The questionnaire:

Your name: Jeff Kennedy

Boat's name: Chance Encounter

Boat's location: Granger, Indiana

Boat's date of manufacture (from your registration): 1982

Number of windows (per side): 3

Rudder (fixed or pivoting): pivoting

Anchor locker (shallow with molded inset for anchor) Yes, anchor locker hinged cover missing. I'm working on a mold to make a new fiberglass locker cover.

Mast make (Kenyon or...?) Kenyon

Swept back spreaders? (yes or no) yes

Chain plates (Two sets of flat style chain plates or ...?) Two sets of flat plates. Shrouds for these chain plates are fitted with 5/16 pins on the turnbuckles.

Issues: (Please list any issues you are wanting to address with your boat. For example, the aft lockers in my cabin (not cockpit) regularly accumulate water so after a sail there is an inch or more water in each locker): Issue, when mast is stepped, the forestay is too short to attach to the deck plate, the split backstay is too long to be tensioned with the turnbuckles. Both pins are in place at the mast base. Any suggestions?

Solutions: (Please list any modifications you have made with your boat that you would like to share with the group. For example on our boat "kula" we have added two small "L" brackets beneath one of the locker lids. This allows us to take the hatch lid and mount it on top of the main sheet traveler to function as a cockpit table.): Need help with my mast/rigging issue.

















