

THE 60th BROAD BAY REGATTA

Organized by Broad Bay Sailing Association

Hosted by Norfolk Yacht & Country Club

Saturday, June 25, 2022

Sailing Instructions

1. RULES. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.

2. ENTRIES. Skippers may complete a CBYRA Standard Entry Form the morning of the event or by mailing it to Debbie Koelliker, 1116 Bay Colony Drive, Virginia Beach, VA 23451. Payment may be done by check accompanying the Entry Form or by paying Saturday morning at Check-In. Entry may also be done online at www.broadbaysailing.org before June 25. Entry fees are waived for BBSA and NYCC members but an Entry Form is still required.

3. NOTICES TO COMPETITORS. Notices will be posted on the Official Notice Board located at NYCC.

4. CHANGES TO THE SAILING INSTRUCTIONS. Changes to the S.I.s will be posted within 15 minutes after the end of the Skippers Meeting. Oral changes may be made on the water. Such changes will be preceded by Flag "L" being displayed with multiple sound signals.

5. SCHEDULE OF RACES.

0900 – Registration/Check-In

0930 – Skippers Meeting at NYCC

1100 – Warning for First Race

****** Additional races to follow as soon as practicable.**

****** Code Flag "A" displayed at the finish of a race means "No more racing today".**

****** Awards Party to follow racing ASAP**

6. COURSES

6.1 A Windward/Leeward course will be sailed with the RC Boat located approx. halfway between the windward and leeward mark. (See Appendix A for course details.)

6.2 Line Restriction – Boats shall not cross through the Start/Finish Line at any time, except when starting or finishing. At other times, the start/finish Line, the RC Boat, and the start/finish ball shall be treated as obstructions. Boats violating this instruction will be scored DSC without a hearing. This changes RRS 63.1 and A5.

7. MARKS. Rounding marks and start/finish marks will be red/orange balls/buoys.

8. THE START

8.1 Races will be started as per RRS Appendix U (Audible-Signal Racing System).

8.3 Order of Starts will be posted on the Official Notice Board but may change on-the-water if necessary.

8.4 A fleet must consist of at least three boats to justify a separate start. However, small fleets may be combined into a single start at the discretion of the RC. Such combination of fleets will be posted on the Official Notice Board.

8.5 The starting line will be between the staff displaying an orange flag on the RC Boat and the red/orange start/finish ball.

9. RECALLS

9.1 The RC will attempt to hail OCS boats. Failure of the hail to be made or of a boat to hear the hail will not be considered grounds for redress. This changes RRS Appendix U4.

9.3 General recalls will be signaled as per 29.2.

10. THE FINISH. The Finish Line will be between the staff displaying an orange flag on the RC Boat and the red/orange start/finish ball.

11. SHORTENED COURSE. The course may be shortened at any rounding mark.

12. TIME LIMIT.

12.1 Each race will have a time limit of 45 minutes.

12.2 Boats not finished within 15 minutes of the first boat in their fleet to sail the course and finish will be scored DNF without a hearing. This changes RRS 63.1 and A5.

13. SAFETY.

13.1 Single handed boats need not carry an anchor but must carry a line at least 15' long and at least 1/4" thick.

13.2 Unless the RC displays Code Flag "Y", it is the responsibility of each skipper to determine when he/she and any others on the boat will wear a PFD.

13.3 Prior to the beginning of the first race of the day, a boat shall check in with the RC. A boat that retires shall notify the RC as soon as practicable. A breach of this section shall not be grounds for protest by a boat. This changes RRS 60.1A.

14. PENALTIES. RRS 44.1 (Taking a Penalty) is in effect except that catamarans only may do a One-Turn Penalty.

15. PROTESTS

15.1 A boat intending to protest an incident in the racing area shall so notify the RC by hail immediately after finishing or retiring. Such notification must include the name and/or number of the boat(s) being protested and must continue until acknowledged by the RC.

15.2 A written protest must be submitted to the RC w/in 30 mins of the RC docking at NYCC.

15.3 Protests potentially affecting awards will be heard ASAP after racing. Others may be scheduled for a later day.

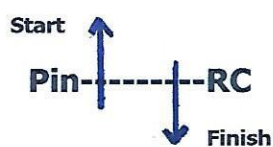
16. SCORING

16.1 One completed race will constitute a regatta.

16.2 All races count; no throw outs. This changes RRS A2.1.

17. AWARDS. Appropriate awards will be presented at the post-race Awards Party.

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APPENDIX A – COURSE



*** The Start/Finish Line will be located approx. halfway between the weather and leeward marks.**

*** The course for each fleet will be displayed on the RC Boat**

W = One Lap

W2 = Two Laps

W3 = Three Laps

*** Marks 1 & 2 shall be left to PORT**

*** The Start/Finish Line is closed except when starting or finishing
(See S.I. 6.2 for full explanation)**