 1970... 1980... 1990... 2000... 2010



## BOSTON WHALER

Ray Hunt also designed the stable cathedral hull that made the unsinkable Whaler such a family favorite.



## C. RAYMOND HUNT ASSOCIATES SURFHUNTER 25 DEBUTS

The work of Ray Hunt continues in the firm he co-founded in 1965. The Surfhunter is one of the most enduring designs because of its incredible ride: dry, stable, comfortable at speed even in rough water, efficient to run, easy to steer. Constant refinement has just made this design better.



## HUNT YACHTS FOUNDED

Hunt Yachts is the only major boat builder founded and owned by naval architects.



## NMMA AWARD FOR INNOVATION

In 2003, the Hunt Harrier 36' won the boating industry's highest award for innovation.