SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

1 RULES

See NoR 1



2 CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Any change to the sailing instructions will be posted at least 1 hour before the first warning

signal on that day, except that any change to the schedule of races will be posted by 2000 on

the day before it will take effect.

3 COMMUNICATIONS WITH COMPETITORS

Notices will be communicated to competitors via Race officer/official notice board

4 CODE OF CONDUCT

[DP] Competitors and support persons shall comply with reasonable requests from race officials.

5 SIGNALS MADE ASHORE

Signals made ashore will be displayed at the battery in the North Park or in the case of cancellation before starting time at the main flagpole.

6 SCHEDULE OF RACES

See NoR 9

7 CLASS FLAGS

General flag for all class start

8 RACING AREA

See NoR 12.

9 COURSES

- 9.1 Each class will sail the course as indicated in the diagrams attached.
- 9.2 The course to be sailed will be indicated by the RO on the day.
- 9.3 In amendment of RRS 27.1 and RRS 33 the course to be sailed may be displayed shortly after the preparatory signal or, when a subsequent round is to be sailed, as the leading boats in a class approach the Finishing Line at the end of the preceding round.

10 MARKS

Big Orange Buoys, Medium Yello Buoy,

11 OBSTRUCTIONS

Island Dhu

12 THE START

- 12.1 The starting line will be between a club rib and a pin mark
- 12.2 Start times and signals will be disclosed on day

12.3 A boat that does not start within 6 minutes after her starting signal will be scored Did Not

Start without a hearing. This changes RRS A4 and A5.

13 CHANGE OF THE NEXT LEG OF THE COURSE

Does not apply

14 THE FINISH

The finishing line will be between a finish mark and a rib or two finish marks.

15 PENALTY SYSTEM

See NoR 14.

16 TIME LIMITS

16.1 There are no time limits for races

16.2 In addition to RRS 32, the race committee may also award a score to a boat that is still racing by displaying to her from a committee vessel (which may be in motion) flag W with one sound signal. A boat so notified is no longer required to sail the course, shall stop racing and return ashore if there is no more racing. A score under this sailing instruction will be the score she would have received had she sailed the course and finished within any time limit, without gaining or losing any place. However, when two or more boats that are over lapped are notified, they will be scored as if they were tied. The decision by the race committee to use this procedure or not to use it shall not be grounds for requesting redress. This changes rules 61.1(a) and 62.4(b).

17 HEARING REQUESTS

- 17.1 The protest time limit is 90 minutes after the last boat has finished the last race of the day or the race committee signals no more racing today, whichever is the later. This changes RRS 6.3(b) and 61.2(b).
- 17.2 Hearing Request forms shall include the email address and contact telephone number of the protestor and, when possible, the protestee.
- 17.3 Hearing Request forms are available on the day
- 17.4 Notices will be posted within 48 hours of protest time limit to inform competitors of hearings in which they are parties or named as witnesses.

18 SCORING

As per NoR 15

19 SAFETY REGULATIONS

[DP] [NP] A boat that retires from a race shall notify the race committee as soon as possible.

20 REPLACEMENT OF CREW OR EQUIPMENT

20.1 [DP] [NP] Substitution of competitors is not allowed without prior approval of the race committee.

20.2 [DP] [NP] Substitution of damaged or lost equipment is not allowed unless authorised by the race committee. Requests for substitution shall be made at the first reasonable opportunity.

21 EQUIPMENT AND MEASUREMENT CHECKS

[NP] A boat or equipment may be inspected at any time for compliance with the class rules, notice of race and sailing instructions.

22 SUPPLIED BOATS

Does not apply.

23 OFFICIAL VESSELS

Coleraine Yacht Club patrol vessels are RIBs, orange or blue in colour.

24 [DP] [NP] SUPPORT TEAMS

As per NoR 16

25 TRASH DISPOSAL

Trash may be placed aboard official or support person vessels.

26 BERTHING

[DP] [NP] Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the dinghy park.

27 HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

Does not apply.

28 DIVING EQUIPMENT AND PLASTIC POOLS

Does not apply.

29 PRIZES

As per NoR 24

24 RISK STATEMENT

As per NoR 22.

25 INSURANCE

As per NoR 23

