

## The Real Runabouts

Bob Speltz's series, is considered the best all around source on the manufacturers of wooden runabouts. Speltz's work is unrivaled in its breadth.

Contained in these seven volumes is information on 270 different boat builders. These informative and entertaining books are loaded with photos of hundreds of classic boats



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Pre-war Chris Crafts, Hacker Craft, Century, Dee-Wite, Gar Wood, Sunflower, Hafer Craft, Streblov, Hutchinson, Dingle, Fitzgerald and Lee, Greavette, Shepard, Riva, Rio, Faul, and other builders

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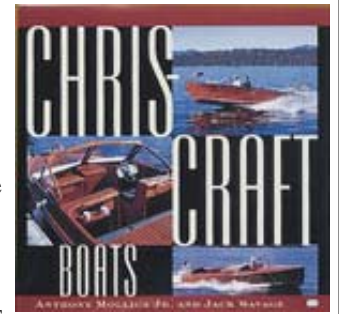
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## Chris Craft Boats

This beautifully illustrated history details the evolution of Chris Craft boats from the early years to the introduction of assembly-line techniques, to the move to fiberglass hulls. Separate chapters dedicated to utilities, runabouts, cruisers, Sea Skiffs, Kit Boats and Cavaliers, and engines provide a thorough look

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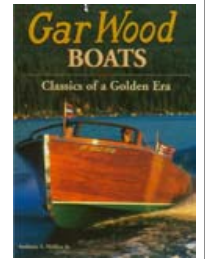
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