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## **PRESS RELEASE**

## Schooner Aquidneck added to Sightsailing Fleet

**April 23, 2008, Newport, RI:** Sightsailing of Newport has added the 80 foot Schooner "Aquidneck" to its fleet of sailing vessels. Sightsailing of Newport has been offering sailing cruises as well as private and corporate charters from Bowen's Wharf for 18 years. The Aquidneck was brought to Newport late last fall from Florida. She will offer regularly scheduled, day and sunset sailing cruises and will be available for private charters. "Aquidneck is a tremendous boat, which will allow us to offer a larger vessel to many of our corporate customers and accommodate additional capacity on busy weekends and holidays," says John Hirschler, President of Sightsailing Inc. With a length of eighty feet and a beam of 17 feet, Aquidneck offers an abundance of open, uncluttered deck space, enabling guests to move about with ease. Sightsailing plans to operate Schooner Aquidneck, which has a maximum capacity of 49 guests, while continuing to operate their two smaller boats, Sightsailer and Starlight. "Sightsailer is a very fun vessel to sail on and carries only 16 guests, while Starlight, can sail with just 2-6 and is very popular with those looking for a private sailing experience", says Hirschler. Sightsailing will be opening for the 2008 season on Saturday, May 10. Schooner Aguidneck will begin operating Memorial Day weekend.

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